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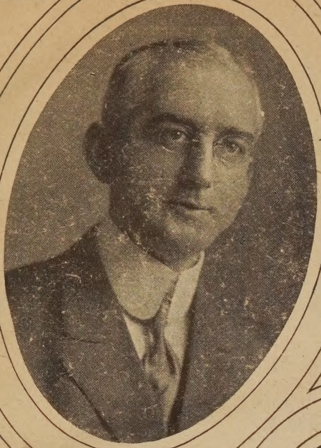

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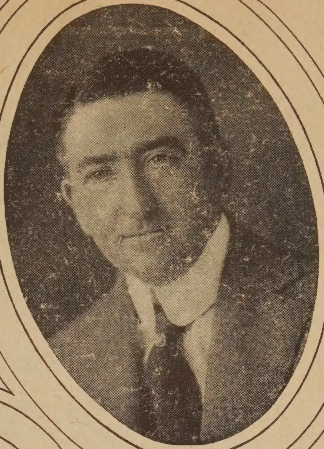

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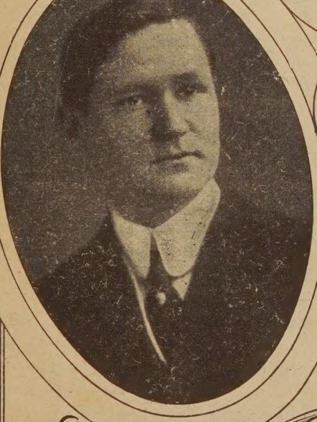

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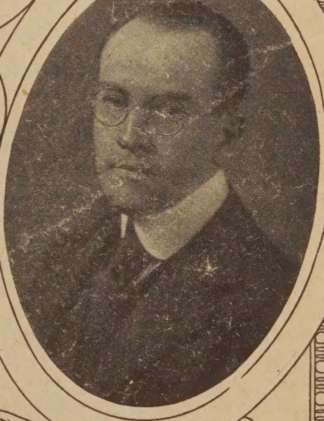

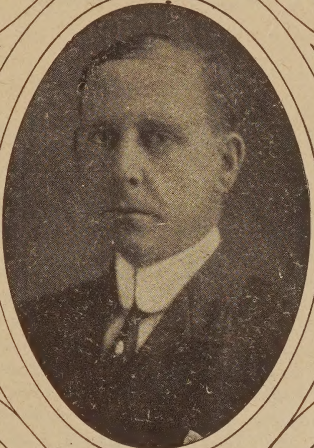

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June, 1920

MEETING OF JUNE 1, 1920

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, June 1, 1920, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Absent: Mayor Hague (excused).

In the absence of Mayor Hague, Commissioner Gannon, director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and vice-mayor, presided.

RECEPTION OF BIDS.

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for furnishing and delivering coal to the municipal buildings of Jersey City, the City Clerk called for bids with the following result:

1. R. H. Perry & Co., by item, with surety company bond.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received opened and read, and referred to the Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property for investigation and recommendation.

IMPROVEMENT HEARINGS.

The hearing on the final passage of an ordinance for the proposed improvement of Bergen Avenue, Sip Avenue and Summit Avenue, by widening the same, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, having been adjourned and continued to this time and place, and several property owners interested in the proposed improvement being present, the City Clerk read the following report submitted by Commissioner Fagen:

"Jersey City, N. J.,
"June 1, 1920.

"Hon. Board of Commissioners,
"City Hall.

"Gentlemen: Your director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, to whom was referred at meeting held May 25, 1920, protests against the widening of Bergen Avenue from Bergen Square to the Boulevard, and Sip Avenue from Summit Avenue to Bergen Avenue, would respectfully report that he has not been able to make the detailed schedule, showing the limit of area of assessment for this improvement and the probable assessment for same, on account of the short space of time. He would respectfully recommend that the hearing be continued for a period of two weeks, and

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that in the meantime the Commissioners of Assessments be requested to prepare a sketch, showing the limit of area of assessment for this improvement, and also the probable amount that would be assessed against each piece or parcel of land liable for assessment for the lands to be taken, and have the same in the hands of your Director not later than Tuesday, the 8th inst. Respectfully submitted,

"M. I. FAGEN,

"Director."

The Board discussed the matter, and upon concurring in the foregoing recommendation, the following resolution was introduced:

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the report of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, received this day, in the matter of the widening of Bergen Avenue from Bergen Square to Hudson Boulevard, and Sip Avenue from Summit Avenue to Bergen Avenue, be received, and the recommendations contained therein approved; and be it further

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby requested to certify a copy of this resolution, together with report referred to, to the Commissioners of Assessments.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien.

Nays: None.

FRANCHISE HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications for franchise privileges:

John Steurnagel, vault under sidewalk front of 524 Mercer Street; Joe Selzer to maintain encroachment on building No. 8 Manhattan Avenue; Lackawanna Term. Stores, shipping platform, Provost and Fifteenth Streets; Eagle Grocery Co., shipping platform, York and Brunswick Streets.

The City Clerk called for any one who might desire to protest against any of the above described applications. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against any of the above described applications.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the following described applications for franchise privileges:

John Steurnagle, vault under sidewalk at 524 Mercer Street; Joe Selzer, encroachment on building No. 8 Manhattan Avenue; Lackawanna Term. Stores, platform Provost and Fifteenth Streets; Eagle Grocery Co., shipping platform, York and Brunswick Streets; Standard Oil Co., vac. Hillside Road; Armour & Co., tracks, Seventeenth Street; platform, Seventeenth Street; coal pockets, Eighteenth Street, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to Tuesday, June 15, 1920, at 2 p. m., in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the application of the Vulcan Iron Works for permission to lay and maintain spur track along Hudson Street, the City Clerk called for any one who might desire to protest against the application.

Counsellor D. Eugene Blankenhorn presented a written protest in behalf of the Lemback & Betz Eagle Brewing Company, owners of lands situated at the southwesterly corner of Hudson and Essex Streets, being one hundred feet in width on Hudson Street, in front of which the proposed track would be laid. The protest stated that if the track was laid and operated the value of the property of the said protestant would be seriously impaired.

Counsellor Blankenhorn stated that he had taken the matter up with the Vulcan Iron Works, and that they had agreed upon certain modifications in the laying of the track, but that he had not heard from them to date.

Counsellor Joseph Autenreith, appearing for the Vulcan Iron Works, stated that the Lembeck & Betz Company had requested the Vulcan Iron

Works to construct their spur track so that a spur could be run into the Lembeck & Betz property, and also requested them to obtain permission from the railroad company for the operation of such spur track. Mr. Autenreith further stated that the railroad company would not grant permission for the operation of spur tracks in tenement property, such as the Lembeck & Betz property, and that on these grounds the Lembeck & Betz Company based their objections.

Commissioner Fagen advised Mr. Autenreight that the spur track could not be laid on Dudley Street, due to the litigation in connection with the street. Mr. Schwartz, engineer for the Vulcan Iron Works, agreed to modify the plans so that the track would not be laid on Dudley Street and the track would be curved off Hudson Street closer to the Vulcan Iron Works property.

The Board discussed the matter at length, and in conclusion Counsellor Autenreith agreed to submit a revised petition and blue print covering the application of the Vulcan Iron Works.

CITY ORDINANCES.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the final passage of the following described ordinances:

"An ordinance appropriating $1,500,000.00 for the Jersey City Hospital and authorizing temporary improvement bonds of the City to meet the appropriation";

"An ordinance authorizing $700.00 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City" (Zabriskie Street paving), the City Clerk called for any one who might desire to protest against the passage of any of the above described ordinances. No one appeared to protest and no written protest was received against any of the above described ordinances.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon, the ordinances were referred to miscellaneous business for further action.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the application of Vincenzo Albanese for permission to alter building and erect garage in cellar of two-story frame building, No. 3454 Boulevard, as shown on blue print attached to application, the City Clerk called for any one who might desire to protest against the application. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the application of Vincenzo Albanese for permission to alter building and erect garage in cellar of two-story frame building No. 3454 Boulevard, be and the same is hereby referred to the Director, Department of Revenue and Finance, for invstigation and recommendation.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From Barnet Toplitz, requesting permission to erect electric sign to extend six feet beyond building line at No. 291 First Street.

Received.

From Michael R. O'Brien, requesting permission to maintain encroachment on building owned by him at No. 242 Twelfth street.

Received and ordered to take the customary procedure in accordance with rules and regulations of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City governing such matters.

From Judge Charles L. Carrick, advising the Board that he appointed William J. Dooley, of No. 21 Beacon Avenue, Sergeant-at-Arms of the First District Court in place of Mr. Frank Meyer, deceased, and requesting the Board to make arrangements from June 1 for the statutory compensation to be paid to Mr. Dooley.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon, the appointment of Mr. Dooley was concurred in, and the communication referred to Commissioner Gannon.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be issued to the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$455.00, American Creosoting Co., wood block.

$19.50, Ahlmeyer Bros., repairs.

$47.30, L. A. Bittighofer, repairs.

$1,365.09, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$45.00, Dobke Typewriter Exch., repairs.

$54.25, Eimer & Amend, equipment.

$62.00, Wm. R. Harrison, photos.

$15.00, Wm. R. Harrison, photos.

$36.00, Scientific Materials Co., equipment.

$50.00, Stillman & Van Siclen, testing.

$450.00, Graham Van Keuren, granite block.

$116.75, C. J. Lutton, horseshoeing.

$30.00, Stillman & Van Siclen, testing.

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$72.65, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$152.08, Dist. Engineer 2d Dist., N. Y. City, insp. expense.

$143.08, Dodge & Bliss Co., lumber.

$24.96, Evening Journal Assn., advertising.

$23.92, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$159.02, Jersey City Supply, supplies.

$211.87, Jersey City Supply, supplies.

$81.69, New York Telephone Co., service.

$3.34, National Meter Co., repairs.

$415.00, A. N. Spooner & Son., Inc., inspecting.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$2.50, Union Towel Supply Co., towel service.

$6.75, Union Printing Co., printing.

$250.00, Jos. Spingarn, rental for office.

$9.68, Nelson & Ward Co., insurance.

$166.40, Automatic Advertising Corp., rental and expenses automatic balopticаn.

$9.00, Dobke Typewriter Co., rent for Underwood.

$7.50, Geo. L. Wilms, photographs.

$8.00, Albert Datz Co., printing.

$16.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$58.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$4.75, Thos H. Cox & Son, stationery.

$25.00, W. E. Boyce, picture exhibit.

$116.75, Payton & Hoos, furniture.

$144.00, Evening Journal, advertising.

$661.00, Build a Home Exposition, exhibit space.

$200.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$100.00, Henry Berghorn, postage stamps.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be issued to the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$195.67, Whipple Hdw. Co., hardware supplies.

$14.27, Jersey City Supply Co., plumbing supplies.

$38.56, Thos. L. Higgins, hardware.

$37.62, Thos. L. Higgins, hardware.

$1.82, Jersey City Supply Co., plumbing.

$35.00, Nelson & Ward, insurance.

$3.34, Jersey City Supply Co., supplies.

$36.50, Junction Milling Co., lumber.

$1.25, Thos. L. Higgins, hardware.

$11.55, John P. Landrine, hardware.

$125.00, Chas. Campbell, seed.

$14.06, Thos. L. Higgins, paint.

$400.00, Chas. Campbell, sod.

$25.70, John J. Corcoran, plumbing.

$14.00, Junction Milling Co., lumber.

$60.90, Thos. L. Higgins, hardware.

$6.25, John J. Corcoran, plumbing.

$19.59, Bertram Allan, photos.

$15.00, Thos. L. Higgins, mouldings.

$190.78, S. J. Crawford, plumbing repairs.

$29.44, Jersey City Supply Co., fittings.

$47.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$3.60, Whipple Hdw. Co., hwd. supplies.

$3.85, Whipple Hdw. Co., hwd. supplies.

$30.00, O'Brien & Kielt, plumbing.

$92.00, R. Hoffman, ceiling repair.

$360.00, John J. Corcoran, plumbing.

$17.30, Thos. L. Higgins, hardware.

$9.15, Thos. L. Higgins, hardware.

$90.83, Patton Paint Co., paint.

$43.61, Jersey City Lumber Co., lumber.

$9.12, Jersey City Lumber Co., lumber.

$7.00, Marcy Stove Repair Co., grate bars.

$39.60, J. C. Corcoran, plumbing.

$52.63, Belle Meade Garage, auto repairs.

$7.56, Eve. Journal Assn., adv.

$50.00, Lafayette Window Cleaning Co., service.

$39.75, Junction Milling Co., lumber.

$8.40, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$1.14, Kolesch & Co., blue prints.

$10.75, T. L. Higgins, paint.

$30.60, Henry J. Reitze, elec. supplies.

$2.40, Garfunkel Bros., elec. boxes.

$55.00, John E. Mullers, insurance.

$14.40, Junction Milling, lumber.

$6.00, Belle Meade Garage, auto hire.

$7.44, Hudson Observer, adv.

$7.08, Eve. Journal Assn., adv.

$20.80, Hudson Observer, adv.

$22.36, Eve. Journal Assn., adv.

$102.00, Colgate & Co., soap.

$31.25, Thos. L. Higgins, paint.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

Jersey City, June 1, 1920.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasury in favor of the following named persons for the amounts and purposes as specified:

$14.22, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$25.00, Mrs. Fred Christill, silk banners.

$113.68, Albert Datz Co., printing.

$56.50, Albert Datz Co., printing.

$32.00, Jos. Dixon Crucible Co., supplies.

$60.55, Duckworth Chain & Mfg. Co., motor cycle chain.

$8.00, Julius Frey, "die" for Police Department.

$146.51, J. Flannery, supplies.

$21.75, Fleischman Bros., rep. radiators and mud guards.

$60.00, J. W. Greene, Inc., supplies.

$23.75, Garfunkel Bros., Watt lamps.

$35.28, Garfunkel Bros., receiver cords.

$2.65, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$7.95, Hudson Co., Buick Co., auto parts and repairs.

$2.34, Thomas L. Higgins, screw anchors.

$74.72, Harry Jasper, batteries.

$68.40, Kenwood Oil & Supply Co., auto polish.

$79.38, Albert Kuntz, motor cycle tires.

$97.44, Morris Motor Car Co., auto tire and tube.

$25.73, John S. Menagh Co., supplies.

$70.50, McConnell Coal Co., coal.

$6.00, C. D. Reese, badges.

$30.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$40.00, Union Printing Co., postage stamps.

$92.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$33.32, Union Printing Co., printing.

$95.55, Union Printing Co., printing.

$4.25, John A. Vill & Son, supplies.

$25.50, John A. Vill & Son, leggings.

$18.00, John A. Vill & Son, Weed chains.

$24.75, John A. Vill & Son, Pyrene and brackets.

$4.50, John A. Vill & Son, supplies.

$79.00, John A. Vill & Son, cord casing.

$40.80, Valvoline Oil Co., motor oil.

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$9.86, Carscallon & Cassidy.

$702.10, Carscallen & Cassidy.

$97.50, The Leeds & Northrup Co.

$10.50, Standard Oil Co.

$215.60, Chas H. Engler.

$175.19, R. H. Perry Co.

$57.58, Union Printing Co.

$18.47, Norwich Pharmacal Co.

$13.60, Interstate Chemical Co.

$13.46, Interstate Chemical Co.

$20.73, E. B. Haskins.

$89.64, Whipple Hardware Co.

$22.35, Albert Kuntz.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

Commissioner Gannon (by Mayor Hague):

Resolved, that warrants be drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons and corporations for the amounts and purposes specified:

$21.66, J. Decker, milk.

$28.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$41.99, David I. Cohen, drugs.

$13.57, Charles F. Hansen, office supplies.

$6.00, John F. Crosby, oranges.

$56.73, J. W. Green, Inc., baby carriage.

$12.25, J. W. Green, Inc., pictures.

$44.35, J. W. Green, Inc., pictures and mirrors.

$37.00, J. V. Calley, Vegetables.

$7.05, David I. Cohen, drugs.

$42.66, Premier Market, meats.

$14.40, Garfunkel Bros., electric fixtures.

$16.45, Joseph H. Browne, soap.

$22.69, John J. Mooney, drugs.

$16.71, John J. Mooney, instruments.

$58.80, The Kleinhaus Store, underwear.

$128.54, William Bill, groceries.

$15.43, Ganz & Goodman, towels.

$29.40, John F. Crosby, potatoes.

$48.83, The Abbott Laboratories, drugs.

$14.45, John J. Mooney, drugs.

$19.14, Joseph H. Browne, supplies

$21.98, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$4.15, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$6.50, The Abbott Laboratories, laboratory supplies.

$4.32, William Bill, ammonia.

$37.24, David I. Cohen, peroxide.

$85.42, E. R. Squibb & Sons, drugs.

$31.36, John J. Mooney, drugs.

$20.82, Whipple Hardware Co., hardware.

$352.36, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$408.30, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$395.13, D. C. Markus, meats.

$69.02, Austin, Nichols & Co., groceries.

$7.35, The Victor Electric Corp., elon.

$55.75, M. O'Connell Coal Co., coal.

$184.26, Morris Weissman, butter.

$18.00, Thomas L. Higgins, scoops.

$29.16, Paul B. Hoeber, book.

183.70, American Auto Tire Co., repairs.

$9.10, J. V. Calley, vegetables.

$360.80, William L. Hagen, beef.

$350.99, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$287.14, John F. Crosby, potatoes.

$9.81, W. H. Walthery, bacon.

$43.63, Premier Market, meats.

$23.52, W. H. Walthery, meats.

$132.01, William Bill, groceries.

$15.25, J. V. Calley, vegetables.

$306.00, Messrs. Colgate & Co., soap.

$65.95, J. V. Calley, vegetables.

$2.07, Budde & Westermann, corks.

$19.20, Johnson & Johnson, cup holders.

$373.20, Henry J. McDermott, ice.

$589.78, Hudson Co. S. P. C. A., dog wagon service.

$144.00, Evening Journal Association, proclamation.

$7.00, Initial Apron & Towel Supply Co., service.

$19.00, J. S. Zelinka, repairing icebox.

$36.00, Payton & Hoos, rugs and mats.

$47.50, William Singler, stationery.

$45.72, Palisade Auto Supply Co., tubes, etc.

$168.00, Lederle Antitoxin Lab., antitoxin.

$112.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

95.27, Henry J. Reitze, electric supplies.

$300.00, Union Printing, printing.

$64.20, John J. Mooney, drugs.

$102.40, John J. Mooney, drugs.

$130.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien.

Nays: None.

PAYROLLS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached payrolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being for services rendered during the periods specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That a warrant be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer for $25,000.00 on account of appropriation for 1920, to the order of the Trustees of the Free Public Library, as per voucher attached and charge Account 783.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance appropriating $47,500 for an improvement to the water supply of Jersey City and authorizing temporary improvement bonds of the city to meet said appropriation.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

AN ORDINANCE

authorizing $700 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City.

RECITALS.

Whereas, The City of Jersey City has heretofore authorized the repaving of Zabriskie Street, from Central Avenue to Summit Avenue, which is not yet completed, and Temporary Improvement Bonds in the amount of $7,000.00 have been issued for said purpose and are now outstanding, and the sum of $700.00 in addition to the sum heretofore expended is necessary for the completion thereof. It is advisable to provide for the continuation of said improvement and for the temporary financing thereof.

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. For the completion of the improvement heretofore recited the sum of $700.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated.

Section 2. That pursuant to the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled "An Act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by County, City, Borough, Village, Town, Township, or any municipality governed by an Improvement Commission," approved March 22, 1916, as amended, and for the purpose of meeting said appropriation the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do and they hereby authorize and direct that Temporary Improvement Bonds in the sum of $700.00 be issued, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed six per cent. per annum, said Bonds shall mature in not exceeding six years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out, and shall be signed by the Mayor or Acting Mayor and the Comptroller or Deputy Comptroller, and attested by the City Clerk or Acting City Clerk.

Section 3. Said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall state that they are issued for the purpose of repaving Zabriskie Street; the other matters in respect of the issuance of said Bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Section 4. That the said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be paid or funded within six years after the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out.

Section 5. That the interest on said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be raised in the annual tax levy.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance appropriating $1,500,000 for the Jersey City Hospital and authorizing temporary improvement bonds of the city to meet said appropriation.

Whereas, By an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing $1,500,000 temporary improvement bonds of the city of Jersey City," finally adopted on June 24, 1919, the sum of $1,500,000 was appropriated for the Jersey City Hospital and temporary improvement bonds of the city were therein authorized for said amount to meet said appropriation; and

Whereas, $1,200,000 temporary improvement bonds of the city have been issued in pursuance of said ordinance, and the proceeds thereof have been applied to the purposes for which an appropriation is made by this ordinance; and

Whereas, It is necessary to issue additional temporary improvement bonds to the extent of $300,000 to meet said appropriation; now therefore

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. The sum of one million five hundred thousand dollars ($1,500,000) is hereby appropriated for the construction, reconstruction, improvement, alteration and enlargement of the Jersey City Hospital buildings, and for the acquisition and installation of the original equipment thereof. This appropriation is in lieu of and in substitution for the appropriation in the same amount made by the ordinance referred to in the preambles hereof.

Sec. 2. In order to meet the said appropriation and to temporarily finance the said purpose, temporary improvement bonds of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City shall be issued in the principal amount of one million five hundred thousand dollars ($1,500,000), bearing interest at not exceeding six (6) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually and maturing in not more than six years after the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out. Said bonds shall recite that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing the Jersey City Hospital. The other matters in respect of the issuance of said bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, who is hereby authorized to issue said bonds from time to time as the moneys are required for the purposes herein stated.

Sec. 3. The proceeds of the bonds herein authorized shall be applied to the payment of the $1,200,000 temporary improvement bonds issued in pursuance of the ordinance referred to in the preambles hereof, and the balance of the said proceeds shall be applied to the purposes for which the appropriation is herein made.

Sec. 4. Upon the maturity of any bonds issued hereunder which may be issued in such form as to mature prior to the date when said bonds are hereby required to mature, said bonds may be renewed from time to time, provided that all such renewal bonds shall mature within the period hereinabove prescribed for the bonds originally issued, and shall bear interest at not exceeding six (6) per cent. per annum. The said Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance is hereby authorized to renew the same without further authority, and to determine all matters in respect of said renewal within the limitation of this ordinance, in the same manner and to the same extent as he is hereby authorized to determine all matters in respect of the original issue of bonds hereunder.

Sec. 5. The said Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance is hereby authorized to give such notice of sale of the bonds herein authorized in such newspapers as he may deem proper, or, in his discretion, to sell the said bonds without notice of the sale thereof.

Sec. 6. The faith and credit of the city of Jersey City is hereby pledged for the punctual payment of the principal and interest of the bonds herein authorized.

Sec. 7. The authority for the issuance of bonds contained in this ordinance shall be in substitution for, and in lieu of, the authority for the issuance of bonds contained in the ordinance referred to in the preambles hereof.

Sec. 8. The bonds issued hereunder shall be signed by the Mayor or Acting Mayor, and by the City Clerk or Acting City Clerk, and by the Comptroller or Deputy Comptroller.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

At this time Counsellor Peter Bentley appeared before the Board and requested if any action had been taken on the petitions submitted by him for the Lehigh Valley and Erie Railroad companies in which they requested full police powers being granted to the railroad company special officers, who have received police commissions from the State.

In reply to Mr. Bentley's request, the following resolution was introduced:

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, At a meeting of the City Commission held May 18, 1920, petitions were received from the Erie Railroad Company and the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company requesting the Board to grant full police powers to railroad employes to the number of about 150, who have received commissions as police officers from the Governor of the State of New Jersey, and

Whereas, These petitions were referred to Director O'Brien for investigation as to the character and qualifications of the applicants named thereon, and

Whereas, After investigation of several names selected at random it was found that several of the applicants were unknown at the addresses given, while several others had criminal records; therefore be it

Resolved, That the petition of the Erie Railroad Company requesting that full police powers be given to the men designated be and the same is hereby denied as to the following persons: Benjamin Kirchbaum, George W. Beach, Edward W. Scharr, Charles H. Brown, Henry Ziern and Christian Klein;

Further resolved, That the like position of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company be denied as to Ernesto Colelli and John J. Burdick;

Further resolved, That insufficient time having elapsed since the filing of the petition to permit of a thorough investigation of the remaining persons named in said petitions, no action be taken at this time thereon.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of Public Affairs, the Director of Revenue and Finance be and he is hereby authorized and requested to place at the disposal of the several Grand Army Posts and Veterans' Associations of Jersey City the sums of money set forth in the following schedule, the same to be used to pay the expenses of said Grand Army Posts and Veterans' Associations in connection with a proper observance of Memorial Day, 1920:

$200.00, Van Houten Post.
$150.00, Henry Wilson Post.
$150.00, Geo. H. Thomas Post.
$150.00, Zabriskie Post.
$50.00, General Joe Wheeler Post.
$50.00, Col. Wyckoff Post.

Further resolved, That the aforesaid sums of money shall be paid by the Director of Revenue and Finance according to the rules and regulations governing the allotment for the year 1917.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner Moore the Board adjourned.

Approved:

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
CHARLES F. X. O'BRIEN,
Commissioners.

FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF JUNE 8, 1920

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, June 8, 1920, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Absent: Mayor Hague (excused).

In the absence of Mayor Hague, Commissioner Gannon, Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and Vice-Mayor, presided.

RECEPTION OF BIDS.

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for furnishing labor and supplies, the City Clerk called for bids, with the following results:

Laboratory Equipment, City Hospital.

1. Victor Electric Corporation, by items, with surety company bond.
2. Will Corporation, by items, with surety company bond.
3. Empire Laboratory Supply Co., by items, with surety company bond.
4. E. Leitz, Inc., by items, with surety company bond.
5. Reynolds, Techner & Volk Co., by items, with surety company bond.

Improvement of Mallory Avenue.

1. Uvalde Contracting Co., 134 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.
2. W. T. S. Crichfield, 129 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen, the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received, opened and read and referred to the Director of the department from which the specifications emanated, for investigation and recommendation.

FRANCHISE HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the application of the First National Bank for permission to construct and maintain a vault under sidewalk at the corner of Hudson and York Streets, in front of the building now under construction, the City Clerk called for any one who might desire to protest against the application. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the application.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the application of the First National Bank for permission to construct and maintain a vault under sidewalk at the corner of York and Hudson Streets, in front of the building now in course of construction, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to Tuesday, June 22, 1920, at 2 p. m., in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

CITY ORDINANCES.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the final passage of the following described ordinances:

"An ordinance authorizing $3,000.00 emergency bonds of the City of Jersey City (Memorial Day celebration)."

"An ordinance authorizing $2,830.00 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City (Fire Department Repair Shop)."

"An ordinance authorizing $2,833.00 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City (Bergen Branch Public Library)."

The City Clerk called for any one who might desire to protest against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon, the ordinances were referred to miscellaneous business for further action.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the application of Barnet Toplitz for permission to erect electric sign to extend six feet beyond building line at No. 291 First Street, as shown on plans attached to application, the City Clerk called for any one who might desire to protest against the above described application. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the above described application.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Barnet Toplitz to erect electric sign to extend six feet beyond the building line at No. 291 First Street, as shown on plans attached to application; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From A. Lebow requesting permission to remove present store front and build new show window No. 128 Newark Avenue.

Received.

From Jake Engel, requesting permission to erect electric sign to extend 7 feet beyond building line at No. 648 Newark Avenue.

Received.

From New Jersey Bus Association, Inc., Newark, N. J., submitting copy of Bill of Complaint, Public Service Railway Co. against New Jersey Jitneymen, and requesting our City Attorney to get in touch with them if we contemplate taking part in the litigation.

Received and referred to Corporation Counsel Milton.

From Congressmen John J. Eagan, C. A. McGlennon and Senator Reed Smoot, acknowledging receipt of resolutions adopted by this Board on May 25 concerning the salaries of Postal Employes, and advising the Board that they will support any measure that will afford relief to such employes.

Received.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$734.69, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$681.83, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$27.50, Albert Datz Company, printing.

$37.50, Albert Datz Company, printing.

$20.00, Albert Datz Company, printing.

$10.90, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$59.04, Jersey City Lumber Company, supplies.

$5.14, Jersey City Supply Co., supplies.

$225.00, Graham Van Keuren, granite block.

$41.91, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$6.51, E. B. Dawson Company, supplies.

$20.25, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$128.26, Chas H. Engler.

$1.00, Lehigh Valley Railroad Co., rent.

$169.80, Rensselaer Valve Co., supplies.

$68.88, Sarco Co. of N. J., services.

$31.20, Sarco Co. of N. J., services.

$58.80, August Spindler, supplies.

$33.15, John A. Vill & Son, supplies.

$97.42, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$10.90, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$6.50, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$27.40, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$30.60, Walter J. Coleman, supplies.

$13.56, Evening Journal Association, ordinance bond issue, riparian rights.

$12.96, Evening Journal Association, ordinance bond issue, riparian rights.

$12.96, Hudson Observer, ordinance bond issue, riparian rights.

$72.00, Hudson Observer, proclamation Salvation Army.

$72.00, Evening Journal Association, proclamation Salvation Army.

$144.00, Evening Journal Association, proclamation Civic Week.

$144.00, Hudson Observer, proclamation Civic Week.

$283.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$127.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$19.76, Hudson Observer, proposals coal.

$10.85, Union Towel Supply Company, towel service.

$110.20, Union Printing Company, printing.

$21.32, Evening Journal Association, proposals coal.

$9.55, New York Telephone Company, service.

$90.00, Payton & Hoos, shades.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association appln. Albanese alter.

$15.84, Evening Journal Association. Standard Oil Co. ord culvert.

$14.88, Evening Journal Association. Standard Oil Co. ord. steam main.

$23.04, Evening Journal Association, Continental Can Co. ord.

$8.40, Evening Journal Association, Consumers' Coal & Ice Co. ord.

$15.12, Evening Journal Association, Standard Oil Co., ord tracks.

$18.20, Hudson Observer, appln. Selzer, ord. encroachment.

$17.68, Hudson Observer, appln. Eagle Grocery Co.

$3.52, Hudson Observer, appln. Cappolino, alter.

$18.72, Hudson Observer, appln. J. Steuernagel, ord.

$18.72, Hudson Observer, appln. Lack. Terminal Stores Co., ord.

$22.26, Hudson Observer, appln. Vulcan Iron Works, ord.

$15.84, Hudson Observer, appln. Standard Oil Co., ord. culvert.

$14.64, Hudson Observer, appln. Standard Oil Co., ord. tracks.

$22.68, Hudson Observer, appln. Continental Can Co. ord.

$8.40, Hudson Observer, appln. Consumers' Coal and Ice Co., ord.

$3.16, Hudson Observer, appln. Albanese alter.

$14.28, Evening Journal Association, appln. Standard Oil Co., steam main.

$14.52, Evening Journal Association, appln. Standard Oil Co., tracks.

$15.24, Evening Journal Association, appln. Standard Oil Co., culvert.

$2.00, Evening Journal Association, appln. Toplitz alter.

$19.76, Evening Journal Association, Lack. Terminal Stores Co., ord.

$20.28, Evening Journal Association, J. Steuernagel, ord.

$21.72, Evening Journal Association, Eagle Grocery Co., ord.

$18.20, Evening Journal Association, appln. J. Selzer, ord.

$22.88, Evening Journal Association, Vulcan Iron Works, track.

$23.16, Hudson Observer, appln. Continental Can Co., ord.

$23.40, Hudson Observer, appln. First National Bank, ord.

$17.40, Hudson Observer, appln. Standard Oil Co., steam main.

$375.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$67.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$338.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$259.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$279.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$327.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$238.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$348.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered

of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$144.00, Hudson Observer, Memorial Day parade.

$144.00, Evening Journal Association, Memorial Day parade.

$14.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$117.83, Anderson Coupling & Fire Supply Company, door openers.

$10.00, Edward Cahill, rent, garage.

$6.50, Bertram Allan, glass.

$12.81, Library Bureau, index cards.

$57.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$57.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$50.00, Thos. Finnery, ice.

$52.50, Woodward & Williamson, insurance.

$13.45, Lexington Auto Tire Company, auto supplies.

$24.75, Frank H. Coyle, insurance.

$207.75, Crescent Auto Company, auto supplies.

$11.73, Crescent Auto Company, auto supplies.

$80.65, J. C. Lumber Company, lumber.

$36.00, J. C. Lumber Company, lumber.

$5.70, Thos. L. Higgins, hardware.

$51.49, Jos. H. Browne, mops and polish.

$46.20, Colgate & Co., soap.

$111.38, New York Telephone Company, service.

$84.15, John P. Landrine, hardware.

$3.00, J. S. Supply Company, hardware.

$4.06, Junction Milling Company, lumber.

$8.25, Junction Milling Company, lumber.

$12.25, Elliott & Kiel, repairs.

$186.40, Geo. W. Irving, plumbing.

$11.75, Jersey City Supply Company, plumbing.

$114.45, John J. Corcoran, plumbing repairs.

$1.70, John P. Landrine, hardware.

$33.00, S. J. Crawford, plumbing repairs.

$240.94, Anchor Post Company, backstop.

$240.00, Junction Milling Company, drawn on the City Treasurer in favor lumber.

$135.00, Thos. Cullen, plumbing.

$37.50, D. S. Walton, toilet paper.

$13.63, J. C. Lumber Company, lumber.

$25.00, Peter Jocham, repairs.

$27.50, Van Houten & Sherwood, insurance.

$25.83, Julius Frey, leather belting.

$35.00, Van Houten & Sherwood, insurance.

$16.50, Cudahy Packing Company, soap.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the amounts and purposes as specified.

$11.72, Joseph H. Browne, polish.

$23.46, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

$117.63, Crescent Automobile Company, auto parts.

$119.60, James Coleman, horseshoeing.

$537.79, Carscallen & Cassidy, horse feed.

$93.50, Elizabeth Dougherty, meals to prisoners.

$15.85, Expert Auto Tire Repair Company, repairs.

$7.08, The Evening Journal Association, printing ordinance.

$6.60, The Evening Journal Association, printing ordinance.

$19.50, Thomas Finnerty, ice.

$316.50, Julius Frey, supplies.

$219.58, Gulf Refining Company, gasoline.

$18.11, Ganz & Goodman, hickory stripe.

$425.88, Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Company, register paper.

$90.17, Garfunkel Bros., supplies.

$84.50, Charles Hayes, horseshoeing.

$14.70, Harry Jasper, lamp cord.

$50.63, I. Judge, rubber mat.

$9.50, Jersey City Storage Battery Company, repairing and charging batteries.

$395.35, The Peter Jocham Company, auto repairs.

$477.69, The Peter Jocham Company, auto repairs.

$72.52, A. Kuntz, Mazda lamps.

$24.00, A. Kuntz, spark plugs.

$150.00, Etta S. Meyers, rent of stable.

$15.00, Payton & Hoos, loan of rugs and labor at review.

$25.63, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$1.94, Jos. T. Ryerson & Sons, balance due on original claim.

$2.96, Summit Cycle & Auto Supply Company, supplies.

$74.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$40.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$18.80, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

$1.75, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

$6.05, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

$86.70, Jerome O'Keefe.

$1.50, The American City.

$144 89, Charles H. Engler.

$45.90, Whipple Hardware Company.

$2.55, John S. Menagh.

$5.75, Union Printing Company.

$234.00, Union Printing Company.

$57.10, John A. Vill & Son.

$136.37, McConnell Coal Company.

$210.00, Firestone Tire and Rubber Company.

$141.70, I. Judge.

$31.75, Thomas Davis.

$20.00, C. J. Lutton.

$78.00, Valvoline Oil Co.

$726.03, Standard Oil Company.

$10.50, Standard Oil Company.

$24.35, Albert Kuntz.

$94.37, H. Jasper.

$24.00, Garfunkel Brothers.

$20.45, Garfunkel Brothers.

$19.75, Garfunkel Brothers.

$93.10, Garfunkel Brothers.

$3.95, Whipple Hardware Company.

$71.75, E. H. Barnett, Inc.

$3.60, E. H. Barnett, Inc.

$67.50, American-La France Fire Engine Company.

$5.00, S. F. Hayward & Co.

$1.48, Morris Motor Car Company.

$23.00, Fleischman Brothers.

$1.70, Splitdorf Electrical Company.

$6.00, Wedlake-Lamson Company.

$49.80, R. & L. Bearings Company, Inc.

$21.64, Jersey City Storage Battery Company.

$13.03, American Bosch Magneto Company.

$5.00, Jersey City Auto Machinery Company.

$11.16, E. A. Williams & Son.

$31.20, Jerome O'Keefe.

$7.90, Whipple Hardware Company.

$6.45, Whipple Hardware Company.

$14.41, Thomas L. Higgins.

Adpoted.

Yeas:—Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS.

From Commissioner Gannon, submitting supplemental debt statement.

Received.

From Commissioner Gannon, congratulating City Attorney Bentley and Assistant City Attorney Thomas J. Brogan for their magnificent work on behalf of the city and the hundreds of residents thereof in their successful litigation with the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company as a result of the Black Tom explosion.

Received.

From Commissioner Gannon relative to the attempt of the Public Service Railway Company to drive the jitneys out of business, and submitting a resolution directing the Corporation Counsel to take immediate steps to represent the Jersey City Jitneurs affected in this proceeding, and also to cooperate to the fullest extent with counsel for the other municipalities who have taken the same view in the matter as this city.

Received.

Mr. George Treacy, president of the Bergen Avenue Jitneymen's Association, appeared before the Board and requested advice as to what steps to take in case any of the Bergen Avenue men were served with papers in this Public Service Railway Company suit.

Commissioner Gannon assured Mr. Treacy that the Board would co-operate with the jitneymen to the fullest extent, and also advised him to present any papers that may be served on the jitneymen to the Corporation Counsel as soon as they are served.

Corporation Counsel Milton suggested to the Board that the resolution as proposed by Commissioner Gannon be changed so as to show that the city is now in receipt of considerable income through the operation of the jitneys by reason of the tax on the gross receipts of the jitneys, and the effect of any adjudication in the contest between the Public Service Railway Company and the individual defendants may be to declare that the Kates act is unconstitutional, and therefore the city has no power to license jitneys and the revenues of the city will be cut off and that for this reason the city ought to intervene in the suit.

The Board discussed the matter and agreed that the resolution be so amended as to include the suggestions of the Corporation Counsel.

Thereupon the following resolution was introduced:

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The Public Service Railway Company has commenced an action in the Court of Chancery to abolish the Jitneys in this State; and

Whereas, The Jitneys in Jersey City are a great convenience to the traveling public and have been the only medium of bringing about better trolley service in Jersey City; and

Whereas, The traveling public of Jersey City, in the opinion of this Board, desires the Jitneys to continue in business for the convenience of the riding public; and

Whereas, The City is now in receipt of considerable income by way of the franchise tax upon the gross receipts of the Jitneys, which may be cut off as a result of any unfavorable adjudication in such litigation, resulting in money loss to the City; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel of Jersey City and his assistants be directed by this Board to take immediate and appropriate action to intervene in the suit now pending against the Jitneurs in Jersey City and to lend their fullest co-operation to the other municipalities in this State which will be likewise affected if the latest move by the Public Service is successful.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer and approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form for regulating and paving with sheet asphalt on concrete base the roadway of Van Winkle avenue, from Liberty avenue to Tonnele avenue, be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer and approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form for furnishing and delivering fifteen (15) tons each water gate boxes and covers and sewer manhole frames and covers, be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer and approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form for the improvement of Williams avenue between Mallory avenue and Bennett street with asphalt be and the same are herebey adopted and ordered filed and the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer and approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form for regulating and repaving with sheet asphalt on present stone and concrete foundation the roadway of Astor place from Crescent avenue to Summit avenue; Summit avenue from Astor place to Baldwin avenue; Baldwin avenue from Summit avenue to Prospect street and Webster avenue from Prospect to Paterson plank road (excepting such portions now paved with sheet asphalt and asphalt block pavement) be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer and approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form for the improvement of Congress street between Summit avenue and Paterson plank road (excluding such portion as lies between the tracks) with old Belgian block pavement, be and they are hereby adopted and ordered filed and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, contract for furnishing all labor and material required to replace present 12-inch and 16-inch cement pipe on Communipaw Avenue, with 20-inch cast iron pipe from Canal Bridge to Central Railroad of New Jersey, and from Central Railroad of New Jersey to Phillip Street, be and the same is hereby awarded to Bernard Gannon & Son, at the price named in their proposal, namely, one hundred and five per cent. (105 per cent.) of the Standard there being no lower bid; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance for the relief of Thekla Ackert in relation to encroachment of building situated on the easterly side of Storms Avenue, in the city of Jersey City.

Whereas, It has been reported to the Mayor and the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City by the petition of Thekla Ackert that there is erected a certain brick building on the lands of the said Thekla Ackert, situated on the easterly side of Storms Avenue, and being known as lot lettered "T" in City Block 1905½ upon the official assessment map of Jersey City, which said building encroaches along and beyond the building line of the said Storms Avenue, as follows:

Beginning at a point where the southerly line of the brick building known as No. 108 Storms Avenue is intersected by the easterly line of Storms Avenue, which point is fifty and thirteen one-hundredths (50.13) feet northerly from the northerly line of Monticello Avenue; thence westerly along the southerly line of said building seventy-eight one-hundredths (.78) of a foot to the corner of said building; thence northerly along the front line of said brick building twenty-four and seventy-five one-hundredths (24.75) feet to the corner of said building; thence easterly along the northerly line of said building sixty-three one-hundredths (.63) of a foot to the easterly line of Storms Avenue; thence southerly along the easterly line of Storms Avenue twenty-four and seventy-five one-hundredths (24.75) feet to the southerly side of said building and the point or place of beginning, as will more fully appear by a certain survey made by Frederick Dunham and dated January 27th 1919, copy of which survey is attached to the petition of the said Thekla Ackert, on file in the office of the City Clerk of Jersey City; and

Whereas, The said petition of Thekla Ackert prays for permission to maintain the aforesaid encroachment, and a public hearing having been held thereon after due notice of the same given in accordance with the statute, and there being no objection thereto;

Now, Therefore, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That permission be and the same is hereby granted to the said Thekla Ackert, her heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, to maintain the said building now erected on the said land as the same now stands, insofar as it relates to the aforesaid encroachment, until such time as the said building shall either be removed, demolished, reconstructed or rebuilt, at which time the same shall be made to conform with the building line as then established.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance granting permission to the Reade Manufacturing Company and United States Railroad Administration (New York Central Railroad) to lay and maintain a single spur track or switch across Seventeenth Street.

Whereas, Application has been made to this Board by the Reade Manufacturing Company for permission to lay and maintain a single spur track or switch as follows:

Beginning at a point in City Block 401 of Jersey City, just west of the easterly boundary line of Lot C in said block at the terminus of the siding or side track now erected on said lot, and thence running northeasterly in the same direction or nearly the same as the said present side track from its present terminus, to and across Seventeenth Street as laid out to the southerly line of Lot A in Block 402 in said City, being a distance of sixty-three and five-tenths (63.5) feet more or less;

And Whereas, A similar privilege has heretofore been granted to Proctor Bros., but such permission is deemed unavailing to the above-named applicant because it was not granted to the heirs, successors and assigns of said Proctor Bros.; and

Whereas, Due notice of said application was given according to law and a public hearing was held on said application on the Sixteenth day of December, 1919, at which no one appeared to object to the granting of said application, and it appearing to be advantageous to the City to grant such application, and the United States Railroad

Administration (New York Central Railroad) having joined therein;

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

1. Permission is hereby granted to the Reade Manufacturing Company or their assigns and to the United States Railroad Administration (New York Central Railroad) to lay and maintain for a period of twenty (20) years from and after the passage of this ordinance a single spur track or switch as follows:

Beginning at a point in City Block 401 of Jersey City, just west of the easterly boundary line of Lot C in said block at the terminus of the siding or side track now erected on said lot, and thence running northeasterly in the same direction or nearly the same as the said present side track from its present terminus, to and across Seventeenth Street as laid out to the southerly line of Lot A in Block 402 in said City, being a distance of sixty-three and five-tenths (63.5) feet more or less.

2. Said track shall be of the standard type of T rail and shall be laid in a manner satisfactory to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements of Jersey City. The surface of the said streets, after said sidings shall have been installed, shall be restored to the condition in which the same now are. The beneficiaries of this ordinance shall maintain the pavement of said streets between the rails and for a distance of eighteen (18) inches on either side thereof in a condition satisfactory to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements. If at any time during the continuance of this ordinance the type or character of pavement of said streets be changed, the beneficiaries hereof shall upon notice from the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements proceed to lay between the points stated such new type of pavement.

3. If in the doing of the work provided for hereunder any sewers, water pipe or other sub-surface structure of Jersey City shall be injured or damaged, same shall be repaired at the expense of the beneficiaries hereunder.

4. For the privilege hereby granted, the beneficiaries shall pay annually to the City of Jersey City the sum of One hundred ($100.00) Dollars, semi-annual payments of which shall be made on the first day of July and January in each year.

5. All costs and expenses incident to the introduction, passage and publication of this ordinance shall be paid by the Reade Manufacturing Company, and such amount therefor as is estimated by the Clerk of this Board to be necessary shall be deposited with that officer on demand.

6. This ordinance shall not take effect until there shall have been filed with the City Clerk a written acceptance in the manner required by law.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following votes:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen :

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and OBrien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, The City of Jersey City owns and controls a six and eight-inch cast iron water pipe in Caven Point Avenue from Claremont Station to the Eagle Works of the Standard Oil Company and said pipes not only supplied the said Company, but also Fort Wood, in the New York Harbor, with water; and

Whereas, Due to the increased consumption at the Works and the Fort, it became necessary to install a larger water main, sixteen inches in diameter; and

Whereas, The City attempted, through its Department having charge of Water Works, to lay said main and found that, during the course of construction, it was not able to cope with conditions met; and

Whereas, In order order to facilitate the doing of the work, and securing an additional supply of water as soon as possible, the Standard Oil Company, through its Superintendent of the Eagle Works, offered to furnish such labor and materials as they had, and to bear one-half of the cost thereof; and

Whereas, In order to construct said pipe under the tracks of the Central Railroad Company, it was deemed advisable to have the railroad company take care of this construction because of the extra hazardous work, the cost of which exceeded the sum of $500.00; and

Whereas, The Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, under whose jurisdiction such matters come, thought that this was good business, and therefore, permitted said companies to assist in the laying of said larger water main; and

Whereas, The doing of this work and the necessity of same would not permit of the ordinary delay in advertising for bids, as required by law; and

Whereas, This Board is of the opinion that an exigency existed, such as is comprehended under the provisions of Chapter 168 of the Laws of 1899; therefore be it

Resolved, That this Board declares such an exigency existed and hereby confirms the action of said Director, provided, however, that the cost of the work does not exceed the sum of $7500.00.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, By the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City:

1. The Bonds authorized by "An Ordinance appropriating $1,500,000 for the Jersey City Hospital, and authorizing Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City to meet said appropriation," finally adopted June 1, 1920, shall be in substantially the following form:

No.......... $............

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,
STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
CITY OF JERSEY CITY.

TEMPORARY IMPROVEMENT BOND.

The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, a Municipal Corporation of the State of New Jersey, for value received promises to pay to the bearer, or if this bond be registered to the registered holder hereof, six years from the date hereof, the sum of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000), together with interest thereon at the rate of six per centum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of June and December in each years upon presentation and surrender of the annexed coupons as they severally become due, or if this bond be registered as to both principal and interest then to the person in whose name it is registered. Both principal and interest of this bond are payable in gold coin of the United States of America of or equal to the present standard weight and fineness at the office of the Treasurer of the City of Jersey City.

This bond may be registered as to principal by the holder in his name on the books of the City of Jersey City, kept in the office of the City Comptroller, and such registration shall be noted hereon, after which no valid transfer hereof shall be made except upon said books until after registered transfer to bearer. Such registration shall not affect the negotiability of the coupons which shall pass by delivery. At the request of the holder this bond will be converted into a bond registered as to both principal and interest, and the coupons annexed hereto detached and cancelled and thereafter both principal and interest will be payable to the persons in whose name it is registered.

This bond is issued for the purpose of temporarily financing the following: Improvements to the Jersey City Hospital, such improvement not being current expenses.

This bond is issued by virtue of an ordinance of the City of Jersey City finally adopted on the first day of June, 1920, and published as required by law, and in pursuance of an Act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled:

"An Act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township, or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March 22, 1916, constituting Chaper 252 of the Pamphlet Law of 1916 as amended.

It is hereby certified and recited that all conditions, acts and things required by the Constitution and statutes of the State of New Jersey to exist, to have happened and to have been performed, precedent to and in the issuance of this bond exist, have happened and have been performed, and that this bond, together with all other indebtedness of said city, is within every debt and other limit prescribed by the Constitution and laws of said State.

In witness whereof, the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City have caused this bond to be signed by its Acting Mayor and its Deputy Comptroller and to be attested by its City Clerk, and the annexed coupons to be signed with the fac-simile signature of said Deputy Comptroller the first day of June, 1920.

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Acting Mayor.

Attest:

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City Clerk.

....

Deputy Comptroller.

FORM OF COUPON.

No......... $30.00.

The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, a municipal corporation of the State of New Jersey, will pay to the bearer on the first day of.............. 19...., thirty dollars ($30.00) in gold coin of the United States of America of or equal to the present standard of weight and fineness, at the office of the Treasurer of said city, being six months' interest then due on its Temporary Improvement Bond. No......., dated June 1, 1920.

....

Deputy Comptroller.

(Certificate of Registration.)

I hereby certify that at the request of the holder of the within bond for its conversion into a bond registered as to both principal and interest, I have this day cut off and destroyed ...... coupons attached thereto, numbered from .... to ...., inclusive, of the amount of............ .... dollars ($.........) each, amounting in the aggregate to........ ....dollars ($........), and that the within bond is hereby converted into a registered bond with the principal thereof and semi-annual interest thereon payable to........... ...., assignee or legal representative.

Dated ...., 19.....

....

Date of Registration	Name of registered holder	Registered by
....	....	....
....	....	....
....	....	....

2. The award by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance of said bonds to...................... .... of .... at .... and accrued interest is ratified and confirmed.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing $2,833.00 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the city of Jersey City.

RECITALS.

Whereas, The city of Jersey City has

heretofore authorized the acquisition by condemnation proceedings of lots 4 and C in block 1804, located at the northwest corner of Bergen and Clinton Avenues, for a site for the erection of a building for the Bergen Branch Free Public Library, and Temporary Improvement Bonds in the amount of $13,500.00 have been issued for said purpose and are now outstanding, and the sum of $2,833.00 in addition to the sum heretofore appropriated is necessary for the acquisition of said site, and

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. For the completion of the improvement heretofore recited the sum of $2,833.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated.

Section 2. That pursuant to the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled "An Act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness of county, city, borough, village, town, township, or any municipality governed by an Improvement Commission," approved March 22, 1916, as amended, and for the purpose of meeting said appropriation the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do and they hereby authorize and direct that Temporary Improvement Bonds in the sum of $2,833.00 be issued, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum; said bonds shall mature in not exceeding six years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out and shall be signed by the Mayor or Acting Mayor and the Comptroller or Deputy Comptroller, and attested by the City Clerk or Acting City Clerk.

Section 3. Said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall state that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing the acquisition of the site for the Bergen Branch of the Free Public Library, and other matters in respect of the issuance of said bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Section 4. That the said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be paid or funded within six years after the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out.

Section 5. That the interest on said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be raised in the annual tax levy.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing $2,830.00 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City.

RECITALS.

Whereas, The City of Jersey City has heretofore authorized the acquisition by condemnation proceedings of Lots 29, 30, 31 and 32, in Block 378, Bright Street, for a site for the erection of a new repair shop for the Fire Department, and temporary improvement bonds in the amount of $4,500.00 have been issued for said purposes and are now outstanding, and the sum of $2,830.00 in addition to the sum heretofore appropriated is necessary for the acquisition of said site, and

Now therefore the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. For the completion of the improvement heretofore recited the sum of $2,830.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated.

Section 2. That pursuant to the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled "An Act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness of County, City, Borough, Village, Town, Township, or any municipality governed by an Improvement Commission," approved March 22, 1916, as amended, and for the purpose of meeting said appropriation the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do and they hereby authorize and direct that temporary improvement bonds in the sum of $2,830.00 be issued, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed six per cent. per annum, said bonds shall mature in not exceeding six years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out, and shall be signed by the Mayor or Acting Mayor and the Comptroller or Deputy Comptroller, and attested by the City Clerk or Acting City Clerk.

Section 3. Said temporary improvement bonds shall state that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing the purchase of site for repair shop in Bright Street and other matters in respect of the issuance of said bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Section 4. That the said temporary improvement bonds shall be paid or funded within six years after the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out.

Section 5. That the interest on said temporary improvement bonds shall be raised in the annual tax levy.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing $3,000.00 emergency bonds of the City of Jersey City.

RECITALS.

Whereas, In pursuance of Chapter 152, P. L. 1917, approved March 27, 1917, as amended, the Governing Body of the Municipality is empowered to provide for the celebration at public expense of any public event, anniversary, or holiday; and

Whereas, Committees representing Veterans of the Wars of the U. S. have requested this Board to co-operate with them in a great demonstration to be held on Monday, May 31, 1920, and it is the desire of this Board to co-operate with the said Veteran Committee; and

Whereas, The City is without funds to meet the necessities and conditions created thereby;

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That for the purpose of covering the expenses of holding a celebration in co-operation with the Veterans of the Wars of the U. S. on Monday, May 31, 1920, the sum of $3,000.00 be and the same is hereby appropriated.

Section 2. That pursuant to the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled "An Act concerning Municipal and County Finances," approved March 28, 1917, as amended, and for the purpose of meeting said appropriation this Board authorizes and directs that $3000.00 Emergency Bonds be issued, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 4 per cent. per annum, said Bonds shall mature on December 31, 1921, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment, and shall be signed by t he Mayor or Acting Mayor and the Comptroller or Deputy Comptroller and attested by the City Clerk or Acting Clerk.

Section 3. The said Emergency Bonds shall state that they are issued for a Memorial Day Celebration, May 31, 1920.

Section 4. That the principal and interest of said Emergency Bonds shall be raised in the annual Tax Levy.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the folloing vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing $4,750.00 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners for the furnishing and delivering of coal to Municipal Buildings, for the period from June 1, 1920, to March 31, 1921; and

Whereas, The bid of R. H. Perry & Company was the only bid received; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for the furnishing and delivering of coal to Municipal Buildings, as per specificaton, be and is hereby awarded to R. H. Perry & Company, at the prices named in his bid, and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for same.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, Fireman Augustus Buckingham, Engine Company No. 3, has made application to be retired; and

Whereas, Under the law he is qualified to be retired, having served more than forty-two years, and having passed the age of fifty years; therefore be it

Resolved, That Fireman Augustus Buckingham be retired upon half pay, to take effect July 1st, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission having certified the names of Joseph E. Kennelly, 601 Grove Street, and John McHugh, 244 York Street, as eligible for appointment as chauffeurs at the Jersey City Hospital; therefore be it

Resolved, That Joseph E. Kennelly and John McHugh be and they hereby are appointed chauffeurs at the City Hospital at an annual salary of $1600 each, said appointments to take effect immediately.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien

Nays: None.

At this time Mr. Willard Stanton, Manager of the Jersey City Chamber of Commerce appeared before the Board and discussed the matter of reestablishing the public farmers' markets along the same lines as last year. He stated that the Women's Club and the several civic organizations of the City were behind the movement, and also that he has received several applications from farmers who are desirous of coming to these markets to sell their merchandise. He stated that for this year, in accordance with the demand of the people, markets should be established at the following locations: Newark Avenue and Jersey Avenue, Jewett and Summit Avenues, these two being the same as last year; a new market at Hoboken Avenue and Oakland Avenue; and last year's location at Bowers Street and Central

Avenue be changed to Central Avenue and Booraem Avenue, the markets to open on June 19, 1920, and to operate on the same plan as last year.

The Board discussed the matter at length and in conclusion the following resolution was introduced:

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, This Board by resolution adopted at the meeting held June 24, 1919, directed that public markets shall be established at the corner of Newark Avenue and Jersey Avenue, and

Whereas, This market met with unqualified success, and it is the opinion of this Board that it should be re-established for the year of 1920, and that for public convenience additional sites should be located, therefore be it

Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements be empowered to grant permits to hold Farmers' Markets at the following locations: At the Junction of Newark Avenue and Jersey Avenue—at the junction of Summit Avenue and Jewett Avenue—at the corner of Hoboken Avenue and Oakland Avenue—and at the corner of Central Avenue and Booraem Avenue, said markets to start on June 19, 1920; and that said permits when granted to farmers shall be referred to the Superintendent of Weights and Measures of Jersey City, and shall be subject to the rules and regulations as set forth in resolution adopted by this Board on June 24, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner O'Brien the Board adjourned.

Approved.

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
CHARLES F. X. O'BRIEN,
Commissioners.

FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF JUNE 15, 1920

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, on Tuesday, June 15, 1920, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Absent: Mayor Hague (excused).

In the absence of Mayor Hague, Commissioner James F. Gannon, Jr., Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and Vice-Mayor, presided.

RECEPTION OF BIDS.

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for furnishing material and labor, the City Clerk called for bids, with the following result:

STEEL SHELVING, COLLECTORS' OFFICE.

No bids received.

WOODEN FENCE, MONTGOMERY PARK FIELD.

1. E. J. Flaherty Contracting Company, $14,900.00, with surety company bond.
2. L. W. Goodman, $15,100.00, with freeholder surety bond.
3. Dennis J. Cummings, Inc., $17,350.00, with surety company bond.
4. Graham Van Keuren, $15,956.00, with surety company bond.
5. Joseph Ledger, $12,587.40, with freeholder surety bond.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received opened and read and referred to the Director Department of Parks and Public Property for investigation and recommendation.

FRANCHISE HEARINGS.

The hearing on the following described applications for franchise privileges: Armour & Co., construct coal hoppers, 18th and Coles Streets; Armour & Co., tracks, Monmouth and 17th Streets; Armour & Co., construct loading platforms, 17th and Coles Streets, and the City Clerk having published, as required by law, notice that the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City will consider the final passage of the above described ordinances, the City Clerk called for anyone who might desire to protest against any of the above described ordinances. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the ordinances were referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

CITY ORDINANCES.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the final passage of the following described ordinances: "An ordinance to provide for making private connections with sewer, gas or water mains or conduits for wires in Mallory Avenue, between Clendenny Avenue and Communipaw Avenue"; "An ordinance appropriating $47,500 for an improvement to the water supply of Jersey City and authorizing temporary improvement bonds of the city to meet said appropriation," the City Clerk called for anyone who might desire to protest against the passage of any of the above described ordinances. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the passage of any of the above described ordinances.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the ordinances were referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications: A. Lebow, permission to remove present store front and build new show window, No. 128 Newark Avenue; Jake Engel, erect electric sign to extend seven feet beyond building line, No. 648 Newark Avenue, the City Clerk called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of any of the above described applications. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against any of the above described applications.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to A. Lebow to remove present store front and build new show window to present store, remove present post and set new girder across front of No. 128 Newark Avenue, as shown on plans attached to application;

Further Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Jake Engel to erect electric sign to extend seven feet from building line at No. 648 Newark Avenue, as shown on blueprint attached to application;

Further Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From residents and taxpayers of the West Bergen section of Jersey City, protesting against the continued operation of the manufactories of the Benzo Chemical Co. and the Thomas Henderson Co., located respectively at No. 400 and 402 Claremont Avenue, Jersey City, stating that the continued operation of these plants will tend greatly to impair and depreciate the values of properties adjacent or contiguous thereto and constitute a menace to the health and welfare of the community.

Received and referred to the Director Department of Public Affairs for immediate investigation.

From R. Panza and J. Puglia, requesting permission to erect three garages, one in each cellar of No. 170-170A-172 Manhattan Avenue.

Received.

From Grodjisk & Klie, requesting permission to alter present three-story frame store and dwelling Nos. 580-582 Newark Avenue.

Received.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS:

From Commission on Building Districts and Restrictions, advising the Board that they have reconsidered the zoning of both sides of the Boulevard from Newark Avenue to the centre line of the Pennsylvania Railroad, and recommended that these streets be designated "Business," instead of "Residential."

Received and ordered to take the customary procedure in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Board of Commissioners governing such matters.

From City Clerk Frank A. Dolan, advising the Board that he will be absent from the city for some time, and that he has designated Harry J. Mauchet as Acting City Clerk.

Received.

From Board of Engineers Jersey City Development Plan, submitting resolution passed by their Board on May 3, 1920, also plan tentatively fixing the traffic routes for the proposed vehicular tunnel between New York and New Jersey.

Mr. Willard Stanton, Manager of the Jersey City Chamber of Commerce, appeared in connection with the foregoing communication and discussed with the Board the proposed route as suggested and also the matter of widening of the streets adjacent to the proposed tunnel entrance and exit.

After discussion the communication

and plan were referred to Commissioner Fagen for investigation and report.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawan in favor of the following named persons, in the amounts indicated:

$455, American Creosoting Company, blocks.

$714.86, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$50, Engineering Supply Company, cement.

$30.45, Louis Frey, blue prints.

$19, Charles F. Hansen, supplies.

$291.24, James P. Hall, Inc., supplies.

$32, Charles Hayes, horseshoeing.

$174.49, Jersey City Lumber Company, supplies.

$195.30, the Peter Jocham Co., supplies.

$20, Jersey City Horse Manure Co., services.

$123.59, the New York Blue Print Paper Co., supplies.

$8.20, New York Telephone Co., service.

$78, James Sweeney, horseshoeing.

$65, J. F. Sullivan, horseshoeing.

$90, Stillman & Van Siclen Chemical Laboratory Co., Inc.

$500, A. Steiert & Son, supplies.

$980, A. Steiert & Son, supplies.

$1,384.60, A. Steiert & Son, supplies.

$207.56, Stillman & Van Siclen Chemical Laboratory Co., Inc.

$7.50, Union Printing Co., supplies.

$24.50, Union Printing Co., supplies.

$24.50, Union Printing Co., supplies.

$33, Union Printing Co., supplies.

$7.45, Union Towel Supply Co., service.

$7.35, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$84.65, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$189.25, Ajax Insurance Company, insurance.

$120.75, Boonton Feed & Supply Co., supplies.

$12.15, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$36, Crandall Packing Company, supplies.

$23.30, Crescent Automobile Co., supplies.

$3, W. L. Doremus, horseshoeing.

$4, W. L. Doremus, repairing wagon.

$190, Dispatch Printing Company, printing.

$28, W. H. Dikemann, refund.

$348.25, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., supplies.

$40, Geo. Estler, hauling car bleaching.

$73.74, the East Jersey Water Company, emergency supply.

$13.50, Massimo Fiore, ice.

$2.15, Louis Frey, blue prints.

$31.75, Hudson Real Estate Co., insurance.

$53, Hudson Real Estate Co., insurance.

$107.08, Keegan Garage, supplies.

$56, Library Bureau, steel legan unit.

$59.98, Mutual Iron Works, repairs and supplies.

$6.20, Nathan & Co., supplies.

$46.26, J. H. Ohmer, supplies.

$667.76, Pennsylvania Salt Mfg. Co., supplies.

$60.32, Pennsylvania Salt Mfg. Co., supplies.

$11.35, George Renker, refund.

$3, Ella Simms, refund.

$202.50, August Spindler, supplies.

$31.62, The Texas Co., supplies.

$12.50, Union Printing Co., supplies.

$5, Voorhees Rubber Mfg. Co., supplies.

$430.95, Whipple Hdw. Co., supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$193, A. J. Doan & Son, stationery.

$65, J. W. Greene, Inc., furniture.

$62, J. W. Greene, Inc., furniture.

$17, West Publishing Co., books.

$10.42, N. Y. Telephone Co., phone services.

$1.65, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$26.40, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$106.95, Universal Tire Repair Co., auto supplies.

$230, Union Printing Co., printing.

$25.40, Kelly's Garage, storage and supplies.

$29.40, Lewis Max & Sons, glass.

$13.43, E. B. Haskins, stationery.

$19.12, Hulse & Allen, services.

$45.09, Powers Photo Engraving Co., photographs.

$58, Union Printing Co., printing.

$18.25, Library Bureau, supplies, filing cabinet.

$12.70 Merchants' Mfg. Exchange of N. Y., electric service.

$28.75, T. A. & E. J. O'Keefe, stationery.

$7.08, Evening Journal, advertising.

$53, Nelson R. Vanderhoff Co., 15 canvas bags.

$44, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$73, Union Printing Co., printing.

$8.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$10, Union Printing Co., printing.

$66, Union Printing Co., printing.

$66, Union Printing Co., printing.

$71.40, The Bond Buyer, advertising.

$16.58, Kueffel & Esser Co., draftsman's supplies.

$5, Underwood Typewriter, rental.

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$52, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$11.97, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$6.60, Evening Journal, advertising.

$3.80, Louis Frey, services.

$6.60, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$60.32, Keuffel & Esser Co., draftsman's supplies.

$7.68, Evening Journal, advertising.

$3, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$165, C. S. Hammond & Co., 3,000 copies of map.

$25, William Birns, furniture.

$93.25, Underwood Typewriter Co., typewriter.

$42.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$13.83, New York Tel. Co., services.

$12.32, Lexington Auto Tire Co., supplies.

$30.50, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.

$4.85, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.

$108, Hudson Observer, advertising

$125, James E. Pope, rent.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore & O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons, in the amounts indicated:

$273.00, J. C. Lumber Co., lumber.

$762.30, Nathan & Co., playground appliances.

$24.00, S. Miller, sockets.

$45.80, Lexington Auto Tire Co., tire.

$5.00, Fleischman Bros. repairs and tire.

$107.20, J. C. Lumber Co., lumber.

$18.00, Al Kuntz, lamps.

$125.00, Hartung Bros., seed.

$40.00, Washburn Bros., grit.

$85.50, W. J. Coleman, cable.

$20.35, John P. Landrine, hardware.

$25.00, George H. Aspinwall, soap.

$1.95, John P. Landrine, hardware.

$46.00, Smith & Kelleher, insurance.

$6.96 Hudson Observer advertisement.

$49.95, Public Service Gas Co., service.

$135.70, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$208.25, Nathan & Co., playground appliances.

$4.75, Junction Milling Co., lumber.

$40.39, Adam Ruby, insurance.

$1.00, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$38.70, New York Telephone Co., service.

$57.79, Public Service Gas Co., service.

$186.32, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$18.06, New York Telephone Co., service.

$2.18, Whipple Hardware Co., hardware.

$21.35, Whipple Hardware Co., hardware.

$6.10, John P. Landrine, hardware.

$13.50 John A. Ward, plumbing repairs.

$1.50, Whipple Hardware Co., nails.

$16.00, Whipple Hardware Co., brush.

$416.64, J. M. Thornburn & Co., seed.

$10.00, Whipple Hardware Co., rope.

$3.64, J. P. Landrine Co. hardware.

$8.50, John J. Corcoran, plumbing repairs.

$9.00 Henry J. Reitze, brackets.

$18.50, John A. Ward, plumbing repairs.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named parties for the following amounts and purposes as hereinafter set forth:

$15.44, Carscallen & Cassidy.

$125.00, Jersey City Horse Manure Co.

$25.00, A. Kuntz.

$10.50, A. Kuntz.

$56.64, Walter J. Coleman.

$65.52, Walter J. Coleman.

$6.43, American Bosch Magneto Co.

$88.00, American-La France Fire Engine Co.

$484.00, S. F. Hayward & Co.

$69.25, S. F. Hayward & Co.

$496.00, The Peter Jocham Co.

$299.32, The Peter Jocham Co.

$498.50, The Peter Jocham Co.

$48.50, John Brennen.

$63.00, James Coleman.

$109.88, Wm. McKittrick.

$114.20, Public Service Gas Co.

$149.70, Public Service Electric Co.

$6.00, Public Service Electric Co.

$35.63, Public Service Electric Co.

$4.00 Public Service Electric Co.

$90.00, W. A. Barclay, installing water heater.

$9.50, Charles F. Hansen, supplies.

$6.24, Hudson Observer, printing ordinance.

$116.05, Hendee Manufacturing Co., motor cycle parts.

$80.00 Minnie Heitzman, meals to prisoners.

$12.50, A. Kuntz, supplies.

$24.00, A. Kuntz, mazda bulbs.

$80.05, F. Russell Lyman, supplies.

$128.42, New York Telephone Co., service.

$12.00, The National Gas Governor Co., rental gas regulators.

$250.42, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$122.80, Public Service Gas Co., service.

$323.00, C. D. Reese, police badges.

$480.00, C. D. Reese, police badges.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons and corporations for the amounts and purposes specified:

$17.00, Fred Decker, coal.

$15.00, B. Vitarius, supporter.

$15.00, B. Vitarius, M. D., supporter.

$6.00, Hugo Bermann, spectacles.

$423.00, A. McDonough, groceries.

$8.76, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$16.44, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$5.88, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$90.45, Alexander Morton Lumber Company, cedar.

$6.50, E. Machlett & Son, tube repaired.

$255.15, R. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$476.10, R. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$336.60, R. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$322.65, R. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$446.40, R. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$227.70, R. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$7.25, Hudson Surgical Company, instruments repaired.

$14.85, Meincke & Company, silver wire, etc.

$212.47, Meinecke & Company, instruments.

$45.60, D. Pollio, fruit.

$80.00, N. J. Window Cleaning Company, services, April.

$244.19, L. L. Croner, groceries.

$300.00, Colonial Advertising Agency, advertising for nurses.

$169.65, R. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$169.65, R. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$365.85, R. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$13.86, F. A. Van Winkle, blue cloth.

$24.31, E. R. Squibb's Sons, ether.

$14.30, Expert Auto Tire Repair Company, tubes and repairs.

$5.25, James Picker, hypo.

$192.00, C. Cohen, uniforms.

$3,613.22, L. Barth Company, beds and bedding.

$173.00, Interstate Fish Corporation, fish.

$274.92, James Picker, X-ray plates.

$59.42, D. E. Cleary Company, groceries.

$82.00, Mallinckrodt Chemical Works, drugs.

$159.27, John J. Mooney, drugs.

$7.50, Joseph H. Browne, lime.

$5.65, Jerome O'Keefe, safety pins.

$183.46, D. Pollio, fruits and vegetables.

$47.28, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

$12.50, F. B. Brill, utensils.

$165.33, D. Pollio, fruits and vegetables.

$43.75, Colgate & Company, soap powder.

$448 08, Lewis Manufacturing Company, gauze bandages.

$51.84, Otto Wilkens, drugs and supplies.

$341.30, L. L. Croner, groceries.

$370.58, Hamilton Market, meats.

$233.24, John F. Crosby, potatoes.

$58 46, Hamilton Market, meats.

$294.00, Ammon & Person, eggs.

$118.80, W. H. Walthery, meats.

$364.05, Morris Weisman, butter.

$212.51, D. Pollio, fruits and vegetables.

$8.75, Otto Wilkens, needles.

$186.25, Otto Wilkens, instruments and supplies.

$40.15, Hamilton Market, meats.

$273.76, Hamilton Market, meats.

$295.89, Hamilton Market, meats.

$36.50, Albert Kuntz, electrical supplies.

$90.00, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, antitoxin.

$10.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$65.50, Payton & Hoos, shades, etc.

$18.00, A. Ziperstein, disinfectants.

$22.23, New York Telephone Company, service.

$41.54, New York Telephone Company, service.

$22.50, Charles F. Hansen, office supplies.

$21.00, Joseph Sack, utensils.

$131.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$15.00, Alex Scott, tissue towels.

$39.75, M. Miller, supplies.

$94.75, Expert Auto Tire Company, tubes and repairs.

$88.32, Baker Linen Company, sheets and pillow cases.

$105.63, L. L. Croner, groceries.

$188.18, Keystone Dairy Company, milk and buttermilk.

$41.19, William Bill, fruits and vegetables.

$72.29, Ammon & Person, butter and eggs.

$78.12, William Bill, fruits and vegetables.

$31.95, D. C. Markus, meats.

$4.42, W. H. Walthery, meat.

$10.75, I. Britten, fish.

$40.00, L. L. Croner, sugar.

$179.06, R. H. Perry, coal.

$14.47, New York Telephone Company, service.

$39.46, Joseph T. Sack, supplies, utensils, etc.

$23.76, Henry J. McDermott, ice.

$19.30, Albert Kuntz, lamps.

$19.10, Albert Kuntz, electric iron and lamps.

$185.68, Jerome O'Keefe, dry goods.

$37.10, Public Service Elec. Company, light.

$7.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$24.00, Zelinka Company, brass nosing.

$17.75, Zelinka Company, repairs.

$29.40, Zelinka Company, scoops for baby scales.

$57.33, Albert Datz Company, printing.

$47.04, Zelinka Company, brass nosings.

$41.16, Otto Wilkens, supplies.

$13.00, Thomas L. Higgins, steel wool.

$165.50, William Bill, groceries.

$110.25, William Bill, peas.

$123.05, Thomas J. Carroll, insurance.

$14.90, Grantwood Garage, towing and repairs.

$144.00, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$3.75 Bramhall, Deane & Co., repairing filter.

$40.00, L. L. Croner, sugar.

$68.00, Henry J. Reitze, wiring entrance.

$3.00, Payton & Hoos, waste basket.

$33.64, Hamilton Market, meats.

$11.21, W. H. Walthery, meat.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

PAY ROLLS.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons whose names are annexed to the attached pay rolls, for the amounts set opposite their names, being for services rendered during the period specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That an extension of one week's time be and is hereby granted to the Commissioners of Assessments in which to complete their labors and report their determinations concerning the proposed widening of Bergen and Sip Avenues said Commissioners having made application for said extension.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance to provide for the making of private connections with sewer, gas or water mains or conduits for wires in Mallory Avenue, between Clendenny Avenue and Communipaw Avenue, in the city of Jersey City, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Whereas, The Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements of the city of Jersey City has reported that an ordinance has been introduced at a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City providing for the improvement of Mallory Avenue, between Clendenny Avenue and Communipaw Avenue; and

Whereas, There are already laid and existing in said streets sewer, gas and water mains and conduits for wires and there are building lots within said area to be improved which have no private connection with said sewer, gas and water mains or conduits for wires; and

Whereas, After said contemplated improvement to the above described area has been made no private connection with said sewer, gas or water mains or conduits for wires can be made without tearing up a portion of the proposed improvement which then shall have been completed; therefore

The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

1. That after notice shall have been served on, or shall have been given as provided by law to owners or parties in interest of lands fronting on Mallory Avenue from Clendenny Avenue to Communipaw Avenue, such owners or parties in interest shall within the time mentioned in said notice, which shall not be less than thirty days after the passage of this ordinance, cause at their own cost and expense private connections to be made between each such lot of land of twenty-five feet or less in width, owned or controlled by such parties and the sewer, gas and water mains and conduits for wires in said streets.

2. If the work of making private connections with said sewer, gas and water mains and conduits for wires shall not have been begun within the time limited in said notice then the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements shall have such private connections made and the cost and expense thereof shall be assessed upon any lands benefited.

3. All ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass: "An ordinance granting permission to Armour & Company, its successors and assigns, to construct and maintain two coal hoppers on the southerly line of Eighteenth Street, between the building line and the curb line, beginning at a point approximately 70 feet east of the easterly line of Coles Street, in Jersey City."

Whereas, Armour & Company has made application to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City by written petition, for permission to construct and maintain two coal hoppers for the unloading of coal at a point approximately 70 feet east of the easterly line of Coles Street, said coal hoppers to be approximately 12 feet deep and to extend approximately a distance of 30 feet easterly along the southerly side of Eighteenth Street and to be built between the building line and the curb line of said street and along the line of the spur track heretofore authorized by ordinance passed by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City on June 19, 1917. All as shown upon the plan annexed to the said petition, presented to and filed with this Board, and said Board of Commissioners having duly advertised the same and having held a public hearing for the purpose of receiving objections thereto and no objection being now urged against the granting of the desired permission; therefore

The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. Permission is hereby granted to Armour & Company, its successors and assigns, to construct and maintain two coal hoppers for the unloading of coal at a point approximately 70 feet east of the easterly line of Coles Street, said coal hoppers to be. approximately 12 feet deep and to extend approximately a distance of 30 feet easterly along the southerly side of Eighteenth Street and to be built between the building line and the curb line of said street and along the line of the spur track heretofore authorized by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City by ordinance passed June 19, 1917. All as shown upon the plan annexed to said petition presented to and filed with said Board of Commissioners.

Section 2. The coal hopper herein authorized to be installed shall be covered when not in use with substantial covering suitable for pedestrians and shall not be allowed to become a nuisance to the traveling public, the right being reserved by the Commission to so regulate and control the use thereof that the rights of the public will be conserved.

Section 3. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect for a period of twenty years. No work of construction shall be begun hereunder until an acceptance of this ordinance shall have been filed with this Board in the manner required by law.

Section 4. Said coal hoppers shall be built of such material and in such manner as shall be satisfactory to the Building Superintendent of Jersey City and in accordance with the requirements of the building code of said city.

Section 5. In accepting the privileges of this ordinance and the operating and maintenance hereby authorized the beneficiaries hereunder hereby agree to assume full, complete and undivided responsibility for any and all injury or damage to persons or property by reason of such operation and to hold the city harmless therefrom.

Section 6. For the privileges accorded herein, said Armour & Company, its successors and assigns, shall pay annually to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City the sum of twenty-five dollars ($25.00), which shall be paid annually to the City Comptroller of Jersey City at his office in the City Hall on the first day of July next succeeding the day when this ordinance shall become effective and each year thereafter in like manner.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance granting permission to Armour & Co., its successors and assigns, and the United States Railroad Administration, Erie Railroad Company, and Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad Company, to lay, construct, maintain and operate certain tracks on Monmouth Street extended, Seventeenth Street and Coles Street in Jersey City.

Whereas, Armour & Co. has made application to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, by written petition, in which petition United States Railroad Administration, Erie Railroad Company and Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad Company joined, for permission to lay, construct, maintain and operate a new and additional single line of track of standard gauge, to commence approximately in the center line of Seventeenth Street where the same is intersected by the center line of Monmouth Street, and to run in a general northeasterly direction to and along the northerly side of Seventeenth Street to the westerly line of Coles Street at a point about 18 feet south of the northerly line of Seventeenth street and thence in an easterly direction across Coles Street along the northerly side of Seventeenth Street, approximately 175 feet east to the easterly line of Coles Street; and

Whereas, Permission is also desired by said parties to connect the spur track heretofore authorized by ordinance passed by the Board of Commissioners on June 19, 1917, to run along the southerly side of Seventeenth Street with the spur track now petitioned for by a spur or switch to commence in the new spur track now petitioned for on the northerly side of Seventeenth Street approximately 25 feet west of the westerly line of Coles Street, and to run in a general southwesterly direction to the said spur tracks on the southerly side of said street heretofore authorized as aforesaid, at a point approximately 75 feet west of the westerly line of Coles Street. All as shown on the plan annexed to the said petition presented to and filed with the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City; and said Board of Commissioners having duly advertised the same and having held a public hearing for the purpose of receiving objections thereto, and no objection being now urged against the granting of the desired permission; therefore

The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. Permission is hereby granted to Armour & Co., its successors and assigns, and United States Railroad Administration, Erie Railroad Company, and Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad Company, to lay, construct, maintain and operate a new and additional line or tracks of standard gauge as follows, viz.:

To commence approximately in the center line of Seventeenth Street where the same is intersected by the center line of Monmouth Street extended, and to run in a general northeasterly direction to and along the northerly side of Seventeenth Street to the westerly line of Coles Street at a point about 18 feet south of the northerly line of Seventeenth Street, and thence in an easterly direction across Coles Street and along the northerly side of Seventeenth

Street approximately 175 feet east of the easterly line of Coles Street.

Section 2. Permission is also granted to said Armour & Company, its successors and assigns and United States Railroad Administration, Erie Railroad Company and the Delaware Lackawanna & Western Railroad Company, to lay, construct, maintain and operate a spur track of standard gauge upon and crossing Seventeenth street to connect the tracks herein authorized by section 1 of this ordinance with the spur track heretofore authorized by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City by ordinance passed June 19, 1917, and which connecting spur or switch is to commence in the northerly spur track herein authorized approximately 25 feet west of the westerly line of Coles Street and to run in a general southwesterly direction to the said spur track heretofore authorized on the southerly side of said Seventeenth Street at a point approximately 75 feet west of the westerly line of Coles street. All as shown on the plan annexed to the said petition presented to and filed with the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City.

Section 3. The rails shall be of the flat type and so laid in the surface of the street as not to interfere with traffic thereon. Cars shall be moved over the track crossing Monmouth street extended and Coles street in such a manner as not to interfere with traffic on said streets. Neither pedestrians nor vehicles shall be prevented from crossing the track hereby authorized by the occupation of such track by cars operated thereon for a greater period than five consecutive minutes at any time and the aggregate of any such periods shall not exceed ten minutes in any hour between 7 o'clock a. m., and 7 o'clock p. m.

Section 4. The rails hereby authorized to be laid shall be of a pattern to be approved by this Board and shall be laid at the grade of said street in such manner as to offer the least inconvenience to the traveling public, and any operation and maintenance hereunder shall, during the entire period and life of this ordinance, be subject to regulation by the properly constituted city authorities. The beneficiaries shall protect and repair, at its own cost and expense, any and all municipal property that may be injured by construction, maintenance and operation hereby authorized, but the municipal authorities shall have the right, at any time, to enter upon the roadway traversed by said tracks and examine, repair, relocate, restore and install any municipal property.

Section 5. In the operation of the tracks herein authorized, steam or electric propelling power may be used. The operation of cars over the street shall be subject to such restrictions as may be prescribed in the general ordinance covering such matters.

Section 6. While the privileges accorded are for the benefit of said Armour & Company, the City hereby reserves the right at any time during the life of this ordinance to grant similar privileges to other applicants and in so doing permit and require the use in common of afore-described tracks or any portion of them.

Section 7. Failure by the beneficiaries to comply with any of the obligations or requirements, expressed or implied, in any section of this ordinance, shall constitute sufficient reason for the revokal hereof, without prior notice, and the removal of said tracks, and any and all other obstructions on streets, presumably placed by reason of this permission, without recourse by said beneficiaries to the City for any damage of any character.

Section 8. In accepting the privieges of this ordinance and the operation and maintenance herein authorized, the beneficiaries thereby agree to assume full, complete and undivided responsibilities for any and all injuries or damages to persons or property by reason of such operation and maintenance and to hold the City harmless therefrom.

Section 9. The beneficiaries shall also pave and maintain at its own cost and expense and to the satisfaction of the proper city officials, all that portion of the street between the rails herein authorized and for a space of two feet outside of such rails the class of pavement to be determined by the proper official having charge of the streets of said City.

Section 10. (Where street is now paved.) The beneficiaries shall restore the pavement so disturbed in laying the tracks herein authorized, and maintain same at its own cost and expense and to the satisfaction of the proper official having charge of the streets of said City, said area to be that portion between the tracks and two feet outside the outer rails thereof.

Section 11. Beneficiaries shall also change the class of pavement from time to time as may be required by the proper officials of the department in charge of the streets and upon failure so to repave such portion of said streets shall pay to the said City of Jersey City the costs thereof.

Section 12. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect for a period o 20 years. No work of construction shall be begun hereunder until an acceptance of this ordinance shall have been filed with this Board in the manner required by law.

Section 13. For the privileges accorded herein, said Armour & Company, its successors or assigns shall pay annually to the Board of Commissioneres of Jersey City the sum of four hundred and eighty ($480.00) dollars, proper proportions of which shall be paid semi-anually to the Comptroller of Jersey City, at his office in the City Hall, on the first days of July and January next succeeding the day when this ordinance shall become effective and each year thereafter in like manner.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready or final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance granting permission to Armour & Co., its successrs and assigns, to construct and maintain a loading platform on the northerly side of Seventeenth Street in Jersey City.

Whereas, Armour & Company has made an application to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City by written petition for permission to construct and maintain a certain loading platform adjoining its property on the northerly side of Seventeenth Street in Jersey City, from the easterly line of Coles Street to a point approximately 200 feet east of Cole Street, which platform is to be approximately 15 feet wide, extending from the building line to the curb line.

All as shown upon the plan annexed to the said petition presented to and filed with this Board; and said Board of Commisisoners having duly advertised the same and having held a public hearing for the purpose of receiving objections thereto and no objections being now urged; therefore

The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. Permission is hereby granted to Armour & Company, its successors and assigns, to construct and maintain a leading platform adjoining its property on the northerly side of Seventeenth street from the easterly line of Coles street to a point approximately 200 feet east of Coles street, which platform is to be approximately 15 feet wide, extended from the building line to the curb line; all as above upon plan annexed to petition filed with this board.

Section 3 Said beneficiaries shall cause to be constructed on either end of said platform herein permitted, such easy steps that pedestrians can utilize for sidewalk purposes. Every care must be taken by the said Armour & Company to keep, at all times, a free and clear passage for pedestrians, so that the platform herein authorized shall not become a nuisance to the traveling public, the right being reserved by the board to so regulate the use thereof that the rights of the public will be conserved.

Section 3 This ordinance shall be in full force and effect for a period of twenty years. No work of construction shall be begun hereon or until an acceptance of this ordinance shall have been filed with this board in the manner required by law.

Section 4. Said loading platform shall be constructed of such material and in such manner as shall be satisfactory to the Superintendent of Building of this city, and in accordance with the requirements of the building code of this city.

Section 5. For the privilege accorded herein, said Armour & Company, its successors and assigns, shall pay annually to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, the sum of One Hundred and Fifty-dollars ($150.00) proper proportions of which shall be paid semi-annually to the City Comptroller of Jersey City at his office at the City Hall on the first days of July and January next succeeding the day when this ordinance shall become effective and each year thereafter in like manner.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, One Patrick McGovern is now furnishing and laying a certain 72-inch steel water main between Lyndhurst and Summit Avenue Reservoir; and

Whereas, The line of said water main, according to the plans, runs along Tonnele Avenue, passing or crossing Reserve Avenue and Manhattan Avenue; and

Whereas, The City now has a 36-inch cast iron pipe sewer laid in Reserve Avenue, and running through and into and along Tonnele Avenue and thence into Manhattan Avenue; and

Whereas, The laying of such new water main in the position called for by the plans, necessitates, in the judgment of this Board, a change in the position of said 36-inch cast iron sewer, by lowering the same on Tonnele Avenue between Reserve and Manhattan Avenues, to a depth of approximately three feet blow its present location at Reserve Avenue, graduating said lowering from Reserve Avenue to Manhattan Avenue so as to run a straight grade entering into present outlet at Manhattan Avenue; and

Whereas, In the opinion of this Board, the lowering of said sewer pipe and the furnishing of all materials and the doing of all work in connection therewith constitutes extra work under said contract and the specifications for the building of said additional pipelines; therefore, be it

Resolved, That said Patrick McGovern be and he hereby is ordered and directed to lower said sewer between the points aforesaid and as shown on the plan attached to this resolution, said work generally to embrace the excavating of all necessary material, the furnishing and construction of curve of sewer from Reserve avenue into Tonnele avenue into Manhattan avenue, said curves being constructed of concrete; furnishing of all labor incident to the lowering of the pipe in Tonnele avenue, it being understood that during the progress of the work the operation of the sewer shall be performed in a good workmanlike manner and to the satisfaction of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvement of the city, it being further understood that said work shall include the rebuilding and reconstruction of all present manholes and all present house connections; further

Resolved, That such work shall be done and paid for under the provisions of Section M of the General Specifications of such contract and specifications for the laying of such additional water main, and that the compensation to be paid for such work shall be as stated in said Section M; further,

Resolved, That a certified copy of this resolution shall be signed by the said Patrick McGovern, as his assent to the doing of said extra.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to improve all that part of Jersey City which is bounded as follows: On the north by an irregular line approximately one hundred (100) feet southerly of Grant avenue; on the south by a line one hundred (100) feet northerly of Fulton avenue; on the east by an irregular line approximately one hundred (100) feet westerly of Bergen avenue and on the west by the Hackensack River, by the construction of a system of sewers in accordance with plans annexed hereto; said system of sewers to be constructed in conformity with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917 and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

There having been introduced at this meeting by Michael I. Fagen, Director of Department of Streets and Public Improvements, an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to improve all that part of Jersey City which is bounded as follows:

"On the north by an irregular line approximately one hundred (100) feet southerly of Grant Avenue; on the south by a line one hundred (100) feet northerly of Fulton Avenue; on the east by an irregular line approximately one hundred (100) feet westerly of Bergen Avenue, and on the west by the Hackensack River, by the construction of a system of sewers in accordance with plans annexed hereto; said system of sewers to be constructed in conformity with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917 and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof."

It is hereby Resolved, That said ordinance shall lie on the table until the meeting of this Board to be held on Tuesday, June 29, at 2 p. m., at the City Hall in Jersey City; further

Resolved, That at said time and place this Board consider the undertaking of the improvement proposed by said ordinance and the said ordinance itself, and that a hearing shall be then and there afforded to all persons whose lands may be affected by, or who may be interested in such proposed improvement, both upon said proposed improvement, both upon said improvement and said ordinance; further

Resolved, That the City Clerk publish in the Jersey Journal and Hudson Observer on Friday, June 18, 1920, and Friday, June 25, 1920, notice of the intention of this Board to consider such proposed improvement and ordinance. Said notice shall be in the form attached to this resolution; further

Resolved, That on Saturday, June 26, 1920, the City Clerk shall publish in the Jersey Journal and Hudson Observer a full and complete copy of said ordinance, together with a notice of the intention of this Board to consider same at the meeting to be held on Tuesday, June 29, 1920, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon at the City Hall in Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to alter and relocate the lines of a portion of Bayview

Avenue formerly known as West Side Avenue in Jersey City, and to vacate a portion of said avenue as the same now exists."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

There having been introduced at this meeting by Michael I. Fagen, Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to alter and relocate the lines of a portion of Bayview Avenue, formerly known as West View Avenue in Jersey City, and to vacate a portion of said avenue as the same now exists."

It is hereby Resolved, That said ordinance shall lie on the table until the meeting of this Board to be held on Tuesday, June 29, at 2 p. m., at the City Hall in Jersey City; further

Resolved, That at said time and place this Board consider the undertaking of the improvement proposed by said ordinance and the said ordinance itself, and that a hearing shall be then and there afforded to all persons whose lands may be affected by, or who may be interested in such proposed improvement, both upon said proposed improvement and said ordinance; further

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Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to establish a legal grade for Bayview Avenue, formerly known as West View Avenue, and also to establish a legal grade for Culver Avenue, in Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

There having been introduced at this meeting by Michael I. Fagen, Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to establish a legal grade for Bayview Avenue, formerly known as West View Avenue, and also to establish a legal grade for Culver Avenue, in Jersey City";

It is hereby resolved, That said ordinance shall lie on the table until the meeting of this Board to be held on Tuesday, June 29th, at the City Hall in Jersey City;

Further resolved, That at said time and place this Board consider the undertaking of the improvement proposed by said ordinance and the said ordinance itself, and that a hearing shall be then and there afforded to all persons whose lands may be affected by, or who may be interested in such proposed improvement, both upon said proposed improvement and said ordinance;

Further resolved, That the City Clerk publish in the Jersey Journal and Hudson Observer on Friday, June 18, 1920, and Friday, June 25, 1920, notice of the intention of this Board to consider such proposed improvement and ordinance. Said notice shall be in the form attached to this resolution;

Further resolved, That on Saturday, June 26, 1920, the City Clerk shall publish in the Jersey Journal and Hudson Observer a full and complete copy of said ordinance, together with a notice of the intention of this Board to consider same at the meeting to be held on Tuesday, June 29, 1920, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon at the City Hall in Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance appropriating $47,500 for an improvement to the water supply of Jersey City and authorizing temporary improvement bonds of the city to meet said appropriation.

Whereas, It is necessary to replace the present twelve-inch and sixteen-inch cement water pipe on Communipaw avenue with twenty-inch cast iron pipe from the Canal street bridge to the Central Railroad of New Jersey and from the Central Railroad of New Jersey to Philip street, a distance of about 3,900 feet; now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. The sum of forty-seven thousand, five hundred ($47,500) dollars is hereby appropriated for replacing the present twelve-inch and sixteen-inch cement pipe on Communipaw avenue with twenty-inch cast iron pipe from the Canal street bridge to the Central Railroad of New Jersey and from the Central Railroad of New Jersey to Philip street, a distance of about 3,900 feet, pursuant to an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled: "An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township, or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March 22, 1916, and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto.

Section 2. In order to meet the said appropriation and temporarily to finance the said purpose, temporary improvement bonds of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City shall be issued in the principal amount of forty-seven thousand, five hundred ($47,500) dollars, bearing interest at not exceeding six (6%) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually and maturing in not more than six years after the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out. Said bonds shall recite that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing the reconstruction of a portion of the water supply system of Jersey City. The other matters in respect of the issuance of said bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, who is hereby authorized to issue and sell said bonds from time to time as the moneys are required for the purpose herein stated. The proceeds of the sale of said bonds shall be applied to the purpose for which the appropriation is made.

Section 3. Upon the maturity of any bonds issued hereunder which may be issued in such form as to mature prior to the date when said bonds are hereby required to mature, said bonds may be renewed from time to time, provided that all such renewal bonds shall mature within the period hereinabove prescribed for the bonds originally issued, and shall bear interest at not exceeding six (6%) per centum per annum. The said Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance is hereby authorized to renew the same without further authority and to determine all matters in respect of the original issue of bonds hereunder.

Section 4. The said Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance is hereby authorized to give such notice of sale of the bonds herein authorized in such newspapers as he may deem proper, or, in his discretion, he shall sell the said bonds without notice of the sale thereof.

Section 5. The faith and credit of the City of Jersey City is hereby pledged for the punctual payment of the principal and interest of the bonds herein authorized.

Section 6. The bonds issued hereunder shall be signed by the Mayor or Acting Mayor and by the City Clerk or Acting City Clerk and by the Comptroller or Deputy Comptroller of said city.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage. The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The Commission on Building Districts and Restrictions did on June 15, 1920, submit to and file with this Board its report and recommendations relative to the revision of certain map covering the zoning of district No. 1, Hudson City section, as shown in said report accompanying the same; and

Whereas, Under the provisions of Chapter 54, P. L. 1917, public notice is required to be given of a hearing to be held thereon; therefore be it

Resolved, That a public hearing be held on said report and recommendations, at the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, July 6, 1920, at 2 p. m., at which time and place all persons interested may appear and be heard respecting said report and recommendations; and further

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he hereby is authorized and directed to publish in two newspapers circulating in this City for a period of at least five days prior to the date fixed for the hearing, which notice shall state the time and place and hour for same and shall give a brief synopsis or statement of the recommendations or regulations proposed in said report.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

A petition of Armour & Co. now being filed, wherein it is alleged that certain automobiles belonging to said company were assessed for taxes for the year 1918 as follows, viz.:

The sum of $3,800.00 for one used at the company's plant at 324 Seventeenth street;

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The sum of $1,200.00 for one used at the company's plant at 408 Henderson street;

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The sum of $1,200.00 for one used at the company's plant at 408 Henderson street;

The sum of $500.00 for one used at the company's plant at 408 Henderson street;

The sum of $3,800.00 for one used at the company's plant at 408 Henderson street;

The sum of $3,800.00 for one used at the company's plant at 408 Henderson street;

And said petition alleging that said automobiles were included in the general assessment against said company for all its personal property, and that such specific assessment against said automobiles constitutes double taxation and said assessment was made in error; it is hereby

Resolved, That the said assessment against said automobiles is hereby cancelled; further

Resolved, That the City Collector correct his books accordingly.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

The petition of David Harper, of Jersey City, being now filed wherein it is alleged that certain personal property belonging to him was assessed for taxes for the year 1918 at the sum of $15,000; that such assessment was in excess of the true value of the said property and that the lien of the assessment is in question and the said petition offering to compromise by paying on the basis of $10,000; it is hereby

Resolved, That the said assessment be and the same hereby is corrected by reducing the same from $15,000 to $10,000; further

Resolved, That the City Collector correct his books accordingly.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That during the absence of City Clerk Frank A. Dolan, Harry J. Mauchet be and he is hereby designated Acting City Clerk.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, The State Civil Service Commission has certified the name of Thomas J. Hynes as being eligible for appointment to the position of Rounds-Sergeant in the Jersey City Police Department; therefore be it

Resolved, That Thomas J. Hynes be and he is hereby appointed to the full rank, title and salary of Rounds-Sergeant in the Jersey City Police Department, this appointment to be effective immediately.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, The Director of Public Safety has decided to continue to lease the premises now occupied by the Repair Shop of the Fire Department at Nos. 161, 163 and 165 Bright Street, Jersey City, for a period of two years from the first day of June, 1920, to the first day of June, 1922, at a yearly rental of thirty-three hundred dollars ($3,300.00), payable in equal monthly installments in advance on the first day of each month, with the privilege of renewal; and

Whereas, The owners of said lands desire a written lease entered into between them and the City; and

Whereas, The form of lease as submitted at this meeting has the approval of the Corporation Counsel; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said lease be and the same hereby is approved and the Mayor is authorized and directed to execute the same, and the City Clerk to affix the seal on behalf of the City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, Patrolman John O'Donnell, Second Precinct, has made application to be retired; and

Whereas, He is under the law qualified to be retired, having served more than twenty-nine years and having passed the age of fifty years; therefore

Resolved, That Patrolman John O'Donnell be retired upon half pay to take effect June 20, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, Lieutenant Frederick J. Blackshaw has made application for retirement; and

Whereas, He is under the law qualified to be retired; therefore be it

Resolved, That Lieutenant Frederick J. Blackshaw be retired upon half pay, to take effect July 15, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Whereas, The name of Miss Frances T. Farrell, of 122 Harrison Avenue, Jersey City, N. J., has been duly certified as eligible for appointment as telephone operator at the Jersey City Hospital; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said Miss Frances T. Farrell be and she is hereby appointed telephone operator at the Jersey City Hospital, at the annual salary of $900.00, payable in semi-monthly installments, said appointment to take effect immediately.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner O'Brien the Board adjourned.

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.
A. HARRY MOORE,
CHARLES F. X. O'BRIEN,
Commissioners.

Approved.
FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF JUNE 22, 1920

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, June 22, 1920, at 2 P. M.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Absent: Commissioner O'Brien and Mayor Hague (excused).

In the absence of Mayor Hague, Commissioner Gannon, Director Department of Revenue and Finance, and Vice-Mayor, presided.

IMPROVEMENT HEARINGS.

The hearing on the proposed widening of Bergen Avenue and Sip Avenue having been adjourned and continued to this time and place, and the Commissioners of Assessment having submitted a tentative schedule showing the approximate cost of the widening and the awards to be made to the property owners for the condemnation of their property in the said widening, several property owners on Bergen Avenue appeared before the Board and discussed the proposed widening.

Commissioner Fagen explained to the interested property owners the proposed benefits and awards to be made for their property, and also advised them that a public hearing will be advertised for on this schedule, at which time and place further action will be taken by the Board in the proposed widening.

Mr. Walter Dear, of the Evening Journal Association, who is one of the property owners on Bergen and Sip Avenue, offered to publish in the Evening Journal, at his own expense, a copy of the schedule as submitted by the Commissioners of Assessment.

FRANCHISE HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the application of Michael R. O'Brien, for permission to maintain encroachment on building owned by him at No. 242 Twelfth Street, the Acting City Clerk called for anyone who might desire to protest against the application. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the application.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the matter was referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

ALTERATION HEARING.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the application of Grodjisk & Klie for permission to alter present three-story frame store and dwelling, by changing entrance halls and converting second story into office purposes at Nos. 580-582 Newark Avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application, the Acting City Clerk called for anyone who might desire to protest against the application. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the application.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Grodjisk & Klie to alter present three-story frame store and dwelling, by changing entrance halls and converting second story into office purposes, at No. 580-582 Newark Avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From Lafayette Reformed Church, Jersey City, thanking the City for the services rendered by the Law Department in prosecuting their suit against the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company for damages sustained in the Black Tom explosion.

Received.

From J. Yannuzzi, requesting permission to erect one-story brick addition at No. 458 Jackson Avenue.

Received.

From L. Wahl, requesting permission to build one-story brick addition at No. 297 Jackson Avenue.

Received.

From A. R. Southworth, requesting permission to building overhead awning or marquis at No. 866-870 Bergen Avenue, and requesting temporary working permit pending final action by the Board in the matter.

Received and referred to Commissioner Fagen with power.

From Margulies & Gerstenfeld, requesting permission to build vault for coal storage under sidewalk at Glenwood Avenue, seventy-five feet east of Boulevard, and requesting temporary working permit pending final action by the Board in the matter.

Received and referred to Commissioner Fagen, with power.

From Vulcan Iron Works, requesting permission to lay, construct and maintain tracks or sidings along Hudson Street and Essex Street.

Received and referred to Commissioner Fagen.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$140.67, Allemeyer Bros., repairs.
$26.45, L. A. Bittighofer, repairs.
$732.78, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.
$4.20, Walter J. Coleman, supplies.
$52.00, Evening Journal Association, advertising.
$52.00, Hudson Observer, advertising.
$445.00, J. P. Hall, supplies.
$204.00, C. J. Lutton, horseshoeing.
$58.00, Thos. J. Miskell, horseshoeing.
$69.00, R. Stanton, horseshoeing.
$200.00, Stillman & Van Siclen Co., inspections.
$73.51, Westinghouse Electric Mfg. Co., supplies.
$21.04, Auto Car Sales & Service Co., supplies.
$23.45, Boonton Auto Garage, supplies.
$23.00, Adam Black, repairs.
$29.48, F. B. Brill, supplies.
$4.25, Blakesley Cadillac Co., supplies.
$11.80, L. Clark, repairs.
$65.63, Crandall Packing Co., supplies.
$157.03, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.
$62.75, Expert Auto Radiator Co., supplies.
$106.24, J. P. Hall, supplies.
$35.09, T. L. Higgins, supplies.
$34.80, T. L. Higgins, supplies.
$13.85, C. F. Hansen, supplies.
$94.16, N. Y. Telephone, services.
$8.10, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.
$3.00, B. Savarse, overpayment of water bill.
$103.92, The Texas Co., supplies.
$438.98, The Texas Co., supplies.
$102.00, J. C. Wolf, repairs.
$75.00, Fagan Iron Works, repairs.
$5.30, C. F. Hansen, supplies.
$276.70, P. Jocham Co., repairs.
$3.00, N. Y. Telephone, services.
$6.40, N. Y. Telephone, services.
$2.50, N. Y. Telephone, services.
$37.26, N. Y. Telephone, services.
$1,624.77, P. S. Gas Co., services.
$6.10, P. S. Gas Co., services.
$12,596.16, P. S. Electric Co., services.
$23.80, P. S. Electric Co., services.
$62.72, E. G. Ruehle & Co., supplies.
$6.00, Estate of G. Tagliabue, supplies.
$24.50, Union Printing Co., printing.
$47.55, Adam Black, repairs.
$5.50, James Coleman, horseshoeing.
$16.32, Crescent Auto Co., supplies.
$4.00, W. L. Doremus, horseshoeing.
$1.98, E. B. Dawson, supplies.
$257.04, Evening Journal Association, advertising.
$3.12, Louis Frey Co., blue prints.
$16.88, T. L. Higgins, supplies.
$257.04, Hudson Observer, advertising.
$30.50, E. Kelly, horseshoeing.
$15.76, Neptune Meter Co., repairs.
$3.00, N. Y. Telephone Co., services.

$8.02, N. Y. Telephone Co., services.

$15.70, N. Y. Telephone Co., services.

$3.20, P. S. Electric Co., services.

$1.60, P. S. Electric Co., services.

$31.10, P. S. Electric Co., services.

$39.41, P. S. Electric Co., services.

$6.15, J. H. Paul, supplies.

$1.00, H. F. Trautman, newspapers.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

Claims passed by Commissioner Moore:

$106.12, Library Bureau, index cards.

$2.50, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$8.47, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$4.30, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$1.80, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$22.88, Hudson Observer, adv.

$10.20, Public Service Elec. Co., service.

$10.20, Public Service Elec. Co., service.

$15.10, Public Service Elec. Co., service.

$1.50, Public Service Gas Co., service.

$1.96, Public Service Gas Co., service.

$1.04, Public Service Gas Co., service.

$37.50, D. S. Walton, toilet paper.

$24.20, T. L. Higgins, paint and shovels.

$9.20, T. L. Higgins, paint.

$16.56, T. L. Higgins, saw blades.

$16.00, T. L. Higgins, toilet paper and lime.

$1.20, T. L. Higgins, chalk line.

$22.50, Henry J. Reitze, lamp complete.

$8.10, Al Kuntz, elec. plates.

$21.45, Al Kuntz, conduit.

$290.00, W. A. Barclay, plumbing repairs.

$375.00, Hartung Bros., barberris.

$150.00, Hartung Bros., grass seed.

$1.28, Edward Ehrbar, steel pinion.

$282.50, Hartung Bros., flowers.

$210.00, Hartung Bros., trees and shrubs.

$379.50, William Gotthardt, flowers.

$34.00, Union Printing Co., printing reports.

$480.00, William Gotthardt, privets.

$7.85, T. H. Cunningham, saw sharpening.

$1.27, H. J. Hush, starting handle.

$14.19, Whipple Hdw. Co., ball bearings.

$15.00, Thomas Cullen, fountain repair.

$43.50, Washburn Bros., cement and sand.

$129.00, Thomas Cullen, plumbing repairs.

$11.50, Washburn Bros., cement.

$105.25, John H. Cooney, boiler repair.

$1.75, Carl Luck, door spring.

$9.20, C. Howard Slater, insurance.

$33.75, R. H. Perry, coal.

$103.90, Van Houten & Sheerwood, insurance.

$28.00, W. L. Ellis, stationery.

$152.81, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$84.00, Edward B. Haskins, music.

$95.80, James P. Hall, brick and clay.

$8.25, James P. Hall, plaster.

$12.98, James P. Hall, brick and clay.

$6.00, W. A. Barclay, plumbing repairs.

$8.50, W. A. Barclay, plumbing repairs.

$36.00, W. A. Barclay, plumbing repairs.

$14.00, W. A. Barclay, plumbing repairs.

$71.45, John J. Corcoran, plumbing repairs.

$425.00, Joseph Ledger, trap rock.

$6.00, George W. Irving, plumbing repairs.

$1,624.50, McConnell Coal Co., coal.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore, for Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named parties, for the following amounts and purposes as hereinafter set forth:

$104.00, Wedlake-Lamson Co.

$8.55, Keegan's Garage.

$69.49, Jerome O'Keefe.

$22.20, Kenneth Apolant.

$10.00, S. F. Hayward & Co.

$1.40, Commercial Acetylene Co.

$70.35, Fleischman Bros.

$9.62, Am. Bosch. Magneto Corp.

$66.87, Joseph H. Browne.

$64.68, Payton & Hoos.

$1.20, Thos. L. Higgins.

$2.62, John S. Menagh Co.

$41.07, L. J. Tonnele.

$177.30, L. J. Tonnele.

$126.00, I. Judge.

$19.60, Garfunkel Bros.

$237.42, R. H. Perry Co.

$38.86, New York Telephone Co.

$45.00, Geo. C. Krauss.

$42.00, Oscar L. Nordine.

$48.00, C. J. Lutton.

$48.00, Richard Stanton.

$9.00, The Evening Journal Assn.

$8.76, Hudson Observer.

$591.99, Carscallen & Cassidy, horse feed.

$4.50, Clifton Garage, washing auto.

$62.20, Julius Frey, supplies.

$432.18, Garfunkel Bros., wire.

$17.20, Garfunkel Bros., supplies.

$461.67, Gulf Refining Company, gasoline.

$75.00, Jersey City Horse Manure Company, removing manure from police stable.

$148.85, Lee Tire Sales Company, auto shoes.

$41.04, John S. Menagh Company, supplies.

$599.22, McConnell Coal Company, coal.

$11.00, Phinotas Chemical Company, Phinotas disinfectant.

$24.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons and corporations for the amounts and purposes specified:

$17.00, William R. Harrison, photographs.

$479.52, Mead Johnson & Co., Dextrimaltose.

$24.44, Jerome O'Keefe, muslin.

$14.08, P. Leffredo, meat.

$30.50, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$45.55, Public Service Gas Company, gas.

$2.95, C. E. Hamblen, fish.

$35.48, J. V. Calley, vegetables.

$33.30, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$8.95, New York Telephone Company, service.

$11.76, The Kleinhause Store, vests.

$53.67, Thomas Finnerty, ice.

$96.37, J. Decker, milk.

$65.26, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$68.65, Otto Wilkens, gauze bandages, etc.

$29.40, Union Printing Company, printing.

$2.50, Standard Oxygen Company, cylinder.

$18.93, Grubel & Co., Inc., drugs.

$10.00, The Exxes Laboratories, chemicals.

$42.40, Valvoline Oil Co., oil.

$65.05, Jaburg Bros., utensils.

$7.75, Morris Motor Car Company, auto repairs.

$10.50, Fleischman Bros., auto repairs.

$6.30, Joseph H. Browne, twine.

$411.00, The Kleinhause Store, pillow cases, etc.

$466.00, The Kleinhause Store, sheets.

$5.40, Hynson, Westcott & Dunning, drugs.

$13.68, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$14.16, The Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$14.52, The Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$15.60, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$88.20, L. D. Croner, sugar.

$272.45, American Auto Tire, shoes.

$21.00, Premier Meat Market, meat.

$219.13, John F. Crosby, vegetables.

$61.39, W. H. Walthery, meat.

$156.51, P. Loffredo & Bros., beef.

$341.44, General Baking Company, bread.

$139.52, Morris Weisman, butter.

$407.15, J. Decker, milk.

$358.76, Morris Weisman, butter.

$71.30, William C. Hagen, pork.

$387.21, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$321.49, General Baking Company, bread.

$1.19, Parke, Davis & Co., capsules.

$25.75, Parke, Davis & Co., caps.

$30.60, Parke, Davis & Co., drugs.

$97.00, The Kny-Scheerer Corporation, wheel chairs.

$51.30, Johnson & Johnson, catgut.

$25.20, Dennison Manufacturing Company, sputum papers.

$21.96, E. Leitz, instruments.

$19.60, C. A. Woolsey Paint & Color Company, paint.

$11.14, John P. Landrine, supplies.

$23.66, General Storage Battery Repairing Company, battery repairs.

$431.38, F. Russel Lyman, towels.

$150.00, F. Russel Lyman, gauze.

$6.10, New York Telephone Company, service.

$8.04, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$274.00, Henry J. McDermott, ice.

$264.00, Henry J. McDermott, ice.

$8.85, Public Service Electric Company, light.

$264.60, Victor Electric Corporation, X-ray plates.

$119.47, D. Pollio, vegetables.

$115.08, McKesson & Robbins, drugs.

$25.35, McKesson & Robbins, drugs.

$32.14, Charles F. Hansen, supplies.

$12.02, Charles E. Hamblen, fish.

$353.18, W. R. Holmes Company, coffee and tea.

$50.50, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$68.85, L. L. Croner, groceries.

$70.27, The D. E. Cleary Company, groceries.

$47.03, Austin, Nichols & Co., groceries.

$65.18, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$57.69, Charles R. Bard, instruments.

$179.70, P. Loffredo, meat.

$116.72, Premier Meat Market, meat.

$14.70, Ganz & Goodman, needles.

$102.54, Jerome O'Keefe, dry goods.

$29.18, The D. E. Cleary Company, groceries.

$54.39, George S. Daugherty Company, plums.

$1.05, Premier Market, meat.

$23.19, Premier Meat Market, meat.

$99.08, Hamilton Market, meat.

$21.06, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

$0.92, Public Service Gas Company, gas.

$11.68, Morris Motor Car Company, auto repairs.

$146.00, Joseph J. Maguire, burials.

$2.60, Public Service Electric Company, current.

$66.00, James Murray, shoes.

$5.12, New York Telephone Company, service.

$418.50, A. McDonough, groceries.

$54.99, William Bill, groceries.

$5.87, The Arlington Chemical Company, drugs.

$8.16, William Bill, butter.

$2.00, Charles F. Hansen, supplies.

$29.04, Hudson Surgical Company, supplies.

$17.03, William Bill, groceries.

$11.75, William Bill, groceries.

$9.50, William Bill, coffee.

$1.60, E. Walters, meat.

$4.75, General Baking Company, bread.

$7.96, Joseph H. Browne, soap.

$7.00, W. R. Holmes Company, tea.

$7.50, Standard Oxygen Company, oxygen.

$96.00, Payton & Hoos, rugs.

$436.40, Payton & Hoos, rug.

$14.40, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, antitoxin.

$10.20, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, antitoxin.

$12.64, A. Scott, auto storage.

$28.75, Aug. Kost, Jr., fitting glasses.

$137.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$29.75, Charles F. Kutscher, auto repairs.

$22.80, James Hurley, ice.

$18.40, Palisade Auto Supply Company, auto repairs.

$181.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$18.45, Charles F. Hansen, office supplies.

$29.50, Legheim Rubber Company, auto repairs.

$25.00, New York Health Department, rabies treatment.

$74.60, M. Miller, auto repairs.

$112.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$10.40, Thomas Finnerty, ice.

$11.78, New York Telephone Company, service.

$240.00, The General Fireproofing Company, cupboard.

$73.25, M. Miller, supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS.

From Commissioner Fagen, to whom was referred the application of Tony Coppolino for permission to alter building and erect garage in cellar of 276 Princeton Avenue, advising the Board that he has inspected the premises and as a result would recommend that the permission sought for be refused.

Received.

From Commissioner Gannon, to whom was referred the application of Vincenzo Albanese for permission to alter building and erect garage in cellar of No. 3454 Boulevard, advising the Board that he investigated the application and would recommend that the application be granted.

Received.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements specifications prepared by the Assistant Chief Engineer and approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel for the improvement of Cliff street between the Hudson Boulevard and Liberty avenue with old Belgian block pavement be and are hereby adopted and ordered filed and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance permitting the First National Bank of Jersey City to construct and maintain a vault under the sidewalk in front of its building on the northerly side of York street."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance for the relief of Joseph Selzer in relation to the encroachment of building situated on the southerly side of Manhattan avenue in the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance for the relief of Michael R. O'Brien in relation to encroachment of building situated on the northerly side of Twelfth street in the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance for the relief of the Lackawana Terminal Stores Company in the erection and maintenance of a shipping platform with roof covering for same at its premises situated on Provost street, Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to John Steuernagel to construct and maintain a concrete vault underneath the sidewalk in front of the premises known as 524 Mercer street, Jersey City.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to the Eagle Grocery Company to construct and maintain a reinforced concrete shipping and receiving platform situated in front of its premises on Brunswick street in Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to improve all that part of Terrace avenue between Zabriskie street and Lincoln street in the City of Jersey City by improving with bituminous concrete pavement on a concrete base, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the making of private connections with sewer gas and water mains or conduits for wires in Terrace avenue, between Zabriskie street and Lincoln street, in the City of Jersey City, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917 and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the application of Tony Coppolino for permission to alter two-story frame building, build garage in cellar, excavate for runway and build walls on side of runway at No. 276 Princeton avenue be denied.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, Specifications were adopted by the Board of Commissioners on May 25, 1920, for the furnishing and erecting steel shelving in the lower vault of the City Collector's Office; and

Whereas, The City Clerk was authorized to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith; and

Whereas, No bids were submitted at the time and place advertised for receiving same; therefore be it

Resolved, That the amended specifications and blue prints presented to and filed with the Board of Commissioners this day be and the same are hereby approved and adopted and the City Clerk be and is hereby authorized to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Vincenzo Albanese, to alter building and erect garage in cellar of two-story frame building, No. 3454 Boulevard, as shown on blue print attached to application;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the leases submitted herewith by the Director of Parks and Public Property for the renewal of leases on South Cove property with John B. Heavey and the Jersey City Dry Docks Company be and the same are hereby approved and the Corporation Attorney is hereby directed to execute the same.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners for the furnishing and delivering of coal to Municipal Buildings, for the period from June 1, 1920, to March 31, 1921; and

Whereas, The bid of R. H. Perry & Company was the only bid received; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for the furnishing and delivering of coal to Municipal Buildings, as per specification, be and is hereby awarded to R. H. Perry & Company, at the prices named in their bid, and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for same.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

At this time Mr. Willard Stanton, manager of the Jersey City Chamber of Commerce, appeared before the board to discuss the situation that arose at the Public Market at Jersey Avenue and Newark Avenue, recently, when peddlers crowded into the market space and left no available space for the farmers to come in and dispose of their wares. Mr. Stanton stated that if this practice was permitted to continue that it would educate the people to trade with the peddlers and the people would not patronize the proposed permanent market that the City is going to erect at the expenditure of a large sum of money. He also submitted a plan for the roping off of a certain portion of the market space so that farmers only could occupy that space.

After discussion Commissioner Gannon assured Mr. Stanton that the matter would be investigated and provisions made for the accommodating of the farmers in the roped-off space.

Mr. George Kleinhaus, of the Jersey City Business Men's Association, appeared before the Board also, and urged upon the Board the necessity of having the farmers' market on Newark Avenue and Jersey Avenue operate without interference from the peddlers.

In reply to a query by Commissioner Gannon, relative to the prices exacted by the farmers for their merchandise, Mr. Stanton stated that the day before the farmers hold their market, the State Board of Agriculture forwards a list containing the prices that the farmers should charge and these prices must be lived up to by the farmers, under the supervision of Mr. Wallace of the Chamber of Commerce and the Department of Weights and Measures of Jersey City.

Commissioner Gannon stated that he had received complaints about the prices charged by these farmers, and requested Mr. Stanton to send him a copy of the price list as submitted each time by the State Board, so that he could keep a file in his office and refer to it when receiving complaints. Mr. Stanton agreed to submit these lists.

At this time Commissioner Fagen advised the Board that he had served notice upon all contractors now holding contracts for work that has been started and work that has not been started for the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, that is, street paving contracts, to get busy and commence working on these contracts within five days, otherwise he would recommend to the Board that their contracts be cancelled, new bids advertised for, or have the City do the work, and hold the contractors' sureties responsible for all costs that may incur. He stated that this was brought about by the fact that on several important thoroughfares repaving work has been delayed unnecessarily and the contractors stated that they could not get material or labor to continue, but the situation has improved, other contractors being able to procure all the necessary labor and material for their work, and it is, therefore, imperative that he take such appropriate action as may be necessary to compel contractors doing work for Jersey City, to live up to their contracts and not let them go scot free.

On motion of Commissioner Moore the Board adjourned.

Approved.

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
Commissioners.

H. J. MAUCHET,
Acting City Clerk.

MEETING OF JUNE 29, 1920

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, June 29, 1920, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Absent: Commissioners O'Brien and Mayor Hague (excused).

In the absence of Mayor Hague, Commissioner Gannon, Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and Vice-Mayor, presided.

RECEPTION OF BIDS.

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for furnishing labor and material, the Acting City Clerk called for bids, with the following result:

Improvement Congress Street.

1. E. J. Flaherty Contracting Co., 139.7 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

Repaving Astor Place, Summit, Baldwin and Webster Avenues.

1. Uvalde Contracting Co., 112 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

2. W. T. S. Crichfield, 109 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

Improvement Van Winkle Avenue.

1. Uvalde Contracting Co., 120 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

2. W. T. S. Crichfield, 114 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

Improvement Williams Avenue.

1. W. T. S. Crichfield, 109 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

2. Uvalde Contracting Co., 125 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen, the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received opened and read and referred to the Director of Department of Streets and Public Improvements for investigation and recommendation.

IMPROVEMENT HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing for the purpose of considering the undertaking of the following described improvements, also for considering the ordinances covering the proposed improvements and to determine upon their adoption or rejection, as follows:

"The construction of a system of sewers within that part of Jersey City which is bounded as follows: On the north by an irregular line approximately one hundred (100) feet southerly of Grant Avenue; on the south by a line one hundred (100) feet northerly of Fulton Avenue; on the east by an irregular line approximately one hundred (100) feet westerly of Bergen Avenue and on the west by the Hackensack River, by the construction of a system of sewers in accordance with plans annexed hereto; said system of sewers to be constructed in conformity with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917 and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof."

"An ordinance to alter and relocate the lines of a portion of Bayview Avenue formerly known as West View Avenue in Jersey City, and to vacate a portion of said avenue as the same now exists."

"An ordinance to establish a legal grade for Bayview Avenue, formerly known as West View Avenue, and also to establish a legal grade for Culver Avenue, in Jersey City."

The Acting City Clerk read the public notice of hearing and then called for any one who might desire to protest against the undertaking of any of the above described improvements.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the construction of a system of sewers and the alteration and relocation of the lines of Bayview Avenue.

Mr. Rudolph Soltau, owner of property in the vicinity of Bayview Avenue, Culver Avenue, West Side Avenue and the Boulevard, appeared and stated that his property was situated in the section known as "the Creek," and that if the proposed legal grade was established it would be very difficult for him to reach his property or use it to good advantage. He did not, however, object to the streets being graded so as not to interfere with his property.

After discussion Mr. Soltau's protest was referred to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements for investigation.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen, the ordinances covering the foregoing improvements were referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

CITY ORDINANCES.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the final passage of the following described ordinance: "An ordinance authorizing $4,750.00 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City (Merseles Street opening awards) the Acting City Clerk called for any one who might desire to protest against the final passage of the above described ordinance. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of the above described ordinance.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon, the ordinance was referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

ALTERATION HEARINGS:

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following applications:

"L. Wahl, permission to erect one-story brick addition No. 297 Jackson avenue,"

"J. Yannuzzi, permission to erect one-story brick addition No. 458 Jackson avenue,"

"R. Panza & J. Puglia, permission to erect three garages, one in each cellar, No. 170, 170A, 172 Manhattan avenue," all as shown on blue prints attached to each application, the Acting City Clerk called for anyone who might desire to protest against any of the above described applications. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against any of the above described applications.

By Commissioner Gannon, for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to L. Wahl to erect one-story brick addition, 23 feet 9 inches by 45 feet by 15 feet, in rear of three-story brick and frame two-family building, rebuild stairs and store front, increasing area of frame building for commercial purposes, at No. 297 Jackson avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application; further,

Resolved, That the Superintendent of buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon, for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to J. Yannuzzi to erect one-story brick addition 8 feet by 16 feet 8 inches by 8 feet 6 inches at front of present three-story house, converting basement of frame dwelling into store, at No. 458 Jackson avenue, as shown on blue print attached to applciation; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the application of R. Panza & J. Puglia for permission to erect three garages, one in each cellar of two-story frame one-family dwellings, Nos. 170, 170A, 172 Manhattan avenue, be and the same is hereby referred to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements for investigation.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From Attorney Fred Dieffenbach, Jr., objecting to railway pole erected by the Public Service Railway Company on the property of his client, William Schefer, at the corner of Summit avenue and Sanford place.

Received and referred to Commissioner Fagen.

From the Lembeck & Betz Eagle Brewing Company protesting against the application of the Vulcan Iron Works, Inc., for permission to lay a spur track along Hudson street.

Received and referred to Commissioner Fagen.

From the Oak Contractors' Supply Co., Inc., applying for lease of plot of ground 200 feet x 200 fet adjoining the Howell Street Dock, and also portion of the bulkhead on which to erect a derrick.

Received and referred to Commissioner Moore.

From Jersey City Chamber of Commerce, submitting resolution passed by them relative to the assaults committed upon railroad company employees and requesting the city authorities to provide the fullest possible protection for the railroad employees who desire to continue their work.

Received and referred to Commissioner O'Brien.

From John Brennan requesting permission to alter building and build garage in cellar of No. 19 Wilkinson Avenue.

Received.

From Jacob Goldberg, requesting permission to alter building and build new store fronts No. 330 Johnston Avenue.

Received.

From Robert V. Smith, requesting permission to erect electric sign at No. 398 Ocean Avenue.

Received.

From New York Cloak & Suit Company, requesting permission to erect electric sign at No. 35 Kearney Avenue.

Received.

From Angelo Schifano, requesting permission to alter building and build new show window at No. 333 Fifth Street.

Received.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS:

From Board of School Estimates, submitting resolutions passed by them on June 28, 1920, determining the amounts of money necessary for the following purposes:

Additional land, Greenville High School site, $32,300.

Additional land, School No. 4, on Seventh Street, $36,900

Additional land, Lincoln High School, $21,000.

Received and referred to Commis-

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$410.28, American Creosoting Company, wood block.

$657.28, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$15.00, Albert Datz Company, supplies.

$51.94, New Jersey Car Spring & Rubber Company, supplies.

$68.50, J. H. Walton, horseshoeing.

$60.00, Stillman & Van Siclen Company, testing.

$10.00, Stillman & Van Siclen Company, testing.

$35.20, Auto Economy Company, supplies.

$21.75, L. Ausialma, refund.

$300.46, Kenneth Apolant, supplies.

$14.07, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$2.40, Walter J. Coleman, supplies.

$31.30, Walter J. Coleman, supplies.

$3.50, A. Datz Company, repairs.

$28.50, E. B. Dawson Company, supplies.

$44.60, E. B. Dawson Company, supplies.

$13.08, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$12.72, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$40.35, National Meter Company, supplies.

$7.00, James Ruggiro, refund.

$327.21, Valvoline Oil Company, supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$2.00, Evening Journal Association, Engel, sign.

$2.00, Evening Journal Association, Lebow, alter.

$22.36, Evening Journal Association, First National Bank vault.

$9.72, Evening Journal Association, Thekla Ackert, encroachment.

$15.96, Evening Journal Association, ordinance location Duffield Street Public Service Corporation.

$14.40, Evening Journal Association, ordinance Reade Manufacturing Company, siding.

$16.80, Hudson Observer, ordinance Standard Oil Company, steam main.

$2.04, Hudson Observer, Toplit, sign.

$16.20, Hudson Observer, Standard Oil Company, ordinance, culvert.

$19.76, Hudson Observer, Louis Jordan, marquise.

$19.76, Hudson Observer, Hespe Realty Company, vault.

$24.44, Hudson Observer, Colgate & Co., platform.

$17.28, Hudson Observer, location of Duffield Street Public Service Corporation.

$16.68, Hudson Observer, location of Duffield Street Public Service Corporation.

$13.92, Hudson Observer, ordinance Reade Manufacturing Company, track.

$14.40, Hudson Observer, ordinance Reade Manufacturing Company, track.

$8.76, Hudson Observer, ordinance Thekla Ackert, encroachment.

$18.72, Hudson Observer, M. R. O'Brien, encroachment.

$9.24, Hudson Observer, Theckla Ackert, encroachment.

$2.16, Hudson Observer, Engel, sign.

$2.28, Hudson Observer, Lebow, alter.

$10.68, Hudson Observer, Armour & Co., platform.

$12.72, Evening Journal Association, Armour & Co., hoppers.

$27.96, Evening Journal Association, Armour & Co., track.

$13.80, Evening Journal Association, Reade Manufacturing Company, track.

$9.12, Evening Journal Association, Theckla Ackert, encroachment.

$23.40, Evening Journal Association, Colgate & Co., platform.

$18.72, Evening Journal Association, Hespe Realty Company, vault.

$19.76, Evening Journal Association, Hespe Realty Company, awning.

$18.72, Evening Journal Association, L. Jordan, marquise.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$121.15, John H. Cooney, boiler repair.

$1.08, John P. Landrine, hardware.

$46.86, Nelson & Ward, insurance.

$6.00, American Forestry, subscription.

$216.00, Rollfs Realty Co., insurance.

$29.70, Sam Levy, bases.

$216.00, Junction Milling Co., lumber.

$225.00, Chas. F. W. Puff, roof repair.

$10.25, Sam Borsky, glass.

$54.00, Tresouthick Bros., irons.

$27.50, Leon Ervin, insurance.

$7.15, Leon Ervin, insurance.

$19.03, Lincoln Auto Repair, auto repair.

$11.79, Lincoln Auto Repair, auto repair.

$35.21, Lexington Auto Tire Co., tire.

$18.64, Chas. H. Engler, lumber.

$200.00, Carl Pinchetti, cast stone.

$53.85, George McKelvey, insurance.

$20.00, Albert Datz, printing.

$47.22, Thos. L. Higgins, wire.

$15.05, Thos. L. Higgins, wire.

$14.75, F. B. Brill, burnt umber.

$6.00, Thos. L. Higgins, paint.

$5.30, Elliott & Kiel, bolts.

$44.20, Whipple Hdw. Co., tape.

$5.50, Edgar Snell, engraving.

$45.75, Western Union Tel. Co., clocks.

$24.00, Elmer E. Williams, insurance.

$138.76, Elmer E. Williams, insurance.

$291.53, Stillman Delehanty & Ferris, dyke repair.

$303.65, Stillman Delehanty & Ferris, dyke repair.

$18.03, Whipple Hdw. Co., nails and hinges.

$6,324.66, Great Lakes Dredge & Dock Co., labor and material.

$6.60, Whipple Hdw. Co., hardware.

$20.00, Whipple Hdw. Co., sash cord.

$1.25, Whipple Hdw. Co., dowels and drills.

$3.10, Whipple Hdw. Co., catches and paint.

$27.60, Thos. L. Higgins, rakes and shovels.

$2.00, Whipple Hdw. Co., can.

$30.90, Thos. L. Higgins, miscellaneous hardware.

$450.00, Charles Campbell, sod.

$6.65, Thos. L. Higgins, hardware.

$8.85, John P. Landrine, hardware.

$3.72, John P. Landrine, hardware.

$9.32, Thos. L. Higgins, hardware.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named for the following amounts and purposes:

$102.08, Carscallen and Cassidy, feed.

$275.00, John Daly, rent Seventh Precinct.

$45.50, W. R. Harrison, prisoners' photographs.

$2.85, W. H. Owens, bandages.

$74.31, R. H. Perry Co., coal.

$11.00, Phinotas Chemical Co., disinfectant.

$310.97, T. J. Tonnelle, auto shoes.

$68.60, Union Printing Co., printing.

$42.00, Valvoline Oil Co., oil.

$22.40, J. A. Vill & Son, supplies.

$46.88, Joseph H. Browne.

$208.03, Whipple Hardware Company.

$52.84, Thomas L. Higgins.

$123.28, Julius Frey.

$45.50, American-La France Fire Engine Company.

$61.50, American-La France Fire Engine Company.

$164.04, American-La France Fire Engine Company.

$150.00, American-La France Fire Engine Company.

$21.05, Garfunkel Brothers.

$23.00, Albert Kuntz.

$410.32, Albert Kuntz.

$721.38, Standard Oil Company.

$10.50, Standard Oil Company.

$16.63, Standard Oil Company.

$5.00, Pintsch Compressing Company.

$9.00, Stewart-Warner Corporation.

$0.83, A. J. Picard & Co.

$751.38, The National Builders Company.

$16.54, F. B. Brill.

$16.88, F. B. Brill.

$40.00, Philip Gogarty.

$8.40, The Evening Journal Association.

$8.04, Hudson Observer.

$73.16, McConnell Coal Company.

$769.44, Carscallen & Cassidy.

$744.30, Carscallen & Cassidy.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons and corporations for the amounts and purposes specified:

$51.00, Eimer & Amend, instruments.

$158.00, Hudson County Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, destroying dogs.

$614.00, Hudson County Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Anivals, dog wagon service.

$28.58, John J. Mooney, drugs.

$6.00, Harvard University Press, treatise.

$121.50 Union Printing Company, printing.

$46.50, William Singler, office supplies.

$30.00, John F. McNulty, burial.

$5.75, D. Pollio, oranges.

$23.52, Payton & Hoos, chairs.

$25.00, Charles F. Hansen, office supplies.

$47.04, Albert Datz Company, office supplies.

$7.38, Emile Walter, meat.

$17.67, Joseph T. Sack, supplies.

$4.50, R. J. Fitzimmons, photo supplies.

$26.10, Premier Meat Market, meats.

$17.75, D. Pollio, oranges.

$45.55, Hamilton Market, meats.

$20.00, Metropolitan Building & Window Cleaning Company, cleaning windows.

$21.56, E. B. Skelton, muslin.

$17.32, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

$15.99, Public Service Gas Company, gas.

$28.82, Henry J. McDermott, ice.

$10.80, Charles F. Hansen, supplies.

$17.75, New York Telephone Company, service.

$113.50, R. H. Perry Company, coal.

$38.80, Public Service Electric Company, light.

$10.50, F. B. Brill, ammonia.

$21.30, McKesson & Robbins Company, drugs.

$99.71, Albert Datz Company, printing.

$16.18, Budd & Westermann, corks.

$30.17, McKesson & Robbins, Inc., drugs.

$15.80, McCloskey Drug Company, drugs.

$8.90, J. V. Calley, vegetables.

$174.30, E. Walters, meats.

$294.36, Hamilton Market, meat.

$18.52, Hamilton Market, pork.

$23.16, P. Loffredo & Bro., bacon.

$295.25, Emil Walters, meat.

$371.17, Ammon & Person, eggs.

$14.58, Emil Walters, chicken.

$92.85, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

$31.07, D. E. Cleary Company, groceries.

$305.13, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$11.55, P. Loffredo, bacon.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, There was heretofore passed on the eighth day of June, 1920, an ordinance permitting the Reade Manufacturing Company to extend and maintain a track spur across Seventeenth Street, at a point approximately 266 feet easterly from Hoboken Avenue; and

Whereas, Said company due to the shortage of labor and material is unable to have the track laid within a reasonably short time, and have requested temporary permission to lay a 2-inch pipe line across said street at a depth of eighteen (18) inches, for a period of ninety (90) days, for the purpose of loading tank cars with their produce; therefore be it

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements permission be and is hereby granted to the Reade Manufacturing Company to lay and maintain, for a period not to exceed ninety (90) days, a 2-inch pipe line across Seventeenth Street, at a point approximately 266 feet east of Hoboken Avenue, providing, however, that the said Reade Manufacturing Company will assume all responsibilities in connection with the laying and maintenance of said pipe and that, at the expiration of said ninety (90) days, shall remove the pipe and restore the street to a condition, which will be satisfactory to the proper city official.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass on first reading:

An ordinance to improve all that part of Jersey City which is bounded as follows:

On the North by an irregular line approximately one hundred (100) feet southerly of Grant Avenue; on the South by a line one hundred (100) feet northerly of Fulton Avenue; on the East by an irregular line approximately one hundred (100) feet westerly of Bergen Avenue, and on the West by the Hackensack River, by the construction of a system of sewers in accordance with plans annexed hereto; said system of sewers to be constructed in conformity with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Whereas, It is deemed advisable by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements that the lands in Jersey City, bounded as follows, viz.:

On the North by an irregular line approximately one hundred (100) feet southerly of Grant Avenue; on the South by a line one hundred (100) feet northerly of Fulton Avenue; on the East by an irregular line approximately one hundred (100) feet westerly of Bergen Avenue, and on the West by the Hackensack River, should be improved by the construction of a system of sewers.

Therefore, The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

That all the above-mentioned and described portion of Jersey City shall be improved by the construction of a system of sewers as follows:

An eighteen (18) inch vitrified pipe sewer in Stegman Street from a point ninety (90) feet west of the westerly line of Bergen Avenue to a point seven hundred (700) feet east of the easterly line of West Side Avenue; and a twenty-four (24) inch circular brick sewer in Stegman Street from said point to and connecting with sewer to be constructed in West Side Avenue.

An eighteen (18) inch vitrified pipe sewer in Audubon Avenue beginning at the easterly block line of the Hudson Boulevard, crossing the Hudson Boulevard, and to a point seven hundred (700) feet east of the easterly line of West Side Avenue; and a twenty-four (24) inch circular brick sewer in Audubon Avenue from that point to and connecting with sewer to be constructed in West Side Avenue.

An eighteen (18) inch vitrified pipe sewer in Bayview Avenue, commencing at a point one hundred (100) feet west of the westerly line of Hudson Boulevard and running to a point seven hundred (700) feet east of the easterly line of West Side Avenue, and a twenty-four (24) inch circular brick sewer in Bayview Avenue from that point to and connecting with sewer to be constructed in West Side Avenue.

An eighteen (18) inch vitrified pipe sewer in Culver Avenue, commencing at the westerly line of the Hudson Boulevard to a point seven hundred (700) feet east of the easterly line of West Side Avenue, and from that point a twenty-four (24) inch circular brick sewer in Culver Avenue to and connecting with sewer to be constructed in West Side Avenue.

An eighteen (18) inch vitrified pipe sewer in Dwight Street from a point one hundred (100) feet west of the westerly block line of Bergen Avenue to Hudson Boulevard and in the Hudson Boulevard from Dwight Street to connect with sewer to constructed in Stegman Street.

An eighteen (18) inch vitrified pipe sewer under the westerly sidewalk of the Hudson Boulevard from a point three hundred (300) feet south of Stegman Street to connect with sewer to be constructed in Stegman Street.

An eighteen (18) inch vitrified pipe sewer under the westerly sidewalk of Hudson Boulevard from a point fifty (50) feet north of Stegman Street to connect with sewer to be constructed in Audubon Avenue.

An eighteen (18) inch vitrified pipe sewer under the easterly sidewalk of Hudson Boulevard from a point two hundred (200) feet north of Audubon Avenue to a point one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet south of Grant Avenue to connect with sewer to be constructed across the Boulevard from the easterly sidewalk to the westerly sidewalk of the Hudson Boulevard at the intersection of Culver Avenue.

An eighteen (18) inch vitrified pipe sewer from the easterly sidewalk of the Hudson Boulevard to the westerly block line of the Hudson Boulevard at its intersection with the said sewer to be built in Culver Avenue and to connect with the last mentioned sewer.

An eighteen (18) inch vitrified pipe sewer under the westerly sidewalk of the Hudson Boulevard from a point about one hundred and fifty (150) feet north of Audubon Avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet south of Grant Avenue to connect with sewer to be constructed at the intersection of Culver Avenue.

A forty-eight (48) inch circular brick sewer in West Side Avenue from Pollock Avenue to Audubon Avenue.

A twenty-four (24) inch circular brick sewer in West Side Avenue from Audubon Avenue to Stegman Street.

An eighteen (18) inch vitrified pipe sewer in West Side Avenue from Stegman Street to a point two hundred and fifty (250) feet south thereof.

An eighteen (18) inch vitrified pipe sewer from a point in Carbon Place two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet west of West Side Avenue westerly through Carbon Place and lands to be acquired to connect with sewer to be constructed in Water Street.

A six (6) foot six (6) inch circular brick sewer in Fisk Street from the the westerly block line of Mallory Avenue to Water Street and in Water Street from Fisk Street to a point fifty (50) feet north thereof to connect with sewer to be constructed at this point.

An eighteen (18) inch vitrified pipe sewer in Culver Avenue from a point one hundred and ten (110) feet west of West Side Avenue to the westerly block line of Mallory Avenue.

A twenty-four (24) inch circular brick sewer in Culver Avenue from the westerly block line of Mallory Avenue to Water Street and in Water Street from Culver Avenue southerly to connect with eight (8) foot six (6) inch steel pipe sewer to be constructed at a point about one hundred fifty (150) feet south of Culver Avenue; also a twenty-four (24) inch circular brick sewer in Water Street from Carbon Place, if extended westerly, to connect with sewer to be constructed in Water Street at a point about fifty (50) feet north of Fisk Street.

An eight (8) foot six (6) inch steel pipe sewer from Water Street, beginning at a point about fifty (50) feet north of Fisk Street and running thence westerly under the Morris Canal and through property owned by the city of Jersey City to the Hackensack River, a distance of approximately six hundred (600) feet.

That the following described lands and premises are necessary for the improvement provided for herein, viz.: All that certain lot, parcel or piece of land situate, lying and being in Jersey City, Hudson County, New Jersey, and particularly described as follows:

FIRST TRACT.

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Carbon Place, at its present westerly terminus, the same being the southwesterly corner of Plot 2B, Block 1287A, City Map; thence westerly a distance of one hundred and ninety-six and twenty-four one hundredths feet (196.24) to a point in the easterly line of Water Street distant about fifty-one and ninety-six one hundredths (51.96) feet southerly from the southeasterly corner of Rowland and Water Streets; thence southerly along the westerly line of Water Street a distance of forty and fifty-six one hundredths (40.56) feet to a point; thence easterly a distance of one hundred eighty-two and forty-three one hundredths (182.43) feet to the present westerly terminus of the southerly line of Carbon Place; then northerly along the present westerly boundary of Carbon Place a distance of forty and eight one hundredths (40.08) feet to the point or place of beginning. Contains about seven thousand five hundred fifteen and thirty-one hundredths (7,513.31) square feet.

That it is also necessary to acquire an easement wherein and through which such sewer system may be laid under the Morris Canal the lands through which such easement is to run being described as follows: All that certain lot, parcel or piece of land situate, lying and being in Jersey City, Hudson County, New Jersey, particularly described, viz:

Second tract:

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of the Morris Canal, the same being distant twelve and forty-four one hundredths (12.44) feet measured northerly along said westerly line of the Morris Canal from the southeasterly corner of properly belonging to Jersey City known as Plot 1B, Block 1290½, City Map.

Thence running northerly along the said westerly line of the Morris Canal a distance of fifteen and twelve one-hundredths (15.12) feet to a point.

Thence running easterly across the Morris Canal a distance of sixty and fifty one-hundredths (60.50) feet to the westerly line of Water Street.

Thence running southerly along the westerly line of Water Street to a distance of fifteen and twelve one-hundredths (15.12) feet to a point.

Thence running westerly across the Morris Canal to a distance of sixty and fifty one-hundredths (60.50) feet to the point or place of beginning.

And annexed to this ordinance and made part hereof is a map prepared under the direction of the governing body of Jersey City showing in detail the location and dimensions of such lands so proposed to be taken and of the lands through which such easement is to run.

That said system of sewer shall be constructed and completed in a good and substantial manner in accordance with the plans hereto attached, and that said improvements shall be made in conformity with the provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917 and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof, and in accordance with specifications to be specially prepared.

The Acting City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as being ready for passage on first reading.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed on first reading and ordered to lay on the table for a period of one week to July 6, 1920, by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass on first reading:

An ordinance to alter and re-locate the lines of a portion of Bayview Avenue formerly known as West View Avenue, in Jersey City, and to vacate a portion of said avenue as the same now exists.

Whereas, Application has been made to this Board by Federal Shipbuilding Company for the alteration and relocation of the lines of a portion of Bayview Avenue formerly known as West View Avenue, in Jersey City, and for the vacation of a portion of such avenue as the same now exists, and

Whereas, It appears that it is for the best interests of the City that such application be granted;

Therefore, The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

(1) That the lines of that part of said Bayview Avenue as presently located and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the present northerly side of Bayview Avenue, two hundred (200) feet from the westerly line of Hudson Boulevard, and running thence (1) northerly forty-two degrees four minutes west four hundred and fifty-one feet more or less; thence (2) south forty-seven degrees fifty-six min-

utes west sixty feet; thence (3) south forty-two degrees four minutes east four hundred and fifty-one feet more or less; thence (4) north forty-seven degrees fifty-six minutes east sixty feet to the point or place of beginning,
be changed, altered and re-located so that the said portion of said Bayview Avenue will exist as a public street as follows:

Beginning at a point in the present northerly line of Bayview Avenue, at a distance of two hundred feet from the westerly line of Hudson Boulevard; thence (1) running to the right along a curve with a radius of seven hundred and two feet for a distance of one hundred and thirty-five feet to a point of reverse curve; (2) curving to the left with a radius of four hundred and fifty-nine feet a distance of one hundred and seventy-six feet; thence (3) north fortyseven degrees sixteen minutes west one hundred and forty-three feet more or less to the intersection with the present northerly line of Bayview Avenue; thence (4) south forty-seven degrees fifty-six minutes west sixty feet to the intersection of the present southerly line of Bayview Avenue; thence (5) in a southeasterly direction parallel to the third, second and first courses above mentioned to a point in the present southerly line of Bayview Avenue, bearing south forty-seven degrees fifty-six minutes west sixty feet distant from the point of beginning, and thence (6) north forty-seven degrees fifty-six minutes east sixty feet to the point or place of beginning.

The present location of such portion of said Bayview Avenue being shown upon blue print annexed to the petition or application of said company by straight broken lines and the re-located portion of said avenue being shown on said blue print by solid curved lines.

(2) That so much of the lands lying between the present northerly and southerly lines of said portion of said Bayview Avenue as are not included within the lines of said avenue, as hereby altered and re-located, are vacated in is hereby extinguished and terminated.

The Acting City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as being ready for passage on first reading.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed on first reading and ordered to lay on the table for a period of one week, to July 6, 1920, by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass on first reading: "An Ordinance to establish a legal grade for Bayview Avenue, formerly known as West View Avenue, and also to establish a legal grade for Culver Avenue in Jersey City."

Whereas, Application has been made to this Board by Federal Shipbuiding Company for the establishment of a legal grade for that portion of Bayview Avenue formerly known as West View Avenue which lies between the Hudson Boulevard and West Side Avenue; and the establishment of a legal grade for Culver Avenue, in Jersey City, and

Whereas, It appears that it is for the best interests of the City that such application be granted, and that the legal grade for said portion of said Bayview Avenue, and for said Culver Avenue respectively shall be established as hereinafter is provided and ordained.

Therefore, That Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

(1) That the legal grade of that portion of said Bayview Avenue which lies between Hudson Boulevard and West Side Avenue shall be, and the same is hereby established as follows:

At the intersection of the west curb line of the Hudson County Boulevard, at the grade now established for such portion of said Hudson County Boulevard; from said point to a point 860 feet westerly of said Hudson County Boulevard at a fall of 5.17 feet per one hundred (100) feet; and from said last mentioned point to the easterly curb line of West Side Avenue at a fall of .51 of a foot per hundred (100) feet.

(2) That the legal grade of Culver Avenue shall be and the same is hereby established as follows:

At the intersection of the west curb line of the Hudson County Boulevard, at the grade now established for such Hudson Boulevard; from said point to a point 500 feet westerly of said Hudson Boulevard, at a fall of 7.60 feet per one hundred (100) feet; and from said last mentioned point 300 feet westerly at a fall of 3.00 feet per one hundred (100) feet; and from said last mentioned point to the easterly curb line of West Side Avenue at a fall of .39 feet per one hundred (100) feet.

The Acting City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as being ready for passage on first reading:

The roll being called the ordinance was passed on first reading and ordered to lay on the table for a period of one week to July 6, 1920, by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, The City heretofore entered into a contract with B. Gannon & Son for the furnishing and delivering of all material and doing all the work necessary for the construction of sewers in Virginia Avenue, Ege Avenue and Clarke Avenue from a point 110 feet west of Mallory Avenue to Bennett Street and in Yale Avenue from a point 110 feet west of Mallory Avenue to Water Street in Bennett Street from Virginia to Clarke to Water and in Water to connect with sewer in Claremont Avenue.

Whereas, Due notice of more than five (5) days from the date hereof has been given the said contractor by the City to begin work and that the contract has been unreasonably delayed; therefore be it

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer and the approval thereof by the Director of Streets and Public Improvements, the Board of Commissioners hereby direct the City Clerk to serve upon the said contractor a copy hereof, that the City, through its Board of Commissioners will give a hearing to said contractor on July 6, 1920, at 3 o'clock P. M., in the Assembly Chamber, when and where he may show why his contract shall not be declared by the City to be abandoned, all according to the terms of the contract and specifications, which are more particularly set out under the heading, "If contract is not completed as per terms."

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, The City heretofore entered into a contract with William T. S. Crichfield for the furnishing and delivering of all the materials and do all the work necessary for the improvement of Jackson Avenue between Fulton Avenue and McAdoo Avenue (excepting such portions as lie between the tracks).

Whereas, Due notice of more than five (5) days from the date hereof has been given the said contractor by the City to begin work and that the contract has been unreasonably delayed; therefore be it

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer and the approval thereof by the Director of Streets & Public Improvements, the Board of Commissioners hereby direct the City Clerk to serve upon the said contractor a copy hereof, that the City, through its Board of Commissioners will give a hearing to said contractor on July 6, 1920, at 3 o'clock, P. M., in the Assembly Chamber, when and where he may show cause why his contract shall not be declared by the City to be abandoned, all according to the terms of the contract and specifications, which are more particularly set out under the heading, "If contract is not completed as per terms."

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, The City heretofore entered into a contract with E. J. Flaherty Contracting Company, Inc., for the furnishing and delivering of all material and do all the work necessary for the improvement of Tenth Street between Grove and Erie Streets, with old blocks on concrete base.

Whereas, Due notice of more than five (5) days from the date hereof has been given the said contractor by the City to begin work and that the contract has been unreasonably delayed; therefore be it

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer and the approval thereof by the Director of Streets & Public Improvements, the Board of Commissioners hereby direct the City Clerk to serve upon the said contractor a copy hereof, that the City, through its Board of Commissioners, will give a hearing to said contractor on July 6, 1920, at 3 o'clock, P. M. in the Assembly Chamber, when and where he may show cause why his contract shall not be declared by the City to be abandoned, all according to the terms of the contract and specifications, which are more particularly set out under the heading: "If contract is not completed as per terms."

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, The City heretofore entered into a contract with Graham Van Keuren for the furnishing and delivering of all material and labor necessary to repave Grand Street from Mill Creek to Westerly side of Communipaw Avenue and the southerly side of Communipaw Avenue from the westerly line of Park Street to the westerly line of Grand Street, also, Communipaw Avenue from the easterly line of Grand Street to Morris Canal Bridge.

Whereas, due notice of more than five (5) days from the date hereof has been given the said contractor by the City to begin work and that the contract has been unreasonably delayed; therefore be it

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer and the approval thereof by the Director of Streets & Public Improvements, the Board of Commissioners hereby direct the City Clerk to serve upon the said contractor a copy hereof, that the City, through its Board of Commissioners, will give a hearing to said contractor on July 6, 1920, at 3 o'clock, P. M., in the Assembly Chamber, when and where he may show cause why his contract shall not be declared by the City to be abandoned, all according to the terms of the contract and specifications, which are more particularly set out under the heading: "If contract is not completed as per terms."

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, The City heretofore entered into a contract with Uvalde Asphalt Company for the furnishing and delivering of all material and doing all the work necessary for the improvement of Eastern Parkway, from Ocean Avenue to Garfield Avenue;

Whereas, Due notice of more than five (5) days from the date hereof has been given the said contractor by the City to begin work and that the contract has been unreasonably delayed; therefore, be it

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer and the approval thereof by the Director of Streets and Public Improvements, the Board of Commissioners hereby direct the City Clerk to serve upon the said contractor a copy hereof, that the City, through its Board of Commissioners, will give a hearing to said contractor on July 6th, 1920, at 3 o'clock P. M., in the Assembly Chamber, when and where he may show cause why his contract shall not be declared by the City to be abandoned, all according to the terms of the contract and specifications, which are more particularly set out under the heading, "If contract is not completed as per terms."

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, The City heretofore entered into a contract with Clinton Contracting Company for the furnishing and delivering of all material and doing all the work necessary for the improvement of Woodland Avenue, between the west line of Lot 50, Block 1281A, and the west line of Lot 75, Block 12821B;

Whereas, Due notice of more than five (5) days from the date hereof has been given the said contractor by the City to begin work and that the contract has been unreasonably delayed; therefore, be it

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer and the approval thereof by the Director of Streets and Public Improvements, the Board of Commissioners hereby direct the City Clerk to serve upon the said contractor a copy hereof, that the City, through its Board of Commissioners, will give a hearing to said contractor on July 6th, 1920, at 3 o'clock P. M., in the Assembly Chamber, when and where he may show cause why his contract shall not be declared by the City to be abandoned, all according to the terms of the contract and specifications, which are more particularly set out under the heading, "If contract is not completed as per terms."

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, The City heretofore entered into a contract with William T. S. Crichfield for the furnishing and delivering of all the material and do all the work necessary for the improvement of Van Cleef street, between Stegman Street and a point one hundred and forty-four and four-tenths feet (144.4) north of Wegman Parkway;

Whereas, Due notice of more than five (5) days from the date hereof has been given the said contractor by the City to begin work and that the contract has been unreasonably delayed; therefore, be it

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer and the approval thereof by the Director of Streets and Public Improvements, the Board of Commissioners hereby direct the City Clerk to serve upon the said contractor a copy hereof, that the City, through its Board of Commissioners, will give a hearing to said contractor on July 6th, 1920, at 3 o'clock P. M., in the Assembly Chamber, when and where he may show cause why his contract shall not be declared by the City to abandoned, all according to the terms of the contract and specifications, which are more particularly set out under the heading, "If contract is not completed as per terms."

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, The City heretofore entered into a contract with Uvalde Asphalt Paving Company for the furnishing and delivering of all material and do all the work necessary for the improvement of Danforth Avenue between Hudson Boulevard and a point nineteen hundred and ninety-three and thirty-five one hundredths (1 993.35) feet westerly thereof (excepting such portions as lie between the tracks.)

Whereas, Due notice of more than five (5) days from the date hereof has been given the said contractor by the City to begin work and that the contract has been unreasonably delayed; therefore be it

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer and the approval thereof by the Director of Streets and Public Improvements, the Board of Commissioners hereby direct the City Clerk to serve upon the said contractor a copy hereof, that the City, through its Board of Commissioners, will give a hearing to said contractor on July 6, 1920, at 3 o'clock P. M., in the Assembly Chamber, when and where he may show cause why his contract shall not be declared by the City to be abandoned, all according to the terms of the contract and specifications, which are more particularly set out under the heading, "If contract is not completed as per terms."

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, The City heretofore entered into a contract with William T. S. Crichfield for the furnishing and delivering of all the material and do all the work necessary for the improvement of Hutton Street from Liberty Avenue to Hudson Boulevard.

Whereas, Due notice of more than five (5) days from the date hereof has been given the said contractor by the City to begin work and that the contract has been unreasonably delayed; therefore be it

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer and the approval thereof by the Director of Streets and Public Improvements, the Board of Commissioners hereby direct the City Clerk to serve upon the said contractor a copy hereof, that the City, through its Board of Commissioners, will give a hearing to said contract or on July 6, 1920, at 3 o'clock, P. M., in the Assembly Chamber, when and where he may show cause why his contract shall not be declared by the City to be abandoned, all according to the terms of the contract and specifications, which are more particularly set out under the heading, "If contract is not completed as per terms."

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the time for the payment of the year 1920 water rents, without interest or penalty, be and is hereby extended to and including July 15, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Intraducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance for the relief of Colgate & Company in the erection and maintenance of a shipping platform with overhead canopy along the Morris Street side of its proposed new building, Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance granting permission to Louis Jordan to construct and maintain an overhead awning in front of premises situated on Jackson Avenue, Jersey City.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance permitting the Hespe Realty Corporation to construct and maintain a vault and boiler room underneath the sidewalk in front of its building on Cambridge Avenue, Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance granting permission to the Hespe Realty Corporation to erect and maintain an overhead awning beyond the building line of the property situated at 388 Central Avenue, Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and requested to fix a date for public hearing and advertise the same as required by law on the application of A. R. Southworth, for permission to erect and maintain an overhead awning at No. 866-870 Bergen Avenue.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing $4,750.00 temporary improvement bonds of the city of Jersey City.

RECITALS.

Whereas, This Board of Commissioners have pursuant to the Home Rule Act (Chapter 152, P. L. 1917, as amended), determined that it is necessary to open and improve Merseles Street from Montgomery Street northerly to its dead end; and

Whereas, The Commissioners of Assessment of Jersey City have fixed and determined the amount of damages sustained to the owners of property in the opening and improvement of said Merseles Street to be $4,750.00.

Now, therefore the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That the sum of $4,750.00 be and it is hereby appropriated for the payment of the award for lands taken and other expenses incurred in the opening of Merseles Street from Montgomery Street northerly to its dead end.

Section 2. That pursuant to the provision of Chapter 252, P. L. 1916, approved March 22, 1916, as amended, and for the purpose of meeting said appropriation,. this Board authorizes and directs that $4,750.00 of temporary improvement bonds be issued bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum. Said bonds shall mature in not exceeding six years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment, and shall be signed by the Mayor or Acting Mayor and the Comptroller or Deputy Comptroller and attested by the City Clerk or Acting City Clerk.

Section 3. Said temporary improvement bonds shall state that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing the opening of Merseles Street. The other matters in respect of the issuance of said bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Section 4. That the said temporary improvement bonds shall be paid or funded within six years after the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out.

Section 5. That the interest on said temporary improvement bonds shall be raised in the annual tax levy.

Section 6. The aforesaid appropriation is to apply to local improvements and an assessment is thereafter to be levied on property in the vicinity thereof benefited or increased in value by reason thereof.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, Arthur Graham has held position as Assistant Jitney Starter in the Department of Revenue and Finance since March 26, 1918; and

Whereas, At that time said Graham was eligible for appointment and had been so certified by the Civil Service Commission; and

Whereas, The City Commission never notified the Civil Service Commission of said appointment as being permanent; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said Arthur

Graham is hereby appointed Assistant Jitney Starter in the Department of Revenue and Finance at an annual salary of $1,800.00, payable in semi-monthly installments.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing $20,000.00 emergency bonds of the city of Jersey City." (Asphalt pavements.)

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The Mayor is absent from the City and various routine City matters require the attention of some one in his place; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Director of Revenue and Finance be and he hereby is authorized and empowered to sign all contracts and all other documents on behalf of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, as the Mayor might or could if he were present.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing $15,000.00 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City." (Montgomery Park Field.)

Received and ordered placed on file in the Office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing $25,000.00 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City." (Reservoir Playground.)

Received and ordered placed on file in the Office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Bids were received for grading and building wooden fence at Montgomery Park, on June 15th, and Joseph Ledger was the lowest responsible bidder; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the contract for grading and building wooden fence at Montgomery Park be and the same is hereby awarded to Joseph Ledger, at the price named in his bid, $12,287.40, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to have prepared and executed the necessary contracts therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the Office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore.

Whereas, The attendance at the Public Playgrounds demands the employment of Playground Instructors for our summer period; and

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission has certified the names of Muriel E. Lincoln, Gladys E. Besser, Marguerite Dooling, Edith Ladley, Frances G. Budd, Bessie Pickett, Catherine A. Rickard, Michael F. Flynn, Hugh J. Driscoll, John Grace, William T. Cahill, Ray T. Joyce, Martin J. Murcham as eligible for employment as Playground Instructors; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the above named persons be and they are hereby appointed as Playground Instructors in the Department of Parks and Public Property, at a salary of $100.00 per month.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, Patrolman Charles Niebank has tendered his resignation as a member of the Jersey City Police Department; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the resignation of Patrolman Charles Niebank be and the same is hereby accepted, effective from this date.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, The name of John A. Brahm has been duly certified by the State Civil Service Commission as being eligible for appointment to the Jersey City Police Department; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the said John A. Brahm be and he is hereby appointed a Patrolman in the Jersey City Police Department at an annual salary of $1,500.00, payable in semi-monthly installments, said appointment to take effect as of May 1st, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission having certified the name of William Flynn as eligible for appointment as Assistant Laundryman at the Jersey City Hospital; therefore, be it

Resolved, That William Flynn be and he is hereby appointed Assistant Laundryman at the Jersey City Hospital at an annual salary of $1,080.00, said appointment to take effect immediately.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner Moore the Board adjourned.

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
Commissioners.

Approved:
H. J. MAUCHET,
Acting City Clerk.

Minutes of Meetings

of

Board of Commissioners

July, 1920

MEETING OF JULY 6, 1920

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, July 6th, 1920, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Absent: Commissioner O'Brien and Mayor Hague (excused).

In the absence of Mayor Hague, Commissioner Gannon, Director Dept. of Revenue and Finance, and Vice-Mayor, presided.

IMPROVEMENT HEARINGS.

The following described ordinances:

"An ordinance to improve all that part of Jersey City which is bounded as follows: On the north by an irregular line approximately one hundred (100) feet southerly of Grant Avenue; on the south by a line one hundred (100) feet northerly of Fulton Avenue; on the east by an irregular line approximately one hundred (100) feet westerly of Bergen Avenue and on the west by the Hackensack River, by the construction of a system of sewers in accordance with plans annexed hereto; said system of sewers to be constructed in conformity with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917 and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof."

"An ordinance to establish a legal grade for Bayview Avenue formerly known as West View Avenue and also to establish a legal grade for Culver Avenue in Jersey City."

"An ordinance to alter and relocate the lines of a portion of Bayview Avenue formerly known as West View Avenue in Jersey City and to vacate a portion of said avenue as the same now exists."

Having been ordered laid on the table to this time and place, and the Acting City Clerk having advertised as required by law that the Board of Commissioners will consider the final passage of each of the above described ordinances, the Acting City Clerk read each of the above described ordinances as being ready for passage on second reading, and then called for any one who might desire to protest against the passage of any of the above described ordinances. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against any of the above described ordinances. The Acting City Clerk then read each of the ordinances as being ready for final passage on third reading and called for any one who might desire to protest against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against any of the above described ordinances.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen, the ordinances were referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

ZONING HEARING.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the confirmation of a report submitted by the Commission on Building Districts and Restrictions recommending that the Hudson Boulevard (both sides) from Newark Avenue to the center line of the main stem of the Pennsylvania Railroad, at present zoned (residential) shall be rezoned "Business," the Acting City Clerk read the report and then called for any one who might desire to protest against such rezoning. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon, the matter was referred to him for investigation.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications:

New York Cloak & Suit Co., electric sign, 35 Kearny Avenue.

R. V. Smith, electric sign, 398 Ocean Avenue.

Lo Sing, electric sign, 350 Central Avenue.

Jacob Goldberg, altering store, 330 Johnston Avenue.

Angelo Schifano, altering store, 333 Fifth Avenue.

John Brennan, altering building and building garage 91 Wilkinson Avenue.

The City Clerk called for any one who might desire to protest against any of the above described applications. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against any of the above described applications.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to the New York Cloak and Suit Co. to erect an electric sign to project six feet from building line at No. 35 Kearny Avenue, as shown on plans attached to application; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Robert V. Smith, to erect electric sign to project 7 feet from building line at No. 398 Ocean Avenue, as shown on plans attached to application; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Lo Sing to erect electric sign to project 7 feet 6 inches from building line at No. 350 Central Avenue, as shown on plans attached to application; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Jacob Goldberg to remove front wall, take down present interior partitions, remore floor beams and reset beams for new store and new store front to project 12 inches beyond building line in three-story frame building No. 330

Johnston Avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Angelo Schifano to remove present window and build new plate glass show windows, and set 4-inch brick between studs of present partition, in store of three-story three-family frame dwelling No. 333 Fifth Street, as shown on blue prints attached to application; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the application of John Brennan requesting permission to alter building and build garage in the cellar of present two-story frame house No. 91 Wilkinson Avenue, be and the same is hereby referred to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements for investigation and recommendation.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

In accordance with the resolutions adopted by the Board of Commissioners at the meeting held June 29, 1920, Commissioner Fagen at this time requested Acting Mayor Gannon to take up the hearing in the matter of the contractors holding repaving contracts who have been unreasonably delaying work on said contracts. Acting City Clerk Mauchet submitted receipted registry cards showing that notice to appear had been received by each contractor.

The following contractors appeared before the board:

Edward J. Flaherty, representing E. J. Flaherty Contracting Co.

W. T. S. Crichfield.

Mr. O'Donnell, representing the Uvalde Contracting Co.

Graham Van Keuren appeared with his attorney, Robert Carey.

Commissioner Fagen stated that since the notices went out to the various contractors, some of them had started working on their contracts.

The contractors explained to the Board that the delay was caused by the railroad strike and their inability to secure cement, but that they were trying their utmost to secure the necessary materials and would proceed with the work as rapidly as possible.

After lengthy discussion, Commissioner Moore suggested that the contractors be given a week's time to try and speed up the work and then to submit a complete report as to their progress.

Commissioner Fagen stated that the improvement to the various streets was very important, and that the residents of the City were holding him responsible for the poor condition of these streets, and also that if the extension of one week was given to the contractors, he must have assurances that they will proceed at once.

The contractors present all agreed to proceed at once.

On motion of Commissioner Moore, the extension of one week was given to the contractors, during which time they shall be given an opportunity to prove that they are progressing as rapidly as possible, and they shall also submit a complete report as to their progress to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, and if in his judgment sufficient work has not been completed, then the said Director shall take such appropriate action as he may deem advisable in the premises.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From Lo Sing, requesting permission to erect electric sign to project 7 feet 6 inches beyond building line at No. 350 Central Avenue.

Received.

From Dr. Walter Hopkins, requesting permission to alter building and building garage in cellar of No. 41 Boyd Avenue.

Received.

From Robert Mrotzek, requesting permission to alter building and building garage in cellar of No. 26 Van Wagenen Avenue.

Received.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$621.17, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$22.00, John J. Howard, horseshoeing.

$15.00, J. H. & R. Shannon Co., repairs.

$24.01, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

$807.08, The Central R. R. Co. of New Jersey, labor and material.

$35.75, Chester De Puy, supplies.

$114.50, E. B. Dawson Co., supplies.

$474.05, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., supplies.

$137.20, Chas. H. Engler, supplies.

$5.20, Initial Apron & Towel Supply Co., service.

$8.00, Joseph Weston, horseshoeing.

$37.73, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$8.40, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$9.00, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$19.74, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$22.88, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$8.64, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$8.04, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$8.16, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$8.76, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$23.92, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$8.76, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$9.60, Hudson Observer advertising.

$18.48, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$22.36, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$8.16, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$7.56, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$8.16, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$8.76, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$22.88, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$205.04, Stillman & Van Siclen Chemical Lab. Co.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays. None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$144.00, Hudson Observer, public notice.

$11.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$7.00, Great Bear Spring Co., water and service.

$250.00, Union Printing Co., protest forms (printing).

$83.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$16.25, Chas F. Hansen, supplies.

$250.00 The Dalton Adding Machine Co., adding machine, No. 58740.

$3.00, Great Bear Spring Co., water and service.

$3.75, Western Union Tel. Co., clock (Law Department).

$13.50, Dispatch Printing Co., printing.

$10.50, Dispatch Printing Co., printing.

$668.70, The Evening Journal Association, pub. personal taxes.

$667.10, The Evening Journal Association, pub. personal taxes.

$7.44, Hudson Observer, public notice, bonds.

$6.84, Hudson Observer, public notice, bonds.

$7.08, The Evening Journal Association, public notice, bonds.

$21.84, The Evening Journal Association, public notice, furn. and del. shelving.

$23.40, Hudson Observer, proposals, steel vault.

$15.36, Hudson Observer, public notice, bonds.

$8.52, Hudson Observer, public notice, bonds.

$8.04, Hudson Observer, public notice, bonds.

$8.52, The Evening Journal Association, public notice, bonds.

$15.89, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$21.15, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$4.38, Jerome O'Keeffe, supplies.

$16.75, Acme Card System Co., telephone stand, etc.

$9.00, Dobke Typewriter Exchange, rental for machines.

$13.60, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$13.45, John S. Menage Co., supplies.

$111.25, Dispatch Printing Co., printing.

$42.00, John S. Menage Co., supplies.

$125.00, N. J. Legislative Bureau, furnishing bills, etc.

$78.50, Dispatch Printing Co., printing.

$186.87, Lexington Auto Tire Co., repairing, etc.

$250.00, National Surety Co., renewal premium on bonds, etc.

$125.00, James E. Pope, rent.

$19.24, Evening Journal Association, M. R. OBrien encroachment.

$12.12, Evening Journal Association, Armour & Co., ord. hoppers.

$27.36, Evening Journal Association, Armour & Co., ord. tracks.

$10.20, Evening Journal Association, Armour & Co., ord. platform.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, Grodjisk & Klie, alter.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, Panza & Puglia, alter.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, Yannuzzi alter.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, Wahl alter.

$10.08, Hudson Observer, Armour & Co., ord. platform.

$12.72, Hudson Observer, Armour & Co., ord. hoppers.

$3.74, Hudson Observer, Grodjisk & Klie alter.

$27.36, Hudson Observer, Armour & Co., ord. tracks.

$21.10, Ault & Wiborg, refund balance deposit.

$9.60, J. C. Land & Impt. Co., refund balance deposit.

$11.82, J. C. Malone, refund balance deposit.

$11.36, E. E. Burr, attorney, Consumers' C. & I. Co., refund balance deposit.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, Schifano alter.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, Brennan alter.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, Goldberg alter.

$3.96, Hudson Observer, Yannuzzi alter.

$9.60, Hudson Observer, Armour & Co., ord. platform.

$12.36, Hudson Observer, Armour & Co., ord. hoppers.

$26.76, Hudson Observer, Armour & Co., ord. tracks.

$4.40, Hudson Observer, Wahl alter.

$3.74, Hudson Observer, Panza & Puglia alter.

Adopted.

Yeas: **Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.**

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$3,269.00, William Gotthardt, bedding stock.

$25.07, Thos. L. Higgins, wire cloth.

$56.00, Interstate Chemical Co., alum.

$11.51, Thos. L. Higgins, wire cloth.

$24.56, Jersey City Lumber Co., lumber.

$5.00, Edward Ehbar, cog wheels.

$27.20, National Paper and Twine, flag rope.

$10.00, Edward Cahill, garage rent.

$8.96, Baldwin Lumber Co., lumber.

$1.75, Whipple Hardware Co., lock set.

$1.00, Penn R. R., rent.

$20.68, Belle Meade Garage, auto repair.

$17.00, Jersey City Ladder Co., halyards.

$2.34, John P. Landrine, sash weights.

$5.00, John P. Landrine, nails.

$3.89, John P. Landrine, miscellaneous hardware.

$15.65, S. J. Crawford, plumbing.

$1.50, Thos. L. Higgins, nails.

$275.00, Otis Elevator Co., elevator repairs.

$290.00, John J. Corcoran, plumbing repairs.

$284.75, S. J. Crawford, plumbing repairs.

$77.70, Thos. L. Higgins, nails and lime.

$37.50, Thos. L. Higgins, barrows.

$3.17, Thos. L. Higgins, miscellaneous hardware.

$26.47, Jersey City Ladder Co., ladder.

$18.00, Whipple Hardware Co., mower.

$2.88, Whipple Hardware Co., file and pail.

$3.75, Thos. L. Higgins, brush.

$3.24, Thos. L. Higgins, wire.

$10.50, Thos. L. Higgins, paint.

$25.00, Geo. Aspinwall, soap.

$8.30, Whipple Hardware Co., sockets.

$66.55, Jersey City Supply Co., plumbing supplies.

$44.66, Jersey City Supply Co., plumbing supplies.

$16.00, John L. Ward, plumbing.

$50.00, Lafayette Window Cleaning Co., service.

$296.00, Rollfs Realty Co., insurance.

$79.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$27.00 Union Printing Co., printing.

$7.50, F. B. Brill, pliers.

$41.80, The Debevoise Co., paint.

$44.85, Thos. L. Higgins, hardware.

$13.50, Thos. L. Higgins, bolts.

$7.33, Thos. L. Higgins, wire.

$22.95, Thos. L. Higgins, moulding and wire.

$30.00, Belle Meade Stables, horse hire.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named for the following amounts and purposes:

POLICE.

$17.15, A. Datz Co., printing.

$44.45, J. H. Browne, supplies.

$9.00, B. B. Dust Eater Co., compound.

$126.00, James Coleman, horseshoeing.

$34.00, A. Datz Co., printing.

$17.15, Garfunkle Bros., wire.

$24.70, Garfunkle Bros., lamps.

$138.00, Gamewell Fire Alarm Teleg. Co., keys.

$460.29, Gulf Refining Co., gasoline.

$226.60, Gulf Refining Co., gasoline.

$457.44, Gulf Refining Co., gasoline.

$78.49, Gulf Refining Co., oil.

$327.56, C. F. Hansen, stationery.

$97.50, Chas. Hayes, horseshoeing.

$4.95, J. C. Storage Battery Co., recharge.

$33.00, A. Lardino, motorcycle supplies.

$150.00, Etta S. Myers, rent stable.

$206.40, Public Service Electric Co., flashlights.

$118.11, E. J. Schroeder Lamp Works, railing.

$120.52, L. J. Tonnelle, shoes and tubes.

$3.75, Western Union Telegraph Co., rental clock.

$42.00, Valvoline Oil Co., oil.

$24.75, J. A. Vill & Son, pyrene.

$207.86, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$175.00, J. H. Walter, tuition.

$7.75, Union Printing Co.

$9.00, Chas. F. Hansen.

$31.11, Otto Wilkins.

$688.06, Carscallen & Cassidy.

$13.50, Interstate Chemical Co.

$16.88, Jos. H. Browne.

$41.20, Valvoline Oil Co.

$82.40, Valvoline Oil Co.

$37.97, Whipple Hardware Co.

$7.50, Western Union Telegraph Co.

$18.70, Morris Motor Car Co.

$161.14, Walter J. Coleman.

$21.30, Garfunkel Bros.

$21.85, Garfunkel Bros.
$22.50, Garfunkel Bros.
$173.95, Garfunkel Bros.
$58.35, Fleischman Bros.
$1.40, Commercial Acetylene Co.
$5.00, Firestone Tire & Rubber Co.
$19.10, Whipple Hardware Co.
$24.00, Al. Kuntz.
$24.00, United States Rubber Co.
$5.60, Am. Bosch Magneto Corp.
$7.44, Economy Auto Supply Co.
$71.10, Lafayette Broom Co.
$205.31, Julius Frey.
$30.92, Joseph T. Sack.
$147.00, D. J. O'Brien.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS:

From Commissioner Fagen, to whom was referred the application of R. Panza and J. Puglia requesting permission to alter buildings and erect three garages in cellars of No. 170-170a-172 Manhattan Avenue, returning the application and recommending that the permission sought be granted.

Received.

From Commissioner Gannon, approving the following ordinances and recommending annual charges for the privileges as follows:

Eagle Grocery Company for the construction of shipping platform on Brunswick Street, $100.00 per annum. John Steurnagle, for the construction of vault under sidewalk, No. 524 Mercer Street, $15.00 per annum.

Lackawanna Terminal Stores Company, for the construction of shipping platform with overhead canopy, Provost and 15th Street, $100.00 per annum.

First National Bank, for the construction of vault under sidewalk at York and Hudson Streets, $255.00 per annum.

Received.

From Commissioner Gannon, submitting supplemental debt statement.

Received and ordered filed.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved that upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements the findings as shown on report of the Water Assessor for the month of June, 1920, presented to this Commission at its meeting held this day, be and are hereby confirmed, and the said officer be and is hereby authorized to make such charges on his books:

Additions to Reg. Water......	$115.70
Cancellations to Reg. Water..	2,445.50
Cancellation to Met. Water...	969.42

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, and Moore,

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That all proceedings heretofore taken in the matter of an ordinance to improve all that part of Bergen Avenue, between the Hudson Boulevard and Bergen Square and Sip Avenue between the westerly line of Summit Avenue and the proposed easterly line of Bergen Avenue by widening same in accordance with the description therein named, conformable to ordinance heretofore introduced at meeting held May 4th, 1920, be and the same are hereby reconsidered and rescinded.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to improve all that part of Bergen Avenue between Hudson Boulevard and Bergen Square, and Sip Avenue between the westerly line of Summit Avenue and the proposed easterly line of Bergen Avenue, by widening same in accordance with the hereinafter mentioned description."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

There having been introduced at this meeting by Michael I. Fagen, Director of the Department of Streets and system of sewers to be constructed in conformity with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917 and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Whereas, It is deemed advisable by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements that the lands in Jersey City, bounded as follows, viz:

On the north by an irregular line approximately one hundred (100) feet southerly of Grant Avenue; on the south by a line one hundred (100) feet northerly of Fulton Avenue; on the east by an irregular line approximately one hundred (100) feet westerly of Bergen Avenue and on the west by the Hackensack River, should be improved by the construction of a system of sewers.

Therefore, The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

That all the above-mentioned and described portion of Jersey City shall be improved by the construction of a system of sewers as follows:

An eighteen (18) inch vitrified pipe sewer in Stegman Street from a point ninety (90) feet west of the westerly line of Bergen Avenue to a point seven hundred (700) feet east of the easterly line of West Side Avenue; and a twenty-four (24) inch circular brick sewer in Stegman Street from said point to and connecting with sewer to be constructed in West Side Avenue.

An eighteen (18) inch vitrified pipe sewer in Audubon Avenue beginning at the easterly block line of the Hudson Boulevard, crossing the Hudson Boulevard, and to a point seven hundred (700) feet east of the easterly line of West Side Avenue; and a twenty-four (24) inch circular brick sewer in Audubon Avenue from that point to and connecting with sewer to be constructed in West Side Avenue.

An eighteen (18) inch vitrified pipe sewer in Bayview Avenue, commencing at a point one hundred (100) feet west of the westerly line of Hudson Boulevard and running to a point seven hundred (700) feet east of the easterly line of West Side Avenue, and

Public Improvements, an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to improve all that part of Bergen Avenue between Hudson Boulevard and Bergen Square and Sip Avenue between the westerly line of Summit Avenue and the proposed easterly line of Bergen Avenue by widening same in accordance with the description therein named."

It is hereby resolved, That said ordinance shall lie on the table until the meeting of this Board to be held on July 27, 1920, at the City Hall in Jersey City;

Further resolved, That at said time and place this Board consider the undertaking of the improvement proposed by said ordinance and the said ordinance itself, and that a hearing shall be then and there afforded to all persons whose lands may be affected by, or who may be interested in such proposed improvement, both upon said proposed improvement and said ordinance;

Further resolved, That the City Clerk publish in the Jersey Journal and Hudson Observer on July 10th, 1920, and on July 17th, 1920, notice of the intention of this Board to consider such proposed improvement and ordinance. Said notices shall be in the form attached to this resolution.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commission Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance to improve all that part of Jersey City which is bounded as follows:

On the north by an irregular line approximately one hundred (100) feet southerly of Grant Avenue; on the south by a line one hundred (100) feet northerly of Fulton Avenue; on the east by an irregular line approximately one hundred (100) feet westerly of Bergen Avenue and on the west by the Hacknsack River, by the construction of a system of sewers in accordance with plans annexed hereto; said twenty-four (24) inch circular brick sewer in Bay View Avenue from that point to and connecting with sewer to be connected in West Side Avenue.

An eighteen (18) inch vitrified pipe sewer in Culver Avenue, commencing at the westerly line of the Hudson Boulevard to a point seven hundred (700) feet east of the easterly line of West Side Avenue, and from that point a twenty-four (24) inch circular brick sewer in Culver Avenue to and connecting with sewer to be constructed in West Side Avenue.

An eighteen (18) inch vitrified pipe sewer in Dwight Street from a point one hundred (100) feet west of the westerly block line of Bergen Avenue to Hudson Boulevard and in the Hudson Boulevard from Dwight Street to connect with sewer to be constructed in Stegman Street.

An eighteen (18) inch vitrified pipe sewer under the westerly sidewalk of the Hudson Boulevard from a point three hundred (300) feet south of Stegman Street to connect with sewer to be constructed in Stegman Street.

An eighteen (18) inch vitrified pipe sewer under the westerly sidewalk of Hudson Boulevard from a point fifty (50) feet north of Stegman Street to connect with sewer to be constructed in Audubon Avenue.

An eighteen (18) inch vitrified pipe sewer under the easterly sidewalk of Hudson Boulevard from a point two hundred (200) feet north of Audubon Avenue to a point one hundred and twenty-five (125) feet south of Grant Avenue to connect with sewer to be constructed across the Boulevard from the easterly sidewalk to the westerly sidewalk of the Hudson Boulevard at the intersection of Culver Avenue.

An eighteen (18) inch vitrified pipe sewer from the easterly sidewalk of the Hudson Boulevard to the westerly block line of Hudson Boulevard, at its intersection with the said sewer to be built in Culver Avenue and to connect with the last mentioned sewer.

An eighteen (18) inch vitrified pipe sewer under the westerly sidewalk of the Hudson Boulevard from a point about one hundred and fifty (150) feet north of Audubon Avenue to a point one hundred (100) feet south of Grant Avenue to connect with sewer to be constructed at the intersection of Culver Avenue.

A forty-eight (48) inch circular brick sewer in West Side Avenue from Pollock Avenue to Audubon Avenue.

A twenty-four (24) inch circular brick sewer in West Side Avenue from Audubon Avenue to Stegman Street.

An eighteen (18) inch vitrified pipe sewer in West Side Avenue from Stegman Street to a point two hundred and fifty (250) feet south thereof.

An eighteen (18) inch vitrified pipe sewer from a point in Carbon Place two hundred and twenty-five (225) feet west of West Side Avenue, westerly through Carbon Place and lands to be acquired to connect with sewer to be constructed in Water Street.

A six (6) foot six (6) inch circular brick sewer in Fisk Street from the westerly block line of Mallory Avenue to Water Street and in Water Street from Fisk Street to a point fifty (50) feet north thereof, to connect with sewer to be constructed at this point.

An eighteen (18) inch vitrified pipe sewer in Culver Avenue from a point one hundred and ten (110) feet west of West Side Avenue to the westerly block line of Mallory Avenue.

A twenty-four (24) inch circular brick sewer in Culver Avenue from the westerly block line of Mallory Avenue to Water Street and in Water Street from Culver Avenue, southerly to connect with eight (8) foot six (6) inch steel pipe sewer to be constructed at a point about one hundred and fifty (150) feet south of Culver Avenue; also a twenty-four (24) inch circular brick sewer in Water Street from Carbon Place, if extended westerly, to connect with sewer to be constructed in Water Street at a point about fifty (50) feet north of Fisk Street.

An eight (8) foot six (6) inch steel pipe sewer from Water Street, beginning at a point about fifty (50) feet north of Fisk Street and running, thence, westerly under the Morris

Canal and through property owned by the City of Jersey City to the Hackensack River, a distance of approximately six hundred (600) feet.

That the following described lands and premises are necessary for the improvement provided for herein, viz.: All that certain lot, parcel or piece of land, situate, lying and being in Jersey City, Hudson County, New Jersey, and particularly described as follows:—
First Tract—

Beginning at a point in the northerly line of Carbon Place, at its present westerly terminus, the same being the southwesterly corner of Plot 2B, Block 1287A, City Map; thence westerly a distance of one hundred and ninety-six and twenty-four one hundredths feet (196.24) to a point in the easterly line of Water Street distant about fifty-one and ninety-six one hundredths (51.96) feet southerly from the southeasterly corner of Rowland and Water Streets; thence southerly along the westerly line of Water Street, a distance of forty and fifty-six one hundredths (40.56) feet to a point; thence easterly a distance of one hundred and eighty-two and forty-three one hundredths (182.43) feet to the present westerly terminus of the southerly line of Carbon Place; thence northerly along the present westerly boundary of Carbon Place, a distance of forty and eight one hundredths (40.08) feet to the point or place of beginning. Contain about seven thousand five hundred and fifteen and thirty-one hundredths (7,515.3) square feet.

That it is also necessary to acquire an easement wherein and through which such sewer system may be laid under the Morris Canal, the lands through which such easement is to run being described as follows:—All that certain lot, parcel, or piece of land situate, lying and being in Jersey City, Hudson County, New Jersey; particularly described, viz.:
Second Tract—

Beginning at a point in the westerly line of the Morris Canal the same being distant twelve and forty-four one hundredths (12.44) feet measured northerly along said westerly line of the Morris Canal from the southeasterly corner of property belonging to Jersey City known as Plot 1B, Block 1290½, City Map.

Thence running northerly along the said westerly line of the Morris Canal a distance of fifteen and twelve one hundredths (15.12) feet to a point.

Thence running easterly across the Morris Canal a distance of sixty and fifty one hundredths (60.50) feet to the westerly line of Water Street.

Thence running southerly along the westerly line of Water Street a distance of fifteen and twelve one hundredths (15.12) feet to a point.

Thence running westerly across the Morris Canal a distance of sixty and fifty one hundredths (60.50) feet to the point or place of beginning.

And annexed to this ordinance and made part hereof is a map prepared under the direction of the governing body of Jersey City showing in detail the location and dimensions of such lands so proposed to be taken and of the lands through which such easement is to run.

That said system of sewer shall be constructed and completed in a good and substantial manner in accordance with the plans hereto attached, and that said improvements shall be made in conformity with the provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917 and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof, and in accordance with specifications to be specially prepared.

The Acting City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as being ready for second and third reading and final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed, after second and third reading, by the following vote:
Yeas: Commisioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen.

Whereas, On the day fixed for public hearing upon the application of the Federal Shipbuilding Company for the establishment of grade for Culver Avenue, one Rudolph Soltau appeared before the Board of Commissioners and stated that while he did not object to the proposed improvement, he did not desire any grade fixed which would result in the construction of a street too high above the level of his property; and,

Whereas, Upon consideration it appears to this Board that the proposed grade will not injuriously affect the property of the said Rudolph Soltau, and that the grade as proposed is the best and most feasible one under all the conditions; therefore be it

Resolved, that the request of the said Rudolph Soltau be disregarded.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, On the day fixed for public hearing upon the application of the Federal Shipbuilding Company for the establishment of grade for Bayview Avenue, one Rudolph Soltau appeared before the Board of Commissioners and stated that while he did not object to the proposed improvement, he did not desire any grade fixed which would result in the construction of a street too high above the level of his property; and

Whereas, Upon consideration it appears to this Board that the proposed grade will not injuriously affect the property of the said Rudolph Soltau, and that the grade as proposed is the best and most feasible one under all the conditions; therefore be it

Resolved, That the request of the said Rudolph Soltau be disregarded.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An Ordinance to establish a legal grade for Bayview Avenue formerly known as West View Avenue and also to establish a legal grade for Culver Avenue in Jersey City.

Whereas, Application has been made to this Board by Federal Shipbuilding Company for the establishment of a legal grade for that portion of Bayview Avenue formerly known as West View Avenue, which lies between the Hudson Boulevard and West Side Avenue; and the establishment of a legal grade for Culver Avenue, in Jersey City, and

Whereas, It appears that it is for the best interests of the City that such application be granted, and that the legal grade for said portion of said Bayview Avenue, and for said Culver Avenue respectively shall be established as hereinafter is provided and ordained.

Therefore, That the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

(1) That the legal grade of that portion of said Bayview Avenue which lies betwen Hudson Boulevard and West Side Avenue shall be, and the same is hereby established as follows:

At the intersection of the west curb line of the Hudson County Boulevard, at the grade now established for such portion of said Hudson County Boulevard; from said point to a point 860 feet westerly of said Hudson County Boulevard at a fall of 5.17 feet per one hundred (100) feet; and from said last mentioned point to the easterly curb lines of West Side Avenue at a fall of .51 of a foot per one hundred (100) feet.

(2) That the legal grade of Culver Avenue shall be and the same is hereby established as follows.

At the intersection of the west curb line of the Hudson County Boulevard, at the grade now established for such Hudson Boulevard; from said point to a point 500 feet westerly of said Hudson Boulevard, at a fall of 7.60 feet per one hundred (100) feet; and from said last mentioned point 300 feet westerly at a fall of 3.00 feet per one hundred (100) feet; and from said last mentioned point to the easterly curb line of West Side Avenue at a fall of .39 feet per one hundred (100) feet.

The Acting City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as being ready for second and third reading and final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed, after second and third reading, by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

"An ordinance to alter and re-locate the lines of a portion of Bayview Avenue formerly known as West View Avenue in Jersey City and to vacate a portion of said avenue as the same now exists."

Whereas, Application has been made to this Board by Federal Shipbuilding Company for the alteration and relocation of the lines of a portion of Bayview Avenue formerly known as West View Avenue in Jersey City, and for the vacation of a portion of such avenue as the same now exists, and

Whereas, It appears that it is for the best interests of the City that such application be granted,

Therefore, The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

(1) That the lines of that part of said Bayview Avenue as presently located and described as follows:

Beginning at a point in the present northerly side of Bayview Avenue, two hundred (200) feet from the westerly line of Hudson Boulevard and running thence (1) northerly forty-two degrees four minutes west four hundred and fifty-one feet more or less, thence (2) south forty-seven degrees fifty-six minutes west sixty feet; thence (3) south forty-two degrees four minutes east four hundred and fifty-one feet more or less; thence (4) north forty-seven degrees fifty-six minutes east sixty feet to the point or place of begining, be changed, altered and relocated so that the said portion of said Bayview Avenue will exist as a public street as follows:

Beginning at a point in the present northerly line of Bayview Avenue, at a distance of two hundred feet from the westerly line of Hudson Boulevard, thence (1) running to the right along a curve with a radius of seven hundred and two feet for a distance of one hundred and thirty-five feet to a point of reverse curve; (2) curving to the left with a radius of four hundred and fifty-nine feet a distance of one hundred and seventy-six feet; thence (3) north forty-seven degrees sixteen minutes west one hundred and forty-three feet more or less to the intersection with the present northerly line of Bayview Avenue; thence (4) south forty-seven degrees fifty-six minutes west sixty feet to the intersection of the present southerly line of Bayview Avenue; thence (5) in a southeasterly direction parallel to the third, second and first courses above mentioned to a point in the present southerly line of Bayview Avenue, bearing south forty-seven degrees fifty-six minutes west sixty feet distant from the point of beginning, and thence (6) north forty-seven degrees fifty-six minutes east sixty feet to the point or place of beginning.

The present location of such portion of said Bayview Avenue being shown upon blue print annexed to the petition or application of said company by straight broken lines and the relocated portion of said avenue being shown on said blue print by solid curved lines.

(2) That so much of the lands lying between the present northerly and southerly lines of said portion of said Bayview Avenue as are not included within the lines of said Avenue as hereby altered and re-located, are vacated and the public right or easement therein is hereby extinguished and terminated.

The Acting City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as being ready for second and third reading and final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed after second and third reading by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to R. Panza & J. Puglia to alter buildings and erect three garages (one in each cellar) of present two-story frame one-family houses Nos. 170-170a-172 Manhattan Avenue, as shown on blue prints attached to application, provided that the street and sidewalk level is not altered in any manner;

Further Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That an ordinance entitled "An ordinance permitting the Hespe Realty Corporation to construct and maintain a vault and boiler room underneath the sidewalk in front of its building on Cambridge Avenue, Jersey City," which ordinance was introduecd at a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held June 29, 1920, and has not been finally passed by the said Board of Commissioners, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out Section 4 and inserting the following: "Section 4. The ordinance granting this privilege shall be in full force and effect for a period of twenty years." Also by striking out Section 6 and amend Section 7 to read Section 6, Section 8 to read Section 7 and Section 9 to read Section 8.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That an ordinance entitled "An ordinance granting permission to the Hespe Realty Corporation to erect and maintain an overhead awning beyond the building line of the property situated at 388 Central Avenue, Jercey City," which ordinance was introduced at a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held on June 29, 1920, and has not finally been passed by the said Board of Commissioners, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out Section 4 and inserting the following: "Section 4. The ordinance granting this privilege shall be in full force and effect for a period of twenty years." Also by striking out Section 6 and changing Section 7 to read Section 6, Section 8 to read Section 7 and Section 9 to read Section 8.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That an ordinance entitled "An ordinance granting permission to Louis Jordan to construct and maintain an overhead awning in front of premises situated on Jackson Avenue, Jersey City," which ordinance was introduced at a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held on June 29, 1920, and has not finally been passed by the said Board of Commissioners, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out Section 4, and inserting the following: "Section 4. The ordinance granting this privilege shall be in full force and effect for a period of twenty years." Also by striking out Section 6, amending Section 7 to read Section 6, Section 8 to read Section 7 and Section 9 to read Section 8.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That an ordinance entitled "An ordinance for the relief of Colgate & Company in the erection and maintenance of a shipping platform with overhead canopy along Morris Street side of its proposed new building, Jersey City," which ordinance was introduced at a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held on June 29, 1920, and has not been finally passed by the said Board of Commissioners, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out Section 3 and inserting the following: "Section 3. The ordinance granting this privilege shall be in full force and effect for a period of twenty years." Also by striking out Section 5 and substituting the following: "Section 5. Said beneficiaries shall cause to be constructed on either end of said platform herein permitted, such easy steps that pedestrians can utilize for sidewalk purposes. Every care must be taken by the said Colgate & Company to keep at all times a free and clear passage for pedestrians, so that the platform herein authorized shall not become a nuisance to the traveling public, the right being reserved by the Board to so regulate the use thereof that the rights of the public will be conserved."

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That a warrant be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the Trustees of the Free Public Library in Jersey City, in the sum of $55,394.70, balance of appropriation for the year 1920, as per attached voucher.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon.

Resolved, That a warrant be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of John Magner, Sheriff of Hudson County (as per voucher attached), in the sum of one hundred and fifty ($150.00) dollars, in payment of balance of purchase price of the Hudson County Democratic Coub House, Mercer Street, payment of said warrant to be made from "Local Improvement Revenues, Capital Account."

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance authorizing $90,200.00 Promissory Notes of the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance authorizing $50,000.00 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance appropriating four thousand ($4.000.) dollars for the repaving of Palisade Avenue, and authorizing temporary improvement bonds of the city to meet said appropriations."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

On motion of Commissioner **Fagen** the Board adjourned.

Approved.

MICHAEL I. FAGEN
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.
A. HARRY MOORE.
Commissioners.

HARRY J. MAUCHET,
Acting City Clerk.

MEETING OF JULY 13, 1920

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, July 13, 1920, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Absent: Commissioner O'Brien (excused).

At this time Commissioner Gannon arose and addressed the Mayor as follows:

"Mr. Mayor, I think it is only fitting at this time for me on behalf of the City Commission and the people of Jersey City to bid you a hearty welcome upon your return to the City.

"I am sure that we have done the very best we could in conducting the affairs of the City without you during the past six weeks, and I am sure that your well earned vacation has given you a much needed rest. If I may judge from physical appearance, you have come back to us with renewed vigor and strength in health which will enable you to carry on the work of the City.

"Again on behalf of the Members of this Board, I welcome you back in our midst."

RECEPTION OF BIDS.

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for furnishing labor and material, the City Clerk called for bids with the following results:

Improvement of Cliff Street.

1. Van Keuren Contracting Co., 107 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

2. E. J. Flaherty Contracting Co., 140 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

Fifteen Tons Water Gate Boxes.

1. Fagan Iron Works, 9¾ cents per pound, with freeholder's surety bond.

Steel Shelving Collector's Office.

1. The Fairbanks Co., $800, with surety company bond.

2. Canton Art Metal Co., $1,168.10 with surety company bond.

3. Art Metal Construction Co., $1,147, with certified check $400.

4. General Fireproofing Co., $1,211.65, with certified check $425.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received opened and read and referred to the Director of the Department from which the specifications emanated.

IMPROVEMENT HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the final passage of an ordinance for the propsed following improvement:

"Terrace Avenue between Zabriskie Street and Lincoln Street, by improving with bituminous concrete pavement on a concrete base."

In accordance with provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof, the City Clerk called for any one who might desire to protest against the undertaking of the improvement.

A written protest was received from Mr. E. G. Ruehle, owner of No. 28 Terrace Avenue, in which he stated that conditions would change within a year, at which time the improvement could be done considerably cheaper.

No one appeared to protest.

The City Clerk then called for any one who might desire to be heard in favor of the proposed improvement.

Several property owners, representing a majority of the property owners on Terrace Avenue, appeared and stated that they were all in favor of the proposed improvement, and that to their knowledge there were no property owners on the street who were opposed to the improvement.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen, the protest of Mr. E. G. Ruehle was not sustained and the matter referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

CITY ORDINANCES.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the final passage of the following described ordinances:

"An ordinance to provide for making private connections with sewer, gas and water mains or conduits for wires in Terrace Avenue between Zabriskie Street and Lincoln Street."

"An ordinance authorizing $20,000 emergency bonds of the City of Jersey City" (repairs to asphalt pavements out of guarantee).

"An ordinance authorizing $15,000 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City" (athletic field, Montgomery Park).

"An ordinance authorizing $25,000 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City" (improvement of Reservoir Playground).

The City Clerk called for any one who might desire to protest against the final passage of each of the above described ordinances. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon, the foregoing ordinances were referred to miscellaneous business for further action.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the application of Dr. Walter Hopkins, for permission to remove present front wall of cellar, build new extension and garage in cellar of frame building No. 41 Boyd Avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application, the City Clerk called for any one who might desire to protest against the granting of the application. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the above described application.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Dr. Walter Hopkins to remove present front wall of cellar, build new extension and garage in cellar of frame building No. 41 Boyd Avenue; Provided, that the street and sidewalk level is not altered in any manner by the construction of said garage; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From American Grocery Company requesting permission to erect and maintain shipping platform with overhead canopy at No. 105-107 Franklin Street, and requesting a temporary working permit pending final action by the Board in the matter.

Received.

From citizens and residents residing at Wegman Court, Jersey City, protesting against the maintenance of at least nine vicious and unmanageable dogs by a Mrs. Wegman at No. 618 Garfield Avenue.

Received and referred to the Mayor.

From J. Malkinson, requesting permission to alter store front and build new store front at No. 256 Newark Avenue.

Received.

From Joseph Tarchio, requesting permission to build brick one-story and cellar addition at No. 374-376 Third Street.

Received.

AUDITING CLAIMS

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$18.05, Walter J. Coleman, supplies.

$639.16, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$2.00, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$6.50, George C. Kraus, horseshoeing.

$29.79, Phinotas Chemical Co., supplies.

$16.20, American Blaugas Corporation, supplies.

$61.00, G. F. Brown, refund.

$10.35, Walter J. Coleman, supplies.

$165.29, District Engineer, Second District, New York City.

$271.35, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., supplies.

$10.08, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$83.00, Keegan's Garage, supplies.

$450.00, Keegan's Garage, 1 Ford Truck Chasis.

$3.86, National Meter Company, supplies.

$55.50, John H. Paul, supplies.

$110.00, George A. Reilly, supplies.

$18.00, Vulcan Iron Works, Inc., supplies.

$46.38, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

$8.88, The Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$11.88, The Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$3.60, The Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$4.20, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$11.00, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$8.52, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$14.28, William Woods.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$12.19, New York Telephone Company, services.

$1.80, Hudson Observer, publishing notices Lo Sing sign.

$3.52, Hudson Observer, publishing notices J. Brennan alterations.

$4.18, Hudson Observer, publishing notices J. Goldberg, alterations.

$3.96, Hudson Observer, publishing notices A. Schifano, alterations.

$1.92, Hudson Observer, publishing notices New York Cloak & Suit Co., sign.

$1.80, Hudson Observer, publishing notices, R. V. Smith, sign.

$2.00, Evening Journal Association, publishing notices New York Cloak and Suit Company, sign.

$2.00, Evening Journal Association, publishing notices, R. V. Smith, sign.

$2.00, Evening Journal Association, Lo Sing, sign.

$2.00, Evening Journal Association, W. Hopkins, alterations.

$38.47, Union Printing Company, printing.

$47.04, Union Printing Company, printing.

$26.37, Hulse & Allen, supplies.

$81.50, L. Max & Sons glass.

$27.75, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$18.00, Dispatch Printing Company, printing.

$19.76, Hudson Observer, printing.

$14.00, Evening Journal Association, proclamation rent and lease.

$45.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons in the following amounts:

$210.14, Whipple Hardware Co., toilet paper and mops.

$37.94, Thos. L. Higgins, wire cloth.

$19.59, Thos. L. Higgins, wire cloth.

$17.75, Carl Luck, door check repair.

$189.11, McConnell Coal Co., coal.

$15.90, S. J. Crawford, plumbing.

$14.40, Sterling Machine Works, boiler repairs.

$167.97, Public Service Electric Co., electric service.

$50.00, Thos. Finnerty, ice.

$43.02, Public Service Gas Co., service.

$12.60, J. Harris, glass.

$62.45, H. Sethman, roof repair.

$2.50, Public Service Electric Co., electric service.

$1.00, Public Service Electric Co., electric service.

$1.73, Public Service Gas Co., gas service.

$52.70, Public Service Electric Co., electric service.

$17.50 Whipple Hardware Co., sash cord.

$5.00, Gas Consumers' Association, rent regulator.

$1.80, New York Telephone Co., service.

$1.04, Public Service Gas Co., gas service.

$0.81, Public Service Gas Co., gas service.

$9.60, Public Service Electric Co., electric service.

$11.50, Public Service Electric Co., electric service.

$85.80, New York Telephone Co., service.

$45.74, F. B. Brill, hardware.

$5.93, John P. Landrine, bolts and washers.

$3.38, John P. Landrine, butts and wire.

$4.50, J. Harris, glass.

$7.50, J. Harris, glass.

$24.00, Thos. L. Higgins, green oil paint.

$19.70, Thos. L. Higgins, nails.

$11.25, Washburn Bros., cement.

$7.95, New York Telephone Co., service.

$50.00, New York Bay Cemetery Co., planting.

$153.50, Chas. F. W. Puff, ceiling repairs.

$19.00, O'Brien & Keilt, plumbing.

$64.60, O'Brien & Keilt, plumbing.

$4.74, John P. Landrine, hardware.

$10.85, John P. Landrine, hardware.

$0.75, John P. Landrine, hand cultivator.

$6.00, Hudson Electric Supply Co., wire.

$1.15, Thos. L. Higgins, hardware.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named parties for the following amounts and purposes as hereinafter set forth:

$70.00, American La France Fire Engine Co.

$74.55, Jersey City Storage Battery Company.

$42.34, Al Kuntz.

$3.18, Whipple Hardware Co.

$150.00, S. F. Hayward & Co.

$59.10, Westlake-Lemson Co.

$271.80, The Peter Jocham Co.

$13.82, Interstate Chemical Co.

$36.00, E. Kelly.

$56.00, James Coleman.

$94.50, Wm. McKittrick.

$24.65, New York Telephone Co.

$22.05, Union Printing Co.

$8.00, Public Service Electric Co.

$124.47, Public Service Gas Co.

$122.10, Public Service Electric Co.

$4.00, Public Service Electric Co.

$3.90, Public Service Electric Co.

$384.50, George W. Irving.

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$9.50, John S. Norton Co.

$5.20, Valvoline Oil Co.

$9.00, Edmund Nacion.

$19.60, Voorhees Rubber Co.

$12.90, Whipple Hardware Co.

$6.55, Keegan's Garage.

$35.60, C. V. Finch, ice.

$441.00, Garfunkle Brothers, wire.

$69.65, Garfunkle Brothers, supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons and corporations for the amounts and purposes specified:

$143.00, Union Printing Company, stationery.

$0.70, J. W. Harrison, reading glass.

$115.00, Albert Datz Company, cards.

$83.68, Mrs. Mary Norton, Queen's Daughters.

$35.72, J. Decker, milk.

$3.50, Schneider & Hudson, thermometers.

$40.09, Jerome O'Keefe, dry goods.

$27.41, Joseph T. Sacks, utensils.

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$6.30, A. Kuntz, lamps.

$3.50, Schneider & Hudson, thermometers.

$2.88, The Norwich Pharmacal Company, drugs.

$52.92, Joseph H. Browne, laundry baskets.

$38.22, John F. Crosby, potatoes.

$113.64, Ammon & Person, butter and eggs.

$7.57, I. Britten, fish.

$37.68, William Bill, vegetables.

$15.25, E. Walter, meats.

$87.96, William Bill, vegetables.

$40.67, Otto Wilkens, bandages.

$212.93, Keystone Dairy Company, Milk and cream.

$44.10, Tom Murray, shoes.

$14.05, E. R. Squibb & Sons, drugs.

$7.50, John J. Mooney, drugs.

$161.99, Emiel Walter, meat.

$8.00, John F. Crosby, cabbage.

$15.00, E. R. Squibb Sons, drugs.

$17.00, The John F. Bauer Company, Ko-Ko.

$19.22, Blakeslee-Cadillac Company, auto repairs.

$217.45, H. D. Dougherty & Company, rubber gloves, etc.

$86.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$163.78, New York Telephone Company, service.

$54.60, Valvoline Oil Company, oils.

$378.00, Henry J. McDermott, ice.

$346.27, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$100.55, E. Walter, veal.

$45.86, W. H. Walthery, ham.

$62.03, Ganz & Goodman, dry goods.

$21.87, W. H. Walthery, ham.

$13.68, E. R. Squibb & Sons, drugs.

$50.18, McKesson & Robbins, drugs.

$129.95, Austin, Nichols & Company, groceries.

$21.07, Otto Wilkens, supplies.

$4.96, Novocol Chemical Company, procaine.

$189.03, William Bill, groceries.

$12.15, Keegan's Garage, auto repairs.

$31.45, Blakeslee-Cadillac Company, auto repairs.

$40.57, H. Kohnstamm & Company, baskets.

$7.74, William Bill, soda crackers.

$63.92, Joseph T. Sack, supplies.

$17.60, Expert Auto Tire Repair Company, repairs.

$281.69, Public Service Gas Company, gas.

$150.00, N. J. Window Cleaning Company, cleaning windows.

$7.50, Alex Hamill Iron Works, repairs to boiler.

$30.40, Hardenbergh Manufacturing Company, Vanobene.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PAY ROLLS.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached pay rolls for the amounts set opposite their respective names, being for services rendered during the periods specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays:—None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS.

From Commissioner Fagen, advising the Board that all the proceedings in the matter of the petition for the construction of a sewer in Summit Avenue (Howard Place and Fairmount Avenue) will be rescinded and the improvement abandoned in accordance with resolution to be submitted by him at the meeting held today, and requesting that a resolution be passed ordering the return of deposit made in connection with the petition for the improvement as follows:

John A. Hilton, $50.00; James E. Pope, $50.00.

Received.

From Commissioner Gannon:

Submitting supplemental debt statement.

Received.

From Commissioner Gannon, approving the following ordinances and recommending annual charges for the privileges as follows:

Louis Jordan, awning 344-344½ Jackson Avenue, $1.00 per annum.

Colgate & Co., platform Morris Street, $100.00 per annum.

Hespe Realty Co., vault and boiler room, 141-145 Cambridge Avenue, $25.00 per annum.

Hespe Realty Co., awning, 388 Central Avenue, $1.00 per annum.

Received.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, The American Grocery Company has this day made application to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City for permission to construct and maintain a shipping platform approximately 50 feet in length, four feet wide, four feet high and extending along building located at 105-107 Franklin Street, with overhead canopy 50 feet in length, four feet wide and to be fourteen feet over the sidewalk, in manner more fully described in their blue print attached to application, and have requested that pending the introduction and passage of an ordinance granting or refusing them this permission they be granted temporary permission to construct said platform and overhead canopy; therefore

Resolved, That this application for temporary permission be and the same is hereby referred to the Director of Streets and Public Improvements with power to grant or refuse said permission, and, if permission be granted, to impose such conditions as in his judgment may be proper.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance to improve all that part of Terrace Avenue, between Zabriskie Street and Lincoln Street, in the City of Jersey City, by improving with bituminous concrete pavement on a concrete base, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Whereas, It is deemed advisable by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements that Terrace Avenue, between Zabriskie Street and Lincoln Street, should be improved.

Therefore, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

That all that part of Terrace Avenue, between Zabriskie Street and Lincoln Street, in the City of Jersey City, County of Hudson and State of New Jersey, shall be improved as follows:

1. To have the avenue graded to the established grade by cutting or filling the same to the established grade.

2. To have new 5x16 inch bluestone curb set in concrete on each side thereof.

3. To have the present flagging relaid and new flagging laid where necessary.

4. To have the carriageway paved with bituminous concrete pavement on a concrete base, and all other work done that may be necessary to provide for the flow of the surface water, and to complete the improvement in a good and substantial manner; said improvement to be made in conformity to the provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof, and in accordance with specifications to be specially prepared.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance to provide for the making of private connections with sewer, gas and water mains or conduits for wires in Terrace Avenue, between Zabriskie Street and Lincoln Street, in the City of Jersey City, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Whereas, The Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvement of the City of Jersey City has reported that an ordinance has been introduced at a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, providing for the improvement of Terrace Avenue, between Zabriskie Street and Lincoln Street; and

Whereas, There are already laid and existing in said streets, sewer, gas and water mains, conduits for wires and there are building lots within said area to be improved which have no private connections with said sewer, gas and water mains or conduits for wires; and

Whereas, After said contemplated improvement to the above described area has been made, no private connections with said sewer, gas or water mains or conduits for wires can be made without tearing up a portion of the proposed improvement which then shall have been completed; therefore

The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

1. That after notice shall have been served on or shall have been given as provided by law, to owners or parties in interest of lands fronting on Terrace Avenue, between Zabriskie Street and Lincoln Street, such owners or parties in interest shall within the time mentioned in said notice, which shall not be less than thirty days after the passage of this ordinance, cause at their own cost and expense, private connections to be made between each such lot or plot of land twenty-five feet or less in width owned or controlled by such parties and the sewer, gas and water mains and conduits for wires in said streets.

2. If the work of making private connections with said sewer, gas and water mains and conduits for wires shall not have been begun within the time limited in said notice, then the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements shall have such private connections made and the cost and expense thereof shall be assessed upon any lands benefited.

3. All ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby rejected.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, On the 19th day of August, 1919, a hearing was held in the matter of the construction of an 18-inch vitrified pipe sewer in Summit Avenue from a point about 85 feet North of Howard Place to connect with sewer in Fairmount Avenue; and

Whereas, At said hearing several objections were presented; and

Whereas, Said objections, in the opinion of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, are well founded; therefore be it

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of said Director all proceedings heretofore taken in the matter of the petition of John A. Hilton and others, for the construction of an 18-inch vitrified pipe sewer in Summit Avenue from a point about 25 feet north of Howard Place to connect with sewer in Fairmount Avenue, be and are hereby reconsidered and rescinded, and that all further proceedings on the basis of said petition, cease.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the checks in the sums of fifty dollars ($50.00) each, deposited by John A. Hilton and James E. Pope in connection with the petition for the construction of a sewer in Summit Avenue (Howard Place and Fairmount Avenue) be and the same are hereby ordered returned to said John A. Hilton and James E. Pope, the proceedings having been rescinded due to protests filed against the proposed improvement.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer and approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form, for the regulating and repaving with sheet asphalt on present stone and concrete foundation the roadway of Manhattan Avenue from Central Avenue to the easterly line of Sanford Place on present concrete foundation and from the easterly line of Sanford Place to the Hudson Boulevard and Thirteenth Street from the easterly end of Thirteenth Street Viaduct to Henderson Street on present stone block foundation. Also Pershing Field from Central Avenue to Summit Avenue on a 5-inch concrete base, be and are hereby adopted and ordered filed, and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the contract for regulating and repaving with sheet asphalt on present stone and concrete foundation, the roadway of Astor Place, from Crescent Avenue to Summit Avenue, Summit Avenue from Astor Place to Baldwin Avenue, Baldwin Avenue from Summit Avenue to Prospect Street, Webster Avenue from Prospect Street to Paterson Plank Road, except such portions now paved with sheet asphalt and asphalt block pavement, etc., be and is hereby awarded to W. T. S. Crichfield at the price named in his proposal, namely 109 per cent. of the Chief Engineer's standard, it being the lowest bid received, and the Corporation Attorney be and is hereby directed to prepare and have executed necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing $15,000.00 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City.

Whereas, Pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 152, P. L. 1917, as amended, authority is conferred upon the governing body of the municipality to lay out, improve and embellish parks, public squares, etc.; and

Whereas, This Board determines that it is necessary to construct an athletic field in Montgomery Park for the Jersey City high schools; now

Therefore, The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. The sum of $15,000.00 be and it is hereby appropriated for the purpose of constructing an athletic field in Montgomery Park, and for furnishing and erecting a wooden fence and painting same enclosing said athletic field.

Section 2. That pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 252, P. L. 1916, approved March 22, 1916, as amended and for the purpose of meeting said appropriation, this Board authorizes and directs that $15,000.00 of temporary improvement bonds be issued bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum, said bonds shall mature in not exceeding six years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment and shall be signed by the Mayor or Acting Mayor and the Comptroller or Deputy Comptroller and attested by the City Clerk or Acting City Clerk.

Section 3. Said temporary improvement bonds shall state that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing the construction of an athletic field and furnishing same in Montgomery Park, the other matters in respect to the issuance of said bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Section 4. That the said temporary improvement bonds shall be paid or funded within six years after the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out.

Section 5. That the interest on said temporary improvement bonds shall be raised in the annual tax levy.

Section 6. That the faith and credit of Jersey City are hereby irrevocably pledged to the punctual payment of the principal and interest of the bonds herein authorized.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing $25,000.00 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City.

RECITALS

Whereas, The City of Jersey City has heretofore authorized sundry improvements to the Reservoir Playground and has appropriated at sundry periods the sum of $200,000.00 to carry on said improvements, and Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City where therein authorized for said amount to meet said appropriations, and are now outstanding, and

Whereas, It is determined by this Board to continue said improvement;

Now therefore, the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. The sum of $25,000.00 be and it is hereby appropriated for the purpose of further improvements to the Reservoir Playground in addition to the sums heretofore appropriated.

Section 2. That pursuant to the provision of the Chapter 252, P. L. 1916, approved March 22, 1916, as amended and in order to meet the said appropriation and to temporarily finance the said purpose Temporary Improvement Bonds of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City shall be issued in the principal amount of $25,000.00, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent per annum, said bonds shall mature in not exceeding six years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment, and shall be signed by the Mayor or Acting Mayor and by the Comptroller or Deputy Comptroller, and attested by the City Clerk or Acting City Clerk.

Section 3. The said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall state that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing improvements to the Reservoir Playground the other matters in respect of the issuance of said bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Section 4. The said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be paid or funded within six years after the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out.

Section 5. The interest on said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be raised in the annual tax levy.

Section 6. The faith and credit of

the City of Jersey City is hereby pledged for the punctual payment of the principal and interest of the bond herein authorized.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing $20,000.00 Emergency Bonds of the City of Jersey City.

Whereas, The Director of Streets and Public Improvements has reported to this Board that a number of streets in this City paved with asphalt that are out of guarantee, are, owing to the severity of the past winter, in a dangerous state of disrepair and the City is without funds to meet the necessities and conditions created thereby;

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That the sum of $20,000.00 be and it is hereby appropriated for the purpose of repairing the asphalt streets of Jersey City that are out of guarantee.

Section 2. That in pursuance of the provisions of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled "An Act concerning municipal and county finances," approved March 28, 1917, as amended, and for the purpose of meeting said appropriation the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, do and they hereby authorize and direct that Emergency Bonds in the sum of $20,000.00 be issued, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum said Bonds shall mature on December 31, 1921, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment and shall be signed by the Mayor or Acting Mayor and the Comptroller or Deputy Comptroller and attested by the City Clerk, or Acting City Clerk.

Section 3. Said bonds shall state that they are issued for repairs to asphalt streets that are out of guarantee.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing $157,000.00 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Bids were received for grading and building wooden fence at Montgomery Park, on June 15, and Joseph Ledger was the lowest responsible bidder; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for grading and building wooden fence at Montgomery Park be and the same is hereby awarded to Joseph Ledger at the price named in his bid, $12,587.40, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to have prepared and executed the necessary contracts therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

At this time Commissioner Fagen addressed the Board with reference to the contractors holding repaving contracts for the city. He stated that in accordance with decision granting the contractors an extension of one week from the last meeting on July 6, in which time to show that they are making an effort to complete their work, several contractors had made very good progress with their contracts, while others have given assurances that they will get to work as soon as possible. He also stated that one week was not sufficient time for the contractors to show progress, and recommended that another week be given them in which to submit complete reports showing the progress made.

Graham VanKeuren appeared with Counsellor Robert Carey and advised the Board that the cement required for his repaving contract has been forwarded to him and that he will proceed with the work as soon as the cement is received.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the Board granted an extension of one week's time to the contractors to show further progress.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the Board adjourned.

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, Jr.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

Approved.
FRANK A. DOLAN,
Clerk.

MEETING OF JULY 20, 1920

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, July 20th, 1920, at 2 P. M.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Absent: Commissioner O'Brien (excused).

FRANCHISE HEARINGS:

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the application of A. R. Southworth, for permission to erect and maintain an overhead awning to extend six feet, three inches beyond building line at No. 866-870 Bergen Avenue, the City Clerk called for anyone who might desire to protest against the application. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the application.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the application of A. R. Southworth for permission to erect and maintain an overhead awning to extend six feet, three inches beyond building line at No. 866-870 Bergen Avenue, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to Tuesday, August 3rd, 1920, at 2 P. M. in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

The hearing on the following described applications for franchise privileges having been adjourned and continued to this time and place, and the City Clerk having advertised as required by law that the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City will consider the final passage of ordinances covering said applications, the City Clerk read each ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of each of the following ordinances:

John Steurnagle, vault, 524 Mercer street.

Lackawanna Terminal Stores Co., platform and roof, Provost and 15th streets.

Eagle Grocery Co., platform, Brunswick street.

Joe Selzer, encroachment, 8 Manhattan avenue.

First National Bank, vault, York and Hudson streets.

Michael R. O'Brien, encroachment, 242 12th street.

Hespe Realty Co., vault, 141-145 Cambridge avenue.

Hespe Realty Co., awning, 388 Central avenue.

L. Jordan, awning, 344-344½ Jackson avenue.

Colgate & Co., platform and roof cover, Morris street.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the ordinances were referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

CITY ORDINANCES.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the final passage of the following described ordinances:

"An ordinance authorizing $4,000 for the repaving of Palisade avenue and authorizing temporary improvement bonds of the city to meet said appropriation."

"An ordinance authorizing $50,000 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City (repaving Manhattan avenue)."

"An ordinance authorizing $90,000

promissory notes of the City of Jersey City (additional land for Greenville High School, No. 4 School and Lincoln High School)," the City Clerk read each of the ordinances and called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against any of the above described ordinances.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the ordinances were referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on tne following-described applications for building alterations:

Robert Mrotezk, extend first story piazza and construct garage in cellar of No. 26 VanWagenen avenue.

J. Malkinson, remove present store front and build new front at No. 256 Newark avenue.

Joseph Tarchio, erect one-story and cellar brick addition for store purposes at No. 374-376 Third street.

All as shown on blue prints attached to their applications, the City Clerk called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of any of the above described applications.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against any of the above described applications.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the the application of Joseph Tarchio for permission to erect one-story and cellar brick addition to present four-story frame structure, No. 374-376 Third street, be and the same is hereby referred to the Superintendent of Buildings and the Mayor with power.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Robert Mrotezk, to extend first story piazza and construct garage in cellar of two-story, two-family, frame house No. 26 Van Wagenen avenue, Jersey City, as shown on blue print attached to application, provided, that the street and sidewalk level is not altered in any manner;

Further Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to J. Malkinson to remove present store front and build new store front in two-story frame building No. 256 Newark avenue, present posts and girders across front of building not to be altered, as shown on blue print attached to application;

Further Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS:

From William A. Polhemus, Township Clerk of Hanover Township, N. J., submitting resolution adopted on July 17, 1920, by the Township Committee of Hanover, rescinding the resolution passed by them on July 6, 1918, granting permission to the City of Jersey City to locate a sewage disposal plant within the borders of Hanover Township.

Received and referred to Commissioner Fagen.

From representative Italian organizations and Italian citizens, protesting against the possible dangers, obnoxious noises, unwarranted collections from poor, ignorant people and waste of money in connection with street fireworks celebrations unaer pretense of religion.

In connection with the foregoing communication, Dr. L. Pezze and Father Muscatti, pastor of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church, and Mr. Scarlatelli appeared before the Board and urged that an ordinance be passed by the City prohibiting the use of fireworks in connection with religious celebrations.

On motion of the Mayor, the petition was referred to the Law Department with a request to draft an ordinance covering this petition.

From Gulf Refining Co., requesting the Board to accept their guarantee, in lieu of freeholders of surety bond indemnifying the city against the loss of two checks drawn to their order in the sum of $196.63 and $230.19.

Received and referred to Commissioner Gannon.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

From General Purchasing Agent, advising the Board that he had examined the bids for furnishing steel shelving in the City Collector's vault, which had been referred to him by the Board, and that in his opinion, the bid of the Art Metal Construction Co. in the sum of $1,147.00, was the lowest bid in conformity with the city requirements.

Received.

From Board of School Estimate, submitting resolution passed by them on July 15th, 1920, determining that the sum of $100,000 is necessary for repairs and alterations to the William L. Dickinson High School.

Received and referred to Commissioner Gannon.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$224.24, Ahlemeyer Bros., repairs.

$650.55, Carscallen & Cassidy, supplies.

$2.50, Louis Frey, bue prints.

$5.50, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$14.00, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$87.00, Hudson Real Estate Co., Insurance.

$6.05, N. Y. Telephone Co., services.

$5.55, N. Y. Telephone Co., services.

$3.91, P. S. Gas Co., services.

$26.52, P. S. Electric Co., services.

$58.50, Union Printing Co., supplies.

$7.01, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$175.00, Estate of Jas. J. Amrock, rent.

$11.00, J. Coleman, horseshoeing.

$41.43, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$3.00, E. B. Dawson Co., supplies.

$1.34, E. B. Dawson Co., supplies.

$18.76, Eimer & Amend, supplies.

$9,816.00, East Jersey Water Co., water furnished.

$44.00, Arthur Erickson, supplies.

$12.48, Evening Journal Association, advt.

$21.45, Bertie Freund, refund.

$11.34, Louis Frey, blue prints.

$12.75, Massimo Fiore, ice.

$1,564.80, The Fagan Iron Works, castings.

$15.50, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$12.36, Hudson Observer, advt.

$233.07, Keegan's Garage, equipment.

$13.45, Mullins & Cronin, refund.

$342.00, Union Printing Co., reports.

$200.00, Stillman & Van Siclen Co.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named for the following amounts ard purposes:

$19.89, Auto Economic Company, tubes.

$69.58, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$5.00, Fleischman Bros., fender repairs.

$84.00, Elizabeth Dougherty, prisoners' meals.

$9.70, C. F. Hansen, stationery.

$4.75, M. H. Harris, glass.

$89.75, Minnie Heitzman, prisoners' meals.

$3.00, T. L. Higgins, supplies.

$24.20, J. F. Hurley, insurance.

$40.50, J. F. Hurley, insurance.

$6.58, Hudson Co. Buick Co., parts.

$45.63, Al. Kuntz, lamps.

$6.96, J. S. Menage Co., supplies.

$106.01, N. Y. Tel. Co., service.

$227.04, Public Service Elec. Co., service.

$91.71, Public Service Gas Co., service.

$7.66, C. D. Reese, badges.

$19.41, J. T. Ryerson & Son, steel.

$43.73, Seiss Mfg. Co. horns.

$35.46, Splitdorf Elec. Co., repairs.

$4.20, Whipple Hdw. Co., supplies.

$707.56, Carscallen & Cassidy.

$2.50, Great Bear Spring Co.

$2.30, Morris Motor Car Co.

$17.55, Expert Tire Repair Co.

$26.34, E. A. Williams & Son, Inc.

$22.00, Am. La France Fire Eng. Co.

$123.48, Walter J. Coleman.

$22.70, Garfunkel Bros.

$19.15, Garfunkel Bros.

$23.70, Garfunkel Bros.

$24.00, Al. Kuntz.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following-named persons and corporations for the amounts and purposes specified:

$90.81, D. C. Markus, meats.

$19.67, Public Service Gas Co., gas.

$13.00, Thos. L. Higgins, steel wool.

$8.25, Ganz & Goodman, towels.

$8.40, John J. Mooney, drugs.

$5.00, W. B. Saunders & Co., treatise.

$123.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$89.50, M. Miller, towels.

$196.06, Otto Wilkens, instruments, etc.

$9.15, J. V. Calley, vegetables.

$21.00, D. Pollio, vegetables.

$77.66, William Bill groceries.

$177.38, John F. Crosby, vegetables.

$394.54, Morris Weisman, butter.

$78.15, E. R. Squibb & Sons, drugs.

$297.46, Hamilton Meat Market, meats.

$67.07, P. Loffredo & Bro., meats.

$11.10, Otto Wilkens, drugs.

$288.00, Johnson & Johnson, catgut.

$23.88, Meincke & Co., drainage tubing.

$24.70, J. H. Browne, supplies.

$200.90, William Bill, Groceries.

$58.90, D. E. Cleary, groceries.

$36.41, Otto Wilkens, drugs, etc.

$12.00, D. E. Cleary Co., groceries.

$135.73, William Bill, groceries.

$34.40, Joseph H. Browne, groceries.

$181.94, D. Pollio, fruit and vegetables.

$46.06, David I. Cohen, drugs.

$13.00, Grubel & Co., drugs.

$70.07, Otto Wilkens, drugs.

$9.10, The Kny-Scheerer Corp., instruments.

$108.98, Otto Wilkens, medical supplies.

$222.04, D. Pollio, vegetables.

$52.50, Colgate & Co., soap powder.

$55.37, David I. Cohen, drugs.

$208.19, Wilkinson, Gaddis & Co., groceries.

$8.30, Armour & Co., thyroid tablets.

$32.58, Herald Printing Co., printing.

$12.00, Ross Royal Co., oiled silk.

$45.00, Park, Davis & Co., drugs.

$226.50, Ross Royal Co., medical supplies.

$20.68, Joseph J. Mooney, drugs.

$40.12, L. L. Croner, groceries.

$141.76, Austin, Nichols & Co., groceries.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named for the following amounts and purposes:

$2,488.20, Public Service Elec. Co., installing light.

$236.86, John H. Cooney, boiler repair.

$382.95, Stillman, Delehanty & Ferris, labor, etc.

$21.32, Eve. Journal Assn, advertising.

$33.00, Whipple Hdw. Co., varnish and oil.

$18, T. L. Higgins, keys.

$72.06, Consumers' Coal & Ice Co., lumber.

$15.20, J. C. Lumber Co., lumber.

$4.55, J. C. Lumber Co., lumber.

$21.88, J. C. Lumber Co., lumber.

$8.00, Benjamin Kuperman, glass.

$4.00, Benjamin Kuperman, glass.

$14.85, Samuel Levy, bases.

$2.50, Whipple Hdw. Co., hardware.

$1.50, Whipple Hdw. Co., nails.

$150.00, F. V. Kidder, music.

$20.59, J. C. Lumber Co., lumber.

$18.80, J. C. Lumber Co., lumber.

$52.59, J. C. Lumber Co., lumber.

$11.20, J. C. Lumber Co., lumber.

$19.80, J. C. Lumber Co., lumber.

$40.73, I. C. Lumber Co., lumber.

$1.00, F. B. Brill, paper fasteners.

$2.70, Washburn Bros., lime.

$12.90, Washburn Bros., cement.

$10.30, Public Service Elec. Co., service.

$4.00, Public Service Elec. Co., service.

$1.15, Public Service Gas Co., service.

$4.70, Fleishman Bros., auto repair.

$20.00, James Braden, rent.

$1.50, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$6.00, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$345.00, Phil Warn, Jr., decorating.

$16.50, A. S. Hoyd Varnish Co., varnish.

$18.00, M. Reider, chair repair.

$5.90, Henry J. Reitze, elec. repair.

$7.50, Henry J. Reitze, reflectors .

$9.50, Whipple Hdw. Co., nails.

$1.00, Erie R. R., rent.

$15.00, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$6.00, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$4.00, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$2.50, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$6.00, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$7.00, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$3.97, Jersey City Supply Co., plumbing supplies .

$18.47, Jersey City Supply Co., plumbing supplies .

$3.83, Jersey City Supply Co., plumbing supplies.

$1.01, Jersey City Supply Co., plumbing supplies.

$103.25, Butler Bros., flags.

$8.12, Smooth-On Mfg. Co., cement.

$17.40, Patton Paint Co., paint.

$1,205.00, William Gotthardt, flowers.

$.40, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$75.00, F. B. Brill, brooms.

$1,075.00, William Gotthardt, flowers.

$14.58, Erie R. R., freight charges.

$45.13, Washburn Bros., cement.

$8.76, Hudson Observer, adv.

$4.00, J. C. Supply Co., acorns.

$234.34, Oakland Lumber Co., lumber.

$9.12, Eve. Journal Assn., adv.

$8.40, Hudson Observer, adv.

$40.80, Standard Oil Co., oil.

$49.95, Geo. Brewer, roofing.

$17.17, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., auto parts.

$3.00, Carteret Garage Co., auto repair.

$17.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$15.00, Union Printing Co., programs.

$2.50, Whipple Hdw. Co., cash cord.

$259.35, McConnell Coal Co., coal.

$118.17, Jersey City Supply Co., plumbing supplies.

$43.10, Jersey City Supply Co., plumbing supplies.

$2.16, Whipple Hdw. Co., bolts.

$8.88, Eve. Journal Assn., adv.

$504.27, Stillman, Delehanty & Ferris Co., dyke repair.

$175.00, George W. Irving, plumbing.

$27.40, Unity Sanitary Co., towels.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS.

From Commissioner Fagen, transmitting protest submitted by property owners against the erection of garages on plot in rear of 498-500 and 502 Bergen Avenue, and recommending that a public hearing be held in the matter.

Received.

From Commissioner Fagen, to whom was referred the application of the American Grocery Company for permission to erect shipping platform and roof cover at No. 105-107 Franklin Street, advising the Board that he had viewed the premises, and inasmuch as there is no platform upon Franklin Street, and also that in view of the fact that it is a business street and the business men of that section do not know anything about this application at the present time, that he has not granted a temporary permit to proceed with the work pending the final action by the Board, but would recommend that the application be proceeded with in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Board governing franchise applications.

Received.

From Commissioner Fagen, approving application of Margulies & Gerstenfield requesting permission to erect vault under sidewalk at the corner of Glenwood Avenue and the Boulevard, and recommending that the application be proceeded with in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Board governing franchise applications.

Received.

From Commissioner Fagen, approving application of John Brennan for permission to alter building and erect garage in cellar of No. 91 Wilkinson Avenue, and recommending that permit be granted for this purpose.

Received.

From Commissioner Gannon, recommending that an annual charge of $248.00 be made for the privilege granting permission to the Baker Castor Oil Co. to erect and maintain a shipping platform on Washington Street.

Received.

From Commissioner Gannon, submitting supplemental debt statement.

Received and ordered filed.

From Commissioner Moore, submitting for the consideration and approval of the Board, a report recommending that a Belt Line Railroad be constructed along the westerly water front from the Lehigh Valley and Pennsylvania Railroads, near the southerly boundary of the City to and connecting with the trunk lines near the northerly boundary of the City, further recommending that the Board declare it to be the policy and plan of the City that this railroad be constructed and the matter be taken up with the railroad corporations and other interests involved.

After discussion by the Board the Mayor moved that the matter be referred to Commissioners Fagen and Moore for investigation and recommendation.

Commissioner Fagen requested that he be excused from acting on the matter, and suggested that a copy of the report be forwarded to each member of the Board and that the matter be laid on the table.

On motion of Commissioner Moore, the matter was ordered laid on the table and a copy of the report to be sent to each Commissioner.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Departent of Streets and Public Improvements contract for the improvement of Van Winkle Avenue, between Liberty Avenue and Tonnele Avenue, with sheet asphalt on concrete foundation, be and the same is hereby awarded to W. T. S. Crichfield at the price named in his bid, namely, one hundred and fourteen per cent. (114%) of the standard, his being the lowest bid received; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, contract for the improvement of Williams Avenue, between Mallory Avenue and Bennett Street, with sheet asphalt on concrete foundation, be and the same is hereby awarded to W. T. S. Crichfield, at the price named in his bid, namely one hundred and nine per cent. (109%) of the standard, his being the lowest bid received, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, contract for the improvement of Seaview Avenue, between Princeton Avenue and Garfield Avenue, with sheet asphalt on concrete foundation, be and the same is hereby awarded to W. T. S. Crichfield, at the price named in his bid, namely, one hundred seventeen per cent. (117%) of the Standard, his being the lowest bid received; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and requested to fix a date for public hearing and advertise, the same as required by law, on the application of the American Grocery Company for permission to erect shipping platform and roof cover at No. 105-107 Franklin street.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and requested to fix a date for public hearing and advertise the same, as required by law, on the application of Margulies & Gerstenfield for permission to erect vault under sidewalk at the corner of Glenwood and the Boulevard.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications prepared by the General Purchasing Agent and approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form for the furnishing and delivering of hay, grain, feed, etc., from date of contract to January 31, 1920, as follows: 708,000 lbs. hay, No. 1 timothy, large bales; 80,200 lbs. straw, best grade; 33,600 lbs. bran, 16,205 bu. oats, 8,500 lbs. alfalfa, 1,525 lbs. rock salt, 150 lbs. dairy salt, 400 lbs. oil meal, be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, Heretofore and on the 4th day of May, 1920, an ordinance was passed by this board providing for the improvement of all that part of Mallory avenue between Clendenny avenue and Communipaw avenue, by widening, grading and improving same with asphalt pavement on concrete base, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof; and,

Whereas, Said ordinance provides for the taking of lands and real estate and rights and interests therein, the location and dimensions of such lands and real estate so proposed to be taken being set out in such ordinance; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the map accompanying said ordinance, together with a certified copy thereof duly attested by the Clerk of this Board, be filed with the Commissioners of Assessment and referred to them for the purpose of making an award for said lands and real estate and rights and interests therein to the owners thereof; further

Resolved, That upon the making of such awards the said Commissioners of Assessment make and file with this board a report of their action in the premises.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer and approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form, for the construction of sewers in the Fisk Street Drainage Area, as per plan, be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed, and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance for the relief of Colgate & Co. in the erection and maintenance of a shipping platform with overhead canopy along the Morris Street side of its proposed new building, Jersey City.

The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That Colgate & Co. is hereby permitted to erect and maintain a shipping platform with an overhead canopy along the Morris Street side of its proposed new building, said platform to be ten (10) feet wide, and to extend approximately twenty-one (21) feet along the said building on Morris Street; said canopy to be eleven (11) feet wide, to be located eleven feet and four inches (11′ 4″) above the sidewalk and to extend over the said platform for the length thereof.

Section 2. The said platform and overhead canopy shall be built in accordance with the plans filed with the petition of said Colgate & Co., and in a manner satisfactory to and under the supervision of the proper department of the City Government.

Section 3. The ordinance granting this privilege shall be in full force and effect for a period of twenty years.

Section 4. In accepting the privileges of this ordinance and the operation and maintenance herein authorized, the beneficiaries thereby agree to assume full, complete and undivided responsibility for any and all injury or damage to persons or property by reason of such construction or maintenance, and to hold the City harmless therefrom.

Section 5. Said beneficiaries shall cause to be constructed on either end of said platform herein permitted such easy steps that pedestrians can utilize for sidewalk purposes. Every care must be taken by the said Colgate & Co. to keep at all times a free and clear passage for pedestrians, so that the platform herein authorized shall not become a nuisance to the traveling public, the right being reserved by the Board to so regulate the use thereof that the rights of the public will be conserved.

Section 6. The ordinance shall not become effective unless an acceptance in writing thereof shall be filed by the beneficiaries with the City Clerk within thirty days after receiving notice of the passage thereof.

Section 7. For the privileges herein accorded the said beneficiaries shall pay annually to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City the sum of one hundred and 00/100 ($100.00) dollars, proper proportions of which payment shall be made semi-annually in advance to the City Comptroller of Jersey City at his office in the City Hall on the first days of August and February next succeeding the time when this ordinance shall become effective and each year thereafter in like manner; and this ordinance being for the sole relief of the said Colgate & Co. in the facilitating of their business, shall not be assigned or permitted to be used by any other person, company or corporation whatsoever, except by the authority or subsequent resolution of this Board.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance granting permission to Louis Jordan to construct and maintain an overhead awning in front of premises situated on Jackson avenue, Jersey City.

Whereas, Louis Jordan has made application for permission to construct and maintain an overhead awning beyond the building line and in front of the premises known as 344-344½ Jackson avenue, said awning to be securely and properly fastened to the wall of the building, as shown on blue prints attached to said application on file in the office of the City Clerk;

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That the said Louis Jordan be and he is hereby permitted to construct in front of the premises known as 344-344½ Jackson avenue, Jersey City, an awning or marquise as shown on the blue print of plans filed with the application of the said Louis Jordan.

Section 2. The said overhead awning or marquise is to be constructed of eight-foot beams, five feet of which are to be built in the store and three feet extending beyond the building line, and will be of wood construction covered with copper roofing, ten and one-half feet above the sidewalk level and to be twenty-six feet wide, and is also to be fastened to the wall of the building with three overhead chains. The said overhead awning is to project from the building a distance of three feet beyond the building line over the sidewalk.

Section 3. The said overhead awning or marquise shall be built in accordance with the plans filed with the petition of said Louis Jordan and in a manner satisfactory to and under the supervision of the proper department of the City Government.

Section 4. The ordinance granting this privilege shall be in full force and effect for a period of twenty years.

Section 5. In accepting the privileges of this ordinance and the operation and maintenance herein authorized the beneficiaries thereby agree to assume full, complete and undivided responsibility for any and all injury or damage to persons or property by reason of such constructions or maintenance, and to hold the city harmless therefrom.

Section 6. This ordinance shall not become operative unless an acceptance in writing thereof shall be filed by the beneficiaries with the City Clerk within thirty days after receiving notice of the passage thereof.

Section 7. For the privileges herein accorded said beneficiaries shall pay annually to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City the sum of one dollar ($1.00), said payment to be made in advance to the City Comptroller of Jersey City at his office in the City Hall on the first day of August next succeeding the time when this ordinance shall become effective, and each year thereafter in like manner; and this ordinance being for the sole relief of the said Louis Jordan, shall not be assigned or permitted to be used by any other person, company or corporation whatsoever, except by the authority or subsequent resolution of this Board.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance permitting the Hespe Realty Corporation to construct and maintain a vault and boiler room underneath the sidewalk in front of its building on Cambridge avenue, Jersey City.

Whereas, the Hespe Realty Corporation has filed a petition requesting permission to construct and maintain a vault and boiler room underneath the sidewalk in front of its building, situated at 141-143-145 Cambridge avenue, Jersey City; and

Whereas, A public hearing has been held after the notice of the same given in accordance with the statute, and there being no objections thereto;

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. The Hespe Realty Corporation is hereby granted permission to construct and maintain a vault and boiler room underneath the sidewalk of its premises at 141-143-145 Cambridge avenue, extending from the building line of said premises to the curb line on Cambridge avenue, and being approximately forty-three feet in length along said building.

Section 2. Said vault and boiler room to be constructed in accordance with the plans attached to the petition on file in the office of the City Clerk and in such manner as not to interfere with the rights of the City under or upon the surface of the said Cambridge avenue.

Section 3. This ordinance is granted upon the express condition that should the surface of the street in front of the premises above described be in any wise interfered with, it shall be restored to its former condition by the said petitioner to the satisfaction and approval of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements.

Section 4. The ordinance granting this privilege shall be in full force and effect for a period of twenty years.

Section 5. In accepting the privileges of this ordinance and the operation and maintenance herein authorized, the beneficiaries thereby agree to assume full, complete and undivided responsibility for any and all injury or damage to persons or property by reason of such construction or maintenance, and to hold the City harmless therefrom.

Section 6. This ordinance shall not become operative unless an acceptance in writing thereof shall be filed by the beneficiaries with the City Clerk within thirty days after receiving notice of the passage thereof.

Section 7. For the privileges herein accorded the said beneficiaries shall pay annually to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City the sum of Twenty-five Dollars ($25.00), said payment to be made in advance to the City Comptroller of Jersey City at his office in the City Hall on the first day of August next succeeding the time when this ordinance shall become effective, and each year thereafter in like manner; and this ordinance being for the sole relief of the said Hespe Realty Corporation, shall not be assigned or permitted to be used by any other person, company or corporation whatsoever, except by the authority or subsequent resolution of this Board.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance granting permission to the Hespe Realty Corporation to erect and maintain an overhead awning beyond the building line of the property situated at 388 Central Avenue, Jersey City.

Whereas, The Hespe Realty Corporation has made application for permission to erect and maintain an overhead awning beyond the building line and in front of the premises known as 388 Central avenue, Jersey City, said awning to be securely and properly fastened to the side walls of the building, as shown on blue prints attached to said application on file in the office of the City Clerk;

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That the said Hespe Realty Corporation be and the same is hereby permitted to erect in front of the premises known as 388 Central avenue, Jersey City, an awning or marquise, as shown on the blue print of plans filed with the application of the said Hespe Realty Corporation.

Section 2. The said overhead awning or marquise shall be twenty-five feet in length along the front of said building and approximately nine feet above the level of the sidewalk and shall extend from the building line of said building to the curb line in front of the same.

Section 3. The said overhead awning or marquise shall be built in accordance with the plans filed with the petition of said Hespe Realty Corporation and in a manner satisfactory to and under the supervision of the proper department of the City Government.

Section 4. The ordinance granting this privelege shall be in full force and effect for a period of twenty years.

Section 5. In accepting the privileges of this ordinance and the operation and maintenance herein authorized, the beneficiaries thereby agree to assume full, complete and undivided responsibility for any and all injury or damage to persons or property by reason of such construction or maintenance and to hold the City harmless therefrom.

Section 6. This ordinance shall not become operative unless an acceptance in writing thereof shall be filed by the beneficiaries with the City Clerk within thirty days after receiving notice of the passage thereof.

Section 7. For the privileges herein accorded the said beneficiaries shall pay annually to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City the sum of One Dollar ($1.00), said payment to be made in advance to the City Comptroller of Jersey City at his office in the City Hall on the first day of August next succeeding the time when this ordinance shall become effective, and each year thereafter in like manner, and this ordinance being for the sole relief of said Hespe Realty Corporation, shall not be assigned or permitted to be used by any other person, company or corporation whatsoever, except by the authority or subsequent resolution of this Board.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance for the relief of Michael R. O'Brien in relation to encroachment of building situated on the northerly side of Twelfth street in the City of Jersey City.

Whereas, It has been reported to the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, through the Board of Commissioners, by petition of Michael R. O'Brien, that there is erected a certain frame building on the lands of the said Michael R. O'Brien, situated on the northerly side of Twelfth street, and being known as Lot 13 in Block 288, upon the official assessment map of Jersey City, and also known as No. 242 Twelfth street, Jersey City, New Jersey, which said building encroaches beyond the easterly line of the lot of said Michael R. O'Brien and upon the land owned by the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City immediately adjoining the said building as follows: The rear of the main building extends over said lot line six one-hundredths (6-100) of a foot and the easterly side of the main building leans at the top thereof about twelve one-hundredths (12-100) of a foot easterly, as will more fully appear by a certain survey made by Harrison, Dunham & Earle and dated January 14, 1908, copy of which survey is attached to the petition of the said Michael R. O'Brien on file in the office of the City Clerk of Jersey City; and

Whereas, The said Michael R. O'Brien prays for permission to maintain the aforesaid encroachment, and a public hearing having been held thereon after due notice of the same being given in accordance with the statute, and there being no objection thereto; now, therefore,

The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That permission be and the same is hereby granted to the said Michael R. O'Brien, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns, to maintain the said buildings now erected on the said land as the same now stand, insofar as they relate to the aforesaid encroachment, until such time as the said buildings shall either be removed or demolished, at which time the same shall be made to conform to the easterly line of said Lot 13 in Block 288.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance permitting the First National Bank of Jersey City to construct and maintain a vault under the sidewalk in front of its building the northerly side of York street.

Whereas, It appears by the petition of the First National Bank of Jersey City addressed to the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of Jersey City that it desires permission to construct and maintain a vault under the sidewalk in front of its building now in course of construction, as will more fully appear by the plans attached to the petition on file in the office of the City Clerk; and

Whereas, A public hearing has been held thereon after due notice of the same given in accordance with the statute, and there being no objection thereto; now, therefore,

The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That permission be and the same hereby is given to the First National Bank, its successors and assigns to construct and maintain a vault under the sidewalk in front of its building now under construction on the northerly side of York street, beginning at the corner of Hudson street and extending east along the front of said building ninety (90) feet, nor more than ten (10) feet in depth and to extend beyond the building line of said building fifteen (15) feet.

Section 2. That portion of the vault immediately adjoining the building and for a distance of eight feet in front of the same shall be covered by vault lights, which are to be level with the sidewalk and form part thereof, the balance of said fifteen (15) feet to consist of a concrete sidewalk, as laid out and designated on the plan attached to the petition on file in the office of the City Clerk.

Section 3. This ordinance shall remain in full force and effect for the period of twenty years.

Section 4. This ordinance shall not become operative unless an acceptance in writing of the terms hereof shall have been filed with the City Clerk of Jersey City within thirty days of the date of receiving notice of the passage of said ordinance.

Section 5. For the privileges herein

accorded the beneficiaries hereunder shall pay annually to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty-five ($255.00) Dollars, proper proportions of which payment shall be paid to the City Comptroller of Jersey City at his office in the City Hall, Jersey City, on the first days of August and February next succeeding the time when this ordinance shall become operative and each year thereafter in like manner.

The City Clerk read the foregoing message as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance for the relief of Joseph Selzer in relation to the encroachment of building situated on the southerly side of Manhattan avenue in the City of Jersey City.

Whereas, It has been reported to the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of Jersey City by the petition of Joseph Selzer that there is erected a certain building on the lands of the said Joseph Selzer situated on Manhattan avenue, which building is erected partly on Lot 396 and partly on Lot 399 in City Block 735, and is also known as No. 8 Manhattan avenue, Jersey City, which said building encroaches along and beyond the building line of Manhattan avenue twenty-two (22) inches, tapering easterly to a point as shown on a certain survey made by Emil Guhl, dated April 10, 1920, as will more fully appear by a copy of said survey attached to the petition of the said Joseph Celzer; and

Whereas, The said Joseph Selzer prays for permission to maintain the aforesaid encroachment and a public hearing having been held thereof after due notice in accordance with the statute, and there being no objection thereto; now, therefore,

The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Joseph Selzer, his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns to maintain the said building now erected on said lands as the same now stands, insofar as it relates to the aforesaid encroachment, until such time as the the same shall either be removed or require a reconstruction or rebuilding, at which time the same shall be made to conform to the building line as established.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance for the relief of the Lackawanna Terminal Stores Company in the erection and maintenance of a shipping platform, with roof covering for same, at its premises situated on Provost street, Jersey City.

The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That the said Lackawanna Terminal Store Company|is hereby permitted to erect and maintain a shipping platform, together with a roof covering the same, which platform and roof shall be fifty-four (54) feet in length by ten (10) feet in depth; said platform to be three feet and six (3'6") in height, and the roof thereof to be at least seven (7) feet headroom clearance from the level of said platform, substantially and securely attached to the sidewalls of the buildings of the said Lackawanna Terminal Stores Company.

Section 2. The said platform and roof covering shall be built in accordance with the plans filed with the petitions of said Lackawanna Terminal Stores Company and in a manner satisfactory to and under the supervision of the proper department of the City Government.

Section 3. The ordinance granting this privilege shall be in full force and effect for a period of twenty years and thereafter until such time as the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City shall revoke or modify the same; and acceptance of the privilege herein contained being a recognition of the right of the City to so amend or revoke.

Section 4. In accepting the privileges of this ordinance and the operation and maintenance herein authorized, the beneficiaries thereby agree to assume full, complete and undivided responsibility for any and all injury or damage to persons or property by reason of such construction or maintenance, and to hold the City harmless therefrom.

Section 5. That all costs and expenses incident to the introduction and passage and publication of this ordinance and to the construction and maintenance of said platform and roof over the same shall be paid by the said Lackawanna Terminal Stores Company.

Section 6. This ordinance shall not become effective unless an acceptance in writing thereof shall be filed by the beneficiaries with the City Clerk within thirty days after receiving notice of the passage thereof.

Section 7. For the privileges herein accorded the said beneficiaries shall pay annually to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City the sum of One Hundred and 00/100 ($100.00) Dollars, proper proportions of which payment shall be made semiannually in advance to the City Comptroller of Jersey City at his office in the City Hall on the first days of August and February next succeeding the time when this ordinance shall become effective, and each year thereafter in like manner; and this ordinance being for the sole relief of the said Lackawanna Terminal Stores Company in the facilitating of their business, shall not be assigned or permitted to be used by any other person, company or corporation whatsoever except by the authority of subsequent resolution of this Board.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved that the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance granting permission to the Eagle Grocery Company to construct and maintain a reinforced concrete shipping and receiving platform situated in front of its premises on Brunswick street in Jersey City.

Whereas, It appears to the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, by the petition of the Eagle Grocery Company of Jersey City, that it desires to construct and maintain a concrete platform for the purposes of loading, shipping and receiving merchandise at its warehouse situated on Lots 17, 18, 19 and 20 in Block 405, fronting on Brunswick street, said platform to be constructed in accordance with the plans annexed to the petition on file in the office of the City Clerk; and

Whereas, a public hearing has been held on said petition after due notice given in accordance with the statute and there being no objection thereto; now, therefore, The Board of Commissioneres of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That permission be and the same is hereby granted to the Eagle Grocery Company, its successors and assigns, to construct and maintain a reinforced concrete platform in front of its warehouse situated on Lots 17, 18, 19 and 20 in Block 405, fronting on Brunswick street.

Section 2. Said platform to be constructed in accordance with the plans filed with said petition, to wit, five (5) feet in width throughout, eighteen (18) feet in length fronting on Brunswick street and two (2) feet in height throughout, and to be constructed in such a manner as not to interfere with any rights of the City under or upon the surface of Brunswick street, and in conformity with the Building Code of Jersey City.

Section 3. This ordinance shall remain in full force and effect for the period of twenty years.

Section 4. This ordinance shall not become effective unless an acceptance in writing thereof shall be filed by the beneficiaries with the City Clerk within thirty days after receiving notice of the passage thereof.

Section 5. Said beneficiarier shall cause to be constructed on either end of the said platform herein permitted such easy steps that pedestrians can utilize for sidewalk purposes. Every care must be taken by the said Eagle Grocery Company to keep at all times a free and clear passage for pedestrians, so that the platform herein authorized shall not become a nuisance to the traveling public, the right being reserved by the Board to so regulate the use thereof that the rights of the public will be conserved.

Section 6. In accepting the privileges of this ordinance and the operation and maintenance herein authorized, the beneficiaries thereby agree to assume full, complete and undivided responsibilities for any and all injury or damage to persons or property by reason of such construction and maintenance, and to hold the City harmless therefrom.

Section 7. For the privileges herein accorded the said beneficiaries hereunder shall pay annually to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City the sum of One Hundred ($100.00) Dollars, proper proportions of which payment shall be paid semi-annually in advance to the City Comptroller at his office in the City Hall, Jersey City, on the first days of August and February next succeeding the time when this ordinance shall become effective, and each year thereafter in like manner.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance granting permission to John Steuernagel to construct and maintain a concrete vault underneath the sidewalk in front of the premises known as 524 Mercer street, Jersey City.

Whereas, It appears to the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of Jersey City by the petition of John Steuernagel of Jersey City that he desires to construct and maintain a reinforced concrete vault under the sidewalk of the premises known as 524 Mercer street, Jersey City, also known as Lot 2 in Block 1893, as will more fully appear by the blue print annexed to the said petition on file in the office of the City Clerk; and

Whereas, A public hearing has been held on said petition after due notice given in accordance with the statute and there being no objection thereto; now, therefore,

The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That permission be and the same is hereby granted to John Steuernagel to construct and maintain a reinforced concrete vault under the sidewalk of the premises known as 524 Mercer street, Jersey City, also known as Lot 2 in Block 1893.

Section 2. Said vault is to be constructed in accordance with the plans attached to the petition on file in the office of the City Clerk, to wit, twenty-seven (27) feet in length, fourteen (14) feet in width and approximately nine (9) feet below the curb on Mercer street, and in such a manner as not to interfere with the rights of the City under or upon the suface of Mercer street.

Section 3. This ordinance is granted upon the express condition that should the surface of the street in front of the premises above described be in any wise interfered with it shall be restored to its former condition by the said petitioner to the satisfaction and approval of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements.

Section 4. This ordinance shall not become effective unless an acceptance in writing thereof shall be filed by the beneficiary with the City Clerk within thirty days after receiving notice of the passage thereof.

Section 5. For the privileges therein accorded the said John Steuernagel shall pay annually to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City the sum of Fifteen Dollars ($15.00), which payment shall be made annually in advance to the City Comptroller of Jersey City at his office in the City Hall on the first day of August next succeeding the time when this ordinance shall become effective, and each year thereafter in like manner.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to John Brennan to alter building and erect garage in cellar of two-story frame building No. 91 Wilkinson avenue, Jersey City, as shown on the blue print attached to application, provided that the street and sidewalk level is not altered in any manner further,

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing $90,200.00 promissory notes of the City of Jersey City.

RECITALS.

Whereas, The Board of Education of Jersey City on June 9, 1920, did furnish the Board of School Estimate with a statement deciding that it is necessary to raise money for the following purposes, and estimating the total cost of said purposes to be $90,200.00 to wit:

Purpose.	Amount.
Additional land Greenville High School site	$32,300.00
Additional land School No. 4	36,900.00
Additional land Lincoln High School	21,000.00
Totals	$90,200.00

And Whereas, The Board of School estimate at a meeting held June 28, 1920, did fix and determine the amount of money necessary for the purchase of the following purposes to wit: Additional land Greenville High School site, $32,300.00; additional land School No. 4, $36,900.00 additional land Lincoln

High School, $21,000.00; total, $90,200.00 now, therefore,

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. The sum of $90,200.00 be and it is hereby appropriated to the Board of Education of Jersey City for the purchase of the following to wit: Additional land Greenville High School site, $32,300.00 additional land School No. 4, $36,900.00; additional land Lincoln High School, $21,000.00;

Section 2. That in pursuance of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October 19, 1903, relating to the financing of school improvements," approved March 16, 1916, and for the purpose of meeting said appropriations the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do hereby authorize and direct that promissory notes in the sum of $90,200.00 be issued from time to time as the money may be needed by the Board of Education, and shall bear interest at a rate not to exceed six (6%) per cent. per annum and shall be due and payable one year from date of issue, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment by the City. Said notes shall be signed by the Mayor or Acting Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance or the Deputy Comptroller and attested by the City Clerk or Acting City Clerk.

Section 3. This Board does postpone the determination of whether the aforesaid sum appropriated shall be levied and collected or borrowed on permanent bonds.

Section 4. The interest on said promissory notes shall be raised in the annual tax levy.

Section 5. The proceeds of said notes shall be paid to the Custodian of School Moneys of Jersey City.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing $50,000.00 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City.

Section 1. The sum of $50,000.00 be and it is hereby appropriated for the purpose of repaving the roadway with sheet asphalt on present concrete foundation of Manhattan Avenue, from Central Avenue to Sanford Place, and repaving Sanford Place to the Hudson Boulevard; also repaving the driveway through Pershing Field, from Central Avenue to Summit Avenue; also repaving Thirteenth Street, from Henderson Street to the viaduct.

Section 2. That pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 252, P. L. 1916, approved March 22, 1915, as amended, and for the purpose of meeting said appropriation, this Board authorizes and directs that $50,000.00 of temporary improvement bonds be issued bearing interest at a rate not to exceed six (6%) per cent per annum, said bonds shall mature in not exceeding six years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment, and shall be signed by the Mayor or Acting Mayor, and the Comptroller or Deputy Comptroller, and attested by the City Clerk or Acting City Clerk.

Section 3. Said temporary improvement bonds shall state that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing the repaving of Manhattan Avenue, Sanford Place and Thirteenth Street, the other matters in respect of the issuance of said bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Section 4. The said temporary improvement bonds shall be paid or funded within six years after the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out.

Section 5. The interest on said temporary improvement bonds shall be raised in the Annual Tax Levy.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, More and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon.

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon.

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

AN ORDINANCE

Appropriating Four Thousand ($4,000) dollars for the repaving of Palisade avenue, and authorizing temporary improvement bonds of the city to meet said appropriation.

Section 1.—The sum of four thousand ($4,000) dollars is hereby appropriated (in addition to all other appropriations heretofore made for the same purpose) for the repaving of Palisade avenue from the south side of Prospect street to the Paterson Plank road.

Section 2—That pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 252, P. L. 1916, approved March 22nd, 1916, as amended and for the purpose of meeting said appropriation, this Board authorizes and directs that four thousand ($4,000) dollars of Temporary Improvement Bonds be issued, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent per annum, said bonds shall mature in not exceeding six years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment and shall be signed by the Mayor or Acting Mayor and the Comptroller or Deputy Comptroller and attested by the City Clerk or Acting City Clerk.

Section 3—Said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall state that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing the repaving of Palisade avenue, the other matters in respect to the issuance of said bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Section 4—That the said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be paid or funded within six years after the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out.

Section 5—The interest on said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be raised in the annual tax levy.

Section 6—That the faith and credit of Jersey City are hereby irrevocably pledged to the punctual payment of th principal and interest of the bonds herein authorized.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance.

The City Clerk read hte foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon.

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the General Purchasing Agent, contract for furnishing, delivering and installing of steel shelving in the lower vault of the City Collector's Office, City Hall, Jersey City, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Art Metal Construction Company, they being the lowest bidder, at the price named in their bid, namely $1,147.00, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to have prepared and executed the necessary contracts therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an Ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing $44,000.00 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing $18,500.00 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the city clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing $10,000.00 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered filed in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing $100,000.00 promissory notes of the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, The name of Abigail Simmons has been certified by the Civil Service Commission as eligible for the position of Playground Instructor; therefore, be it

Resolved, That Abigail Simmons be and she is hereby appointed as Playground Instructor in the Department of Parks and Public Property, for permanent seasonal work, at the salary of $100.00 per month, effective July 3, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the Board adjourned.

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

Approved:
FRANK A. DOLAN, City Clerk.

MEETING OF JULY 27, 1920

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Boaord of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, July 27, 1920, at 2 P. M.

Present. Commissioners Fagen, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Absent: Commissioner Gannon (excused).

IMPROVEMENT HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing for the purpose of considering the unertaking of the following improvement:

"The improvement of all that part of Bergen Avenue between Hudson Boulevard and Bergen Square, and Sip Avenue between the westerly line of Summit Avenue and the proposed easterly line of Bergen Avenue, by widening the same, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof and public notice having also been given as required by law, that the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City will consider the ordinance covering this improvement which was introduced at the meeting of the Board on July 6, 1920, and also determine upon its adoption or rejection, the City Clerk read the public notice and then called for any one who might desire to protest against the undertaking of the above described improvement.

The following named property owners appeared and stated that they had filed protests against this proposed improvement at the hearing held by this Board on May 25, 1920, and requested that these protests be considered at the hearing being held today:

Mr. Benjamin Darling, Dr. R. W. A. English, Mr. Wm. Payne, Mr. Schrouff, 32 Jones Street; Mrs. Van Riper, 57 Sip Avenue, Lot 4, Block 1867; Clifford L. Jones, 2160 Boulevard, Lots 8, 9, 10, Block 1867½, and lots 18, 19, 20-A, Block 1868; Edward S. Lynch, 909 Bergen Avenue, Lot 4-B, Block 1871, and Mrs. Gardeen, 905 Bergen Avenue, Lot 4-D, Block 1871.

Commissioner Fagen discussed the proposed improvement with the protestants present and then introdced the following resolution:

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the protests, both verbal and in writing, filed by property owners on Bergen Avenue and Sip Avenue, at the meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City on May 25, 1920, against the proposed widening and improving of Bergen Avenue and Sip Avenue, be and the same are hereby ordered considered as being filed at the hearing being held today, said hearign held on May 25, 1920, having been an informal hearing and the hearing advertised for this time and place (Tuesday, July 27, 1920) being a formal hearing.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

The City Clerk then called for any one who might desire to be heard in favor of the undertaking of the proposed improvement.

Mr. Walter Dear of the Evening Journal Association, Bergen and Sip Avenues, appeared and stated that he did not thingk it was necessary for him to reiterate any of the facts set forth by him at the hearing held on May 25, 1920, in favor of the proposed improvement. He also stated that if the improvement was put through that the property owners and the city at large would benefit thereby.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the

following improvement: "The improvement of all that part of Bergen Avenue, between Hudson Boulevard and Bergen Square, and Sip Avenue, between the westerly line of Summit Avenue and the proposed easterly line of Bergen Avenue, by widening the same in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof," be and the same is hereby adjourned for a period of one week.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

FRANCHISE HEARINGS.

The hearing on the application of the Baker Castor Oil Co. for permission to erect shipping platform with roof cover on the Washington Street side of their new building at the corner of Washington and Morgan Streets, having been adjourned and continued to this time and place, and the City Clerk having advertised that the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City will consider the final passage of an ordinance covering the above described application at this time and place, the Cty Clerk thereupon called for any one who might desire to protest against the final passage of the ordinance covering said application.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of the ordinance.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen, the ordinance was referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

CITY ORDINANCES.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the final passage of the following described ordinance:

"An ordinance authorizing $157,000.00 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City (Repave Astor Place, etc.), the City Clerk called for any one who might desire to protest against the final passage of the above described ordinance.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of the above described ordinance.

On motion of Commissioner Moore the ordinance was referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From property owners on Greenville Avenue, submitting communication signed by several property owners on Greenville Avenue, in which they state that they do not object to Mr. William Scheurer building a store front at No. 18 Greenville Avenue.

Referred to Commissioner Fagen and the Commission on Building Districts and Restrictions with power to grant or refuse permit for said store front.

From Seventh Ward Republican Club, advising the Board that at their last meeting it was voted to go on record as being in favor of the proposed public playground at Old Bergen Road and Danforth Avenue.

Received and referred to Commissioner Moore.

From residents and property owners on Wegman Parkway, submitting written protests against the block dance to be held on Wegman Parkway under the auspices of the Y. M. H. A. on July 28, 1920.

In connection with the foregoing protest, a large delegation of the members of the Y. M. H. A. also several property owners on Wegman Parkway, appeared before the Board for hearing in the matter.

Mr. Eisenberg, representing the Y. M. H. A., addressed the Board. He stated that they had made application for permit to hold the block dance on July 1, 1920, and the same had been granted; that the necessary printing and all arrangements had been completed for the dance; that the receipts of the dance were to be diverted for the support of the Americanization Class at the Y. M. H. A. Institute. He also stated that when informed that there was a protest against the dance, that an investigation and canvass had been made by the Y. M. H. A. members, and that they had secured a majority of the signatures of residents on the block who were in favor of the dance being held.

Mr. Charles Gormley, representing the protesting residents on the block, stated that the block dance would bring a large gathering of people and the lawns, shrubbery and parkway decorations would be damaged.

Mr. Eisenberg replied that they had made arrangements for sixty Y. M. H. A. Boy Scouts to guard against damage to the lawns and shrubbery.

The Mayor stated that he would assign policemen to the block to prevent any possible damage.

Commissioner Moore agreed to send one of his nurserymen to assist in the care of the parkway.

In concluding, Mr. Eisenberg stated that all necessary precautions would be taken to prevent any possible damage, that the dancing would be held between Van Cleff Street and Ocean Avenue, and the parkway section would be used for the bazaar.

After discussion, Commissioner O'Brien moved that under the present circumstances the permit for the block dance be granted.

Commissioner Fagen advised the Board that the permit had already been granted, and that the action of the Board would be to move that the permit as granted, stand. Thereupon, on motion of Commissioner O'Brien, the permit granted to the Y. M. H. A. to hold a block dance on Wegman Parkway on July 28, 1920, was ordered to stand as granted.

Mr. Eisenberg extended the thanks of the members of the Y. M. H. A. to the members of the Board and also invited them to attend the dance.

Mr. Charles Gormley, attorney for John Serpico of the International Fireworks Company, appeared and requested further data on the proposed ordinance prohibiting the discharge of fireworks to be passed by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City.

The Mayor advised Mr. Gormley that the ordinance would not interfere with the business conducted by Mr. Serpico.

Mr. Gormley then requested that a copy of the proposed ordinance be forwarded to him.

The City Clerk advised Mr. Gormley that the ordinance was in the course of preparation and a copy would be forwarded to him as soon as completed.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$479.70, American Creosoting Company, blocks.

$468,00, American Creosoting Company, block.

$326.43, American Creosoting Company, blocks.

$22.03, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$94.70, L. A. Bittighofer, supplies.

$710.71, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$21.84, The Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$400.50, Jos. N. Early, installing posts.

50.00, Five Corners Auto Co., services.

$15.00, Chas. F. Grant, refund.

$22.64, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$252.00, James P. Hall, Inc., supplies.

$23.40, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$54.50, Jos. T. Harrington.

$32.50, Charles Hayes, horseshoeing.

$16.00, John J. Howard, horseshoeing.

$244.40, J. C. Supply Co., supplies.

$195.00, C. J. Lutton horseshoeing.

$52.00, Thomas J. Miskel, horseshoeing.

$36.84, New York Telephone Company, service.

$2.60, New York Telephone Company, service.

$907.73, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$11,995.11, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$1,629.83, Public Service Gas Company, service.

$88.00, J. F. Sullivan, horseshoeing.

$62.00, James Sweeney, horseshoeing.

$8.75, The Texas Co., supplies.

$326.96, Washburn Brothers Company, supplies.

$31.11, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

$70.50, J. H. Walton, horseshoeing.

$8.28, The Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$7.80, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$85.78, Air Reduction Sales Co., supplies.

$7.65, F. B. Brill Company, supplies.

$6.00, James Brodie, expenses.

$31.87, Boonton Auto Garage, supplies.

$48.85, Adam Black, repairs.

$2.34, Wm. Crowell Company, supplies.

$43.45, L. Clark, repairs.

$88.20, J. E. Carlock, supplies.

$18.73, A. A. Daly, Jr., refund.

$5.50, E. B. Dawson Company, supplies.

$115.18, Chas. H. Engler, supplies.

$26.34, L. Feisler, refund.

$12.60, Ernest A. Gibbons Company, supplies.

$82.50, Hersey Manufacturing Company, supplies.

$112.50, William R. Harrison, services.

$14.50, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$14.05, J. C. Supply Company, supplies.

$31.36, J. C. Supply Company, supplies.

$30.50, E. Kelly horseshoeing.

$16,757.40, The Kennedy Valve Manufacturing Company.

$40.83, James S. Nolan, expenses.

$11.92, New York Telephone Company, service.

$3.40, New York Telephone Company, service.

$110.39, New York Telephone Company, service.

$35.20, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$28.96, Public Service Gas Company, service.

$1.50, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$44.17, The Texas Company, supplies.

$1.04, Herman F. Trautman, newspapers.

$36.75, Valvoline Oil Company, supplies.

$2.50, A. Walter's Sons, repairs.

$20.35, Wm. C. Woltman, refund.

$52.50, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

$162.27, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

Resolution by Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons, for the following amounts and purposes:

$1,431.00, United States Mortgage & Trust Co., preparation of bonds, etc.

$93.75, Hulse & Allen, report-hearing Interstate Commerce Commission.

$64.69, Acme Card System Co., supplies.

$23.40, George W. Irving, cabinet, etc.

$18.50, Union Printing Co., stationery.

$4.40, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$20.75, Union Printing Co., printing, (jitney books).

$100.00, Union Printing Co., printing, (forms, housing).

$97.00, Union Printing Co., printing, (reports).

$7.50, The American Law Book Co., Vol. 19, Corpus Juris.

$3.50, Soney & Sage, reports.

$16.44, N. Y. Telephone Co., service-Montgy. 1931.

$28.00, Payton & Hoos, supplies.

$29.00, Great Bear Spring Water Co., water.

$3.50, Great Bear Spring Water Co., water.

$3.50, Great Bear Spring Water Co., water.

$21.32, The Evening Journal Assn., public notice.

$9.00, Great Bear Spring Water Co., water-law dept.

$302.40, C. D. Kreps & Co., insurance.

$22.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$253.20, Rowlands & Westphal, insurance.

$16.20, Lexington Auto Tire Co., repairs, etc.

$25.20, Kelley's Garage, Inc., storage, etc.

$7.50, Lawyer's Co-operative Publishing Co., reports.

$9.00, Dobke Typewriter Exchange, rental.

$4.12, Sarco Co. of N. J., transcript, housing bills.

$6.80, Sarco Co. of N. J., transcript, R. R. Assnt. Appeals.

$69.26, Sarco Co. of N. J., transcript—testimony Long Dock vs. J. C.

$35.81, Lincoln Auto & Repair Co., auto repair.

$140.00 Library Bureau, indexing, etc

$22.35, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.

$8.64, Hudson Observer M. R. O'Brien, ordinance.

$9.24, Hudson Observer, First National Bank, ordinance.

$6.96, Hudson Observer, Selzer, ordinance.

$11.16, Hudson Observer, Lackawanna Stores, ordinance.

$10.04, Hudson Observer, Jordan, ordinance.

$9.36, Hudson Observer, Steuernagle, ordinance.

$11.16, Hudson Observer, Colgate, ordinance.

$11.52, Hudson Observer, Eagle Grocery, ordinance.

$2.04, Hudson Observer, Malkinson, alteration.

$10.56, Hudson Observer, Hespe Realty Co., ordinance, vault.

$10.92, Hudson Observer, Hespe Realty Co., ordinance.

$3.96, Hudson Observer, Tarchio, alteration.

$3.52, Hudson Observer, Mrotzek, alteration.

$4.00, Evening Journal Assn., Tarchio, alteration.

$2.00, Evening Journal Assn., Malkinson, alteration.

$8.28, Evening Journal Assn., O'Brien, ordinance.

$9.36, Evening Journal Assn., First National Bank, ordinance.

$11.04, Evening Journal Assn., Lackawanna Stores, ordinance.

$6.96, Evening Journal Assn., Selzer, ordinance.

$10.32, Evening Journal Assn., Hespe Realty Co., ordinance, vault.

$10.80, Evening Journal Assn., Hespe Realty Co., ordinance, awning.

$10.56, Evening Journal Assn., Jordan, ordinance.

$10.92, Evening Journel Assn., Colgate, ordinance.

$22.88, Evening Journal Assn., Southworth hearing.

$12.12, Evening Journal Assn., Eagle Grocery Co., ordinance.

$9.36, Evening Journal Assn., Steuernagel, ordinance.

$240.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$10.85, Union Towel Supply Company, service.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

Claims passed by Commissioner Moore, July 27, 1920:

$267.90, McConnell Coal Company, coal.

$78.60, Expert Auto Tire Repair Company, tires and tubes.

$24.00, Thomas L. Higgins, paint.

$1.69, Thomas L. Higgins, putty and tacks.

$54.00, Henry J. Reitze, wire.

$7.50, Thomas L. Higgins, enamel.

$8.50, Adam Black, wrench.

$17.50, Thomas L. Higgins, rubber boots.

$90.00, Thomas A. Deming, canvas strips.

$11.50, Thomas L. Higgins, putty.

$3.75, J. H. Ohmer, oil.

$352.00, Dickson Brothers, slate work.

$300.00, W. A. Barclay, plumbing.

$37.40, W. A. Barclay, plumbing.

$13.00, W. A. Barclay, plumbing.

$8.60, Thomas L. Higgins, wire and snaps.

$5.75, Thomas L. Higgins, hardware.

$5.55, Thomas A. Deming, chairs.

$2.50, N. Y. Telephone Company, service.

$8.98, N. Y. Telephone Company, service.

$4.38, Smooth-On Mfg. Company, cement.

$29.25, H. J. Beitze, fixtures.

$292.00, W. A. Barclay, plumbing.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named parties for the following amounts and purposes as hereinafter set forth:

$8.50, Lewis Max & Sons.

$200.90, Garfunkel Brothers.

$159.00, The Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Company.

$24.90, A. Kuntz.

$60.50, S. F. Hayward & Co.

$65.97, Jersey City Storage Battery Company.

$27.43, Coleman Auto Electric Service Company.

$70.25, Fleischman Brothers.

$48.00, C. J. Lutton.

$48.00, Thos. Davis.

$9.63, Standard Oil Company.

$144.20, R. H. Perry & Co.

$476. 26, McConnell Coal Company.

$237.81, Dr. Paul Andreae, repairs (auto).

$4.00, G. D. Davidson Company, clock repairs.

$10.50, Coleman Auto Electric Service Company, repairs.

$27.40, Expert Auto Tire Repair Company, repairs.

$6.50, Great Bear Water Company, water.

$26.00, Great Bear Water Company, water.

$4.65, C. F. Hansen, stationery.

$498.65, P. Jochman Company, repairs.

$2.60, Keegan's Garage, parts.

$15.12, Lake Sales Company, rings.

$750.00, Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, care of delinquents.

$37.50, Union Printing Company, stationery.

$11.50, Union Printing Company, printing (W. & M.).

$15.68, Union Printing Company, printing (W. & M.).

$78.25, J. A. Vill & Son, shoe and tube (W. & M.).

$9.60, J. A. Vill & Son, tube.

$56.85, J. A. Vill & Son, shoe.

$30.50, Fleischman Brothers, repairs.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons and corporations for the amounts and purposes specified:

$67.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$6.30, Charles F. Hansen, blotters.

$110.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$105.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$8.50, Great Bear Water Company, spring water.

$327.40, Hewitt & Bauer, auto repairs.

$115.02, American Auto Tire Company, tires and repairs.

$2.90, Morris Motor Car Company, auto repairs.

$28.07, John P. Landrine, miscellaneous hardware.

$190.00, W. R. Holmes Company, coffee.

$8.35, Expert Auto Tire Repair Company, repairing tubes.

$5.00, Garfunkel Brothers, electric supplies.

$150.00, New Jersey Window Cleaning Company, month of June.

$15.00, Nash Sales Corporation, auto storage.

$81.80, H. D. Dougherty, rubber gloves.

$72.00, Lewis Manufacturing Company, gauze.

$12.75, G. Y. Lewis, surgeons' caps.

$6.30, New York Telephone Company, local service.

$141.12, Meinecke & Co., supplies.

$73.21, D. Eisenberg, bananas, etc.

$213.64, W. R. Holmes & Co., tea and coffee.

$21.00, W. R. Holmes & Co., tea.

$8.70, D. Eisenberg, vegetables.

$65.52, Hamilton Meat Market, lamb.

$130.84, William C. Hagen, beef.

$337.32, J. Decker, milk, cream, etc.

$8.25, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

$32.24, Swift & Co., veal.

$272.20, Hamilton Meat Market, meat.

$24.08, William C. Hagen, fowl.

$78.59, P. Loffredo & Bro., pork.

$165.52, D. Eisenberg, vegetables.

$7.50, Thomas L. Higgins, scoops.

$400.00, Lewis Manufacturing Company, bandage.

$10.50, Charles F. Hansen, ink.

$118.00, J. W. Greene, shades.

$15.50, Jack Green, vegetables.

$72.00, Walter Le Blanc, ice cream.

$25.44, Edward Boker, vegetables.

$310.08, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$24.34, William C. Hagen, fowl.

$22.05, Joseph H. Browne, toilet paper.

$35.75, Joseph H. Browne, mops.

$58.02, W. H. Walthery, meats.

$36.39, L. L. Croner, groceries.

$7.00, Otto Wilkens, syringes.

$52.23, D. Pollio, fruits and vegetables.

$36.00, I. Price, surgeons' suits.

$7.00, Payton & Hoos, shades.

$4.50, Fleischman Brothers, auto repairs.

$99.12, Kleanco Manufacturing Corporation, Kleanco.

$12.32, Frank A. Van Winkle, cloth.

$9.75, G. Y. Lewis, caps.

$12.00, I. Price, uniforms.

$43.00, Bergen Lodge Realty Co., rental for graduation.

$49.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$20.80, The Evening Journal Association, advertisement.

$20.80, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$169.56, New York Telephone Company, service.

$3.65, The Watters Laboratories, repairs.

$5.91, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

$90.25, Albert Datz Company, graduation printing.

$55.00, Edward J. Keale, graduation music.

$4.74, Moore & Co., Inc., drugs.

$8.85, Public Service Electric Company, light.

$31.00, Henry G. Weidemann, graduation decorations.

$71.15, Hanna & Eismann, vegetables.

$91.12, Archibold & Gallagher, groceries.

$411.80, Henry J. McDermott, ice.

$268.13, Public Service Gas Co., gas.

$213.13, E. M. Dixon, sea food.

$483.83, L. L. Croner, groceries.

$20.75, Keegan's Garage, auto repairs.

$18.28, The Kleinhaus Store, supplies.

$6.00, D. Eisenberg, oranges.

$6.00, D. Pollio, oranges.

$58.68, J. V. Calley, fruit and vegetables.

$8.40, R. J. Fitzimmons, X-ray plates.

$7.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$7.40, Premier Meat Market, ham.

$9.60, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$3.80, D. I. Cohen, soap.

$3.30, Otto Wilkens, scissors.

$36.42, Public Service Gas Co., gas.

$70.84, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$4.00, Payton & Hoos, mirror.

$20.00, Metropolitan W. C. Co., cleaning windows, June.

$90.56, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$20.40, Public Service Electric Co., light.

$22.84, Joseph T. Sack, supplies.

$8.57, William Bill, fruits, etc.

$13.09, L. L. Croner, groceries.

$16.30, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$19.60, David I. Cohen, drugs.

$80.46, General Baking Co., bread.

$81.36, General Baking Co., bread.

$15.73, William Bill, groceries.

$23.66, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$39.90, J. Decker, milk.

$10.48, Mrs. Catherine Kennedy, clothing.

$186.00, Flynn Bros., groceries.

$40.50, Mrs. J. H. Spellmeyer, groceries.

$379.50, Mrs. A. McDonnough, groceries.

$1.15, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$6.00, Morris Motor Car Co., auto repairs.

$48.00, A. E. Kuntz, electrical supplies.

$29.05, Palisade Auto Supply Co., tubes repaired.

$154.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$291.79, Sarco Co. of N. J., tags and licenses.

$179.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$100.50, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., auto supplies.

$216.00, The De Pree Co., fumigators.

$2.00, J. H. Ohmer, kerosene.

$498.17, Hudson Co. S. P. C. A., dog wagon, June.

$74.57, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$33.70, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$7.85, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$115.24, J. J. Craven, M. D., nurses carfare.

$48.00, A. Zipperstein, drugs.

$118.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$480.60, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, antitoxin and virus.

$445.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$116.90, James J. Mahan, auto repairs.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PAYROLL:

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached payrolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being payment for service rendered during the periods specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS:

ting supplemental debt statement.

From Commissioner Gannon submit-

Received and ordered filed.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the contract for regulating and repaving with sheet asphalt on present stone and concrete foundation, the roadway of Astor Place, from Crescent Avenue to Summit Avenue, Summit Avenue from Astor Place to Baldwin Avenue, Baldwin Avenue from Summit Avenue to Prospect Street, Webster Avenue from Prospect Street to Paterson Blank Road, except such portions now paved with sheet asphalt and asphalt block pavement, etc., be and is hereby awarded to W. T. S. Crichfield, at the price named in his proposal, namely 109 per cent. of the Chief Engineer's Standard, it being the lowest bid received, and the Corporation Attorney be and is hereby directed to prepare and have executed necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance for the relief of Vulcan Iron Works in the laying and maintaining of a six-inch conduit across Hudson Street, Jersey City, from building known as No. 40 Hudson Street to building known as No. 39 Hudson Street," which ordinance was introduced at a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held on March 4th, 1919, and has not finally been passed by the said Board of Commissioners, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out Section 4, and substituting the following:

"Section 4. The ordinance granting these privileges shall be in full force and effect for a period of twenty years. An acceptance of these privileges in writing shall be filed in the manner required by law."

also by adding the following to Section 5:

"Said beneficiaries shall not assign or permit to be used by any other person, company or corporation whatsoever, except by authority of subsequent resolution of this Board, any of the privileges herein granted."

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, there now exists a contract between the City and John T. Brady & Company for the furnishing and laying of a 72-inch steel water pipe between Boonton and the Passaic River, dated July 1st, 1919; and

Whereas, said pipe or a part thereof is to be laid under the tracks of the Erie Railroad Company and the Paterson, Newark & New York Railroad Company near Allwood, Essex County, New Jersey; and

Whereas, In order to obtain the consent of said Railroad Companies to the laying of such pipe under their tracks it is required by them that an agreement be entered into by said Railroad Companies of the one part, the City of another part and said John T. Brady & Company, the contractor, of the third part, relating to the method of construction; and

Whereas, The Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements now presents such proposed agreement and requests the passage of a resolution authorizing its execution by the proper City officials; and

Whereas, It is provided in said proposed agreement that the City shall indemnify and save harmless the Railroad Companies of and from all loss, damage or injury sustained by them as a result of or arising from the construction of the work therein provided for by the contractor or the City and of and from all loss, damage or injury sustained by the Railroad Companies or their property or persons or property in the charge or control of the Companies and from any interference with the operation of the railroad or its facilities as a result of such construction work, of the defaults, omissions or negligence of the contractor arising from or connected with the work to be done under said proposed agreement; and

Whereas, The contract between the City and the said John T. Brady & Company first hereinbefore referred to provides that the contractor shall save harmless the City from and against all suits, claims, demands or actions for any injury or damage sustained or alleged to have been sustained by any party or parties in the construction of the work or any part thereof, or any negligence in guarding the same, or by or on account of any act of commission or omission of the said cntractor, his agents or employees; and

Whereas, It may be claimed that the execution of the proposed agreement secondly referred to herein between the City with the Railroad Company abrogate in part the City's contract with the contractor in so far as liability for damage or injury is concerned; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said proposed contract be and the same hereby is authorized and the Mayor, the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements and the City Clerk respectively are directed to execute the same in the name of the City, provided that the execution thereof by the City shall not be understood as a waiver by the City of any of its rights under the contract between it and the said John T. Brady & Company, or in any way as an abrogation or recession of any of the liabilities imposed by said contract upon said contractor; and be it

Further Resolved, That a certified copy of this resolution shall, before the delivery of such proposed agreement to the Railroad Companies, be signed by the said contractor in triplicate and filed with the City Clerk as an assent to the provisions hereof.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Moore, O'Brien and Magor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, There now exists a contract between the City and John T. Brady & Company for the furnishing and laying of a 72-inch steel water pipe between Boonton and the Passaic River, dated July 1st, 1919 and

Whereas, Said pipe or a part thereof is to be laid under the tracks of the Erie Railroad Company and the New

York & Greenwood Lake Railway Company and the Caldwell Railway Company, at or near Little Falls, Essex County, New Jersey and

Whereas, In order to obtain the consent of said Railroad Companies to the laying of such pipe under their tracks it is required by them that an agreement be entered into by said Railroad Companies of the one part, the City of another part and said John T. Brady & Company, the contractor, of the third part, relating to the method of construction, and

Whereas, the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements now presents such proposed agreement and requests the passage of a resolution authorizing its execution by the proper City officials; and

Whereas, It is provided in said proposed agreement that the City shall indemnify and save harmless the Railroad Companies of and from all loss, damage or injury sustained by them as a result of or arising from the construction of the work therein provided for by the contractor or the City and of and from all loss, damage or injury sustained by the Railroad Companies or their property or persons or property in the charge or control of the Companies and from any interference with the operation of the railroad or its facilities as a result of such construction work, or of the defaults omissions or negligence of the contractor arising from or connected with the work to be done under said proposed agreement; and

Whereas, The contract between the City and the said John T. Brady & Company first hereinbefore referred to provides that the contractor shall save harmless the City from and against all suits, claims, demands or actions for any injury or damage sustained or alleged to have been sustained by any party or parties in the construction of the work or any part thereof, or any negligence in guarding the same, or by or on account of any act of commission or omission of the said contractor, his agents or employees; and

Whereas, It may be claimed that the execution of the proposed agreement secondly referred to herein by the City with the Railroad Companies abrogates in part the City's contract with the contractor in so far as liability for damage or injury is concerned; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said proposed contract be and the same hereby is authorized and the Mayor, the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements and the City Clerk respectively are directed to execute the same in the name of the City, provided that the execution thereof by the City shall not be understood as a waiver by the City of any of its rights under the contract between it and the said John T Brady & Company, or in any way as an abrogation or recession of any of the liabilities imposed by said contract upon said contractor; and be it

Further Resolved, That a certified copy of this resolution shall, before the delivery of such proposed agreement to the Railroad Companies, be signed by the said contractor in triplicate and filed with the City Clerk as an assent to the provisions hereof.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, There is now existing a contract between the City and Patrick McGovern for the furnishing and laying of a 72-inch water pipe between the Passaic River at Lyndhurst and Summit Avenue, Jersey City; and

Whereas, The line of said water pipe in part runs through certain property of the Erie Railroad Company known as the "Croxton Yards"; and

Whereas, Such water line crosses under certain railroad tracks now laid in such Croxton Yards and it is deemed advisable as a measure of protection against damage to the pipe when laid that where such pipe be laid under tracks it be encased in concrete approximately twelve inches (12 inches) thick underneath the pipe and approximately eighteen inches (18 inches) thick on each side thereof and at least fifteen inches (15 inches) thick on the top thereof, all as shown on plan attached hereto, nine-inch (9-inch) I beams or other suitable reinforcing material to be embedded in the concrete at a distance of three inches (3 inches) above the said pipe and laid at right angles to the pipe at a distance apart of sixteen inches (16 inches) from center to center; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said contractor be and he hereby is authorized and directed to so encase such pipe in the manner hereinbefore described for the distances and in the manner shown upon the plan hereto attached and made a part of this resolution.

The basis and method and time of payment for such work shall be that prescribed in said contract for such classes of work.

A certified copy of this resolution shall be signed in duplicate by the said contractor and filed with the City Clerk as his assent thereto.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance granting permission to Manufacturers' Liability Insurance Company to extend vault now under sidewalk of building on southwest corner of Greene and Montgomery streets, Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance for the relief of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company in the erection and construction of a proposed steam pipe running across Bay street, Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to improve all that part of Terrace avenue from a point about 330 feet south of Thorne street; also Bleecker street from a point about 80 feet east of Terrace avenue, in the City of Jersey City, by the construction of a sewer, in accordance with plan hereto annexed; said sewer to be constructed in conformity with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

There having been introduced at this meeting by Michael I. Fagen, Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to improve all that part of Terrace Avenue from a point about 330 feet south of Thorne Street, also Bleecker Street from a point about 80 feet east of Terrace Avenue, in the City of Jersey City, by the construction of a sewer, in accordance with plan hereto annexed; said sewer to be constructed in conformity with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof."

It is hereby resolved, That said ordinance shall lie on the table until the meeting of this Board to be held on August 17th, 1920, at the City Hall in Jersey City;

Further Resolved, That at said time and place this Board consider the undertaking of the improvement proposed by said ordinance and the said ordinance itself, and that a hearing shall be then and there afforded to all persons whose lands may be affected by, or who may be interested in such proposed improvement, both upon said proposed improvement and said ordinance;

Further Resolved, That the City Clerk publish in the Jersey Journal and Hudson Observer on August 2nd and on August 9th, 1920, notice of the intention of this Board to consider such proposed improvement and ordinance. Said notice shall be in the form attached to this resolution.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, contract for the improvement of Cliff Street between the Hudson Boulevard and Liberty Avenue, with old Belgian blocks on sand cushion, be and the same is hereby awarded to Van Keuren Contracting Co., at the price named in its bid, namely, one hundred seven per cent. (107%) of the Standard, that being the lowest bid received; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance granting permission to Baker Castor Oil Company to construct and maintain a shipping or loading platform, with overhead canopy and roof, to be used for business purposes, along the Washington Street side of new building to be constructed by them at the Northeast corner of Washington Street and Morgan Street.

The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. Permission is herby granted to Baker Castor Oil Company to construct and maintain a shipping platform, with overhead canopy and roof, to be used for business purposes, along the Washington Street side of their new building at the Northeast corner of Washington Street and Morgan Street the same to be Ten (10) feet wide and to run on the Easterly side of Washington Street beginning at a point at the Southeast corner of Washington and Morgan Streets and running in a Northerly direction along the building erected or to be erected by them on said Washington Street for a distance of one hundred and fifty-five feet; said canopy to be approximately eleven feet above the floor or platform. Said platform and roof cover to be constructed substantially in accordance with blue print filed with the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City on or about the eighth day of October, 1918.

Section 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect for a period of twenty years, but no work of construction shall be begun hereunder until an acceptance of the terms of this ordinance shall have been filed with the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City in the manner required by law.

Section 3. The platform herein authorized shall be so built with stairways at each end as to provide convenient passageway suitable for pedestrians, and shall not be allowed to become a nuisance to the traveling public, the right being reserved by the Commissioners of Jersey City to so regulate and control the use thereof that the rights of the public will be conserved. The work herein authorized is to be done under the supervision and to the satisfaction of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements of this City.

Section 4. For the privilege herein accorded, the said beneficiaries shall pay annually to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City the sum of two hundred and forty-eight dollars, proper proportions of which payment shall be made semi-annually in advance to the City Comptroller of Jersey City at his office in the City Hall, on the first day of August and February next succeeding the time when this ordinance shall become effective.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing $10,500.00 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing $70,000.00 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing $10,000.00 Emergency Bonds of the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing the issue of $3,696,000 Water Bonds of the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing $157,000.00 Temporary Improvements Bonds of the City of Jersey City.

Be it ordained by the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City.

Section 1. The sum of $157,000.00 be and it is hereby appropriated for the purpose of repaving the roadway with sheet asphalt on the present stone and concrete foundations of Astor Place, Summit Avenue, Baldwin Avenue, Webster Avenue, in accordance with plans and specifications which have been or may be hereafter adopted from time to time by this Board.

Section 2. That pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 252, P. L. 1916, approved March 22nd, 1916, as amended, and for the purpose of meeting said appropriations, this Board authorizes and directs that $157,000.00 of Temporary Improvement Bonds be issued as the money may be needed, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum, said Bonds shall mature in not exceeding six years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment, and shall be signed by the Mayor, or Acting Mayor, and the Director of Department of Revenue and Finance, or Deputy Comptroller, and attested by the City Clerk, or Acting City Clerk.

Section 3. Said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall state that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing the repaving of Astor Place, Summit Avenue, Baldwin Avenue, Webster Avenue, etc., the other matters in respect to the issuance of said Bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Section 4. The Temporary Improvement Bonds herein authorized shall be paid or funded within six years after the purpose for which they were issued has been carried out.

Section 5. The interest on said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be raised in the annual tax levy.

Section 6. The faith and credit of Jersey City are hereby irrevocably pledged to the punctual payment of the principal and interest of said Bonds in accordance with its terms.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:
Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, The name of Marion Budd has been certified by the Civil Service Commission as eligible for the position of Playground Instructor; therefore be it

Resolved, That Marion Budd be and she is hereby appointed Playground Instructor in the Department of Parks and Public Property at the salary of $100.00 per month, effective August 1, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Complaints have become so numerous concerning the method of conducting block dances to the effect that dances are held upon streets without the consent of the residents, lawns, shrubbery and flowers are destroyed and residents otherwise annoyed; be it

Resolved, That thereafter no permit shall be issued for holding a block dance unless at least 75 per cent. of the residents within the immediate area affected upon the street or streets wherein the proposed block dance is to be held, shall have signed a petition in favor of such use of the street, and after said petition shall have been verified by the Chief of Police.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, Hugh Billington, when notified of his appointment from the Civil Service list to the position of patroman, Jersey City Police Department, did refuse to accept appointment at that time, and requested that the appointment be deferred and that his name be retained on the eligible list; and

Whereas, A resolution erroneously worded was introduced and regularly passed at the meeting of the Board of Commissioners on May 4, 1920, stating that Patrolman Hugh Billington had resigned from the Police Department and ordering that said resignation be accepted, whereas it was intention of said patrolman and of the Board of Commissioners to have his appointment deferred and his name retained on the eligible list for appointment at some future time; now, therefore be it

Resolved, That the said resolution dated May 4 accepting the supposed resignation of the said Hugh Billington be and it is hereby rescinded; and be it further

Resolved, That original appointment of the said Hugh Billington as patrolman in the Jersey City Police Department be and it is hereby ordered to remain effective, as if the said resolution of May 4 were not passed and was of no effect, and that the said Patrolman Hugh Billington is a regular member of the Jersey City Police Department, on leave without pay, from the date of his original appointment.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance prohibiting the use, discharge and firing of bombs, or fireworks containing dynamite or explosive powder or the like, and providing a penalty therefore."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for the period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

On motion of Commissioner Moore the Board adjourned.

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
A. HARRY MOORE,
CHARLES F. X. O'BRIEN,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

Approved.
FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

Minutes of Meetings

of

Board of Commissioners

August, 1920

MEETING OF AUGUST 3, 1920

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, August 3, 1920, at 2 P. M.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

RECEPTION OF BIDS.

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for regulating and paving with sheet asphalt the roadway of Manhattan Avenue, Thirteenth Street and Pershing Field, the City Clerk called for bids with the following result:

1. Uvalde Contracting Company, 125 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

2. W. T. S. Crichfield, 115 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received opened and read and referred to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements for investigation and recommendation.

CITY ORDINANCES.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the final passage of the following described ordinances:

"An ordinance authorizing $100,000 Promissory Notes of the City of Jersey City (Repairs to Dickinson High School),"

"An ordinance authorizing $10,000 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City (Improvement Van Winkle Avenue),"

"An ordinance authorizing $18,500 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City (Improvement Seaview Avenue),"

"An ordinance authorizing $44,000 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City (Improvement Williams Avenue),"

the City Clerk called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon

the ordinances were referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the protest filed against the erection of garages by Soled & Zeider at the rear of 498-500-502 Bergen Avenue, the City Clerk read the public notice of hearing and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the erection of the garages.

Several property owners on Bergen Avenue and Sackett Street appeared before the Board. Thomas Collins of 116½ Clinton Avenue, acting as spokesman for the property owners, stated that the garages were to be built right up to the windows at the rear of the Bergen Avenue homes, and the fumes and noises caused by the automobiles would be an inconvenience to the residents, and the garages would prove a hazard to the surrounding frame residential houses.

Mr. Soled appeared with his attorney, Louis Hansen, and stated that the garages would be of brick fire-proof construction and would be used by the residents of the houses owned by him on Bergen Avenue. Mr. Hansen stated that the Zoning Commission had approved Mr. Soled's plans after they had inspected the property and that the Superintendent of Buildings of Jersey City had also granted the permits for the garages, and that in accordance therewith Mr. Soled had purchased the necessary material and had commenced the construction of the garages.

The Mayor requested Mr. Soled's address and Mr. Soled replied that he lived at 572 Jackson Avenue.

The Mayor stated that the residents of the City must not be inconvenienced and annoyed in such a manner by the fumes and noises of the automobiles stored in the garages that are built by people coming from various sections of the City and building these garages right up against private residences.

After lengthy discussion, the following resolution was introduced:

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the permits heretofore granted to Soled & Zeider by the Zoning Commission and the Superintendent of Buildings of Jersey City, for permission to erect five brick garages for five cars, at the rear of 498-500-502 Bergen Avenue, be and the same are hereby revoked and all work on the erection of said garages ordered stopped.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From L. Friedner, requesting permission to erect electric sign to extend seven feet beyond building line at No. 335 Central Ave.

Received.

From E. H. Weigand, requesting permission to alter building and erect garage in cellar of No. 79 Hague St.

Received.

From Knights of Maccabees of the World, requesting permission to alter building No. 79 Lincoln St. for meeting rooms.

Received.

From Richard Warren, requesting permission to alter building and erect garage in cellar of No. 254 Hancock Ave.

Received.

From Chas. J. Gormley, expressing the appreciation of the property owners on Wegman Parkway for the hearty co-operation of the Board of Commissioners in the protection of the property on Wegman Parkway during the block dance held on the block on July 28, 1920.

Received and ordered filed.

From Philip L. Amon, requesting permission to continue with the construction of the brick garage on his property, 33-35 Reservoir Ave., which construction was ordered stopped in April, 1920, due to protests filed with the Board of Commissioners.

In connection with the foregoing communication, Mr. Amon appeared with his attorney, Douglas Herr, and requested the Board to grant them permission to continue with the erection of the garage. Mr. Herr stated that the garage could not be occupied by more than two cars; that Mr. Amon will use the garage for his own personal use in connection with his home; that the building had been used for various purposes for many years and that it will be improved by fireproof construction.

After discussion, the Mayor advised that the matter be laid over until Tuesday, August 10, 1920, at 3 p. m., in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, and directed the City Clerk to notify all the protestants to be present at that time and place for hearing in the matter.

From Louis Cucarro and Antonio Cucarro, advising the Board that the farmers who occupy the public market space at Jersey Avenue and Newark Avenue arrange their wagons in front of their store at No. 195 Newark Avenue, thus preventing them from receiving or delivering their produce, and requesting the Board to take such action as may be necessary so that they may receive and deliver merchandise from their store.

Counselor Louis Morten appeared in connection with the foregoing petition and requested the Board to take appropriate action.

Commissioner Gannon then suggested to Counselor Morten that Messrs. Cucarro might load their wagons with their produce and keep them in front of their store, and in that way deceive the people into believing they are dealing with the farmers.

Counselor Morten assured the Board that his clients would not attempt such deception.

After discussion the petition was referred to Commissioner O'Brien, Director of Public Safety, with instructions to grant the desired relief to Messrs. Cucarro.

From Eugene DeRosa, submitting plans for the erection of a theatre at Central Avenue and Sherman Place, advising the Board that certain features in the plans do not strictly conform to our Building Code, due to present physical conditions, and requesting the Board to grant him an opportunity to be heard in the matter.

On motion of Mayor Hague, the City Clerk was directed to notify Mr. De Rosa and Superintendent of Buildings John Saul to appear before the Board on Tuesday, August 10, 1920, at 2 p. m., in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, at which time the plans will be considered.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

From Police Pension Fund (Widows), submitting semi-annual report of the fund from January 1, 1920, to July 1, 1920.

Received and ordered filed.

From General Purchasing Agent, submitting list of names of bidders and items on which they were lowest bidders, approved by Dr. John Nevin, Medical Director, and recommending said lists to the Board for the purpose of award.

Received.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated.

$13.35, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., supplies.

$30.91, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., supplies.

$870.94, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$3.75, Dobke Typewriter Exchange, repairs.

$66.26, Engineering Supply Company, supplies.

$6.48, The Evening Journal Association, adv.

$5.76, The Evening Journal Association, adv.

$6.12, Hudson Observer, adv.

$5.52, Hudson Observer, adv.

$37.00, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$24.00, R. C. Brumfield, testing.

$7.44, The Evening Journal Association, adv.

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$20.00, Stillman & Van Siclen Chemical Lab. Co., Inc.

$206.40, Stillman & Van Siclen Chemical Lab. Co., Inc.

$28.87, Charles F. Breitzke, expenses.

$36.00, Dispatch Printing Company, supplies.

$14.31, Eimer & Amend, supplies.

$16.97, J. H. Hanks, refund.

$5.20, Initial Apron & Towel Supply Co., service.

$8.13, New York Teelphone Co., service.

$243.67, The Texas Company, supplies .

$267.90, The Texas Company, supplies.

$1.80, Workshop for Blind Men, chair recaned.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

Resolution by Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer, in favor of the following-named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$5.00, Underwood Typewriter Company, Inc., rent of typewriter.

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$3.00, S. Jacobs, lettering door.

$15.50, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$39.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$8.75, Union Printing Company, printing.

$97.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$108.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$5.50, Great Bear Water Company, water.

$7.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$18.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$58.02, Blakeslee-Cadillac Company, supplies.

$3.15, George W. Greene, Inc., one fumed oak screen.

$12.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$2.85, Union Towel Supply Company, towel service.

$7.20, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.

$10.00, William C. Schirmer, typewriting.

$7.00, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.

$16.00, Evening Journal Association, protest Soled & Zeider.

$127.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$79.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$3.50, Garfunkel Bros., electrical repairs.

$10.85, Union Towel Supply Company, service.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, Mrotezk alterations.

$8.88, Evening Journal Association, Baker Castor Oil ordinance.

$9.96, Evening Journal Association, L. Jordan ordinance.

$9.48, Evening Journal Association, Baker Castor Oil ordinance.

$6.36, Evening Journal Association, J. Selzer ordinance.

$10.20, Evening Journal Association, Hespe Realty ordinance (vault).

$9.72, Evening Journal Association, Hespe Realty ordinance (awning).

$8.76, Evening Journal Association, Steuernagel ordinance.

$11.52, Evening Journal Association, Eagle Grocery ordinance.

$10.32, Evening Journal Association, Colgate & Company ordinance.

$8.76, Evening Journal Association, First National Bank ordinance.

$10.44, Evening Journal Assn., Lackawanna Terminal Storage ordinance

$7.68, Evening Journal Assn., O'Brien Ordinance.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

Claims Passed by Commissioner Moore:

$8.04, Evening Journal Assn., advertising.

$7.80, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$252.00, S. J. Crawford, plumbing.

$5.00, Engineering News Record, subscription.

$100.00, J. F. Connors, rent.

$5.97, John P. Landrine, hardware.

$1.97, John P. Landrine, cement & tacks.

$2.15, John P. Landrine, sash cord.

$132.00, R. C. E. May, music.

$8.00, W. A. Barclay, plumbing.

$44.84, James P. Hall, mortar and plaster.

$8.91, James P. Hall, sand.

$36.55, James P. Hall, brick and clay.

$370.00, Bernstein & Co., decorations.

$17.04, J. H. Ohmer, hardware.

$25.23, J. H. Ohmer, hardware.

$18.50, James P. Hall, sand and cement.

$2.25, George Dorbandt, crepe paper.

$45.25, Nathan & Co., bladders and balls.

$19.50, Henry J. Reitse, fixtures.

$22.73, Bertram Allan, photos.

$1.66, John P. Landrine, hardware.

$9.75, John A. Ward, plumbing.

$10.15, John A. Ward, plumbing.

$5.30, Whipple Hardware Co., wire and staples.

$10.00, Fagan Iron Works, door sadles.

$495.00, George H. McKelvey, insurance.

$50.00, Lafayette Window Cleaning Co., service.

$20.00, James A. Braden, rent.

$50.00, George H. Aspinwall, soap.

$44.60, Roth & Miller, insurance.

$1,000.00, Charles N. Lowrie, services.

$17.75, Thos. L. Higgins, nails.

$14.62, James P. Hall, sand.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named parties for the following amounts and purposes as hereinafter set forth:

$1.40, Commercial Acetylene Supply Co.

$9.91, American Bosch Magneto Corp.

$6.00, Wedlake-Lamson Co.

$249.50, Firestone Tire & Rubber Co.

$696.09, Carscallen & Cassidy.

$275.00, Smith & Kelleher.

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$49.00, M. M. Nugent.

$19.95, Garfunkel Bros.

$5.25, Standard Oil Co.

$13.23, Interstate Chemical Co.

$13.67, Interstate Chemical Co.

$42.40, Valvoline Oil Co.

$40.40, Valvoline Oil Co.

$113.78, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$242.35, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., shoes.

$33.32, Garfunkle Bros., searchlights.

$23.52, Garfunkle Bros., batteries.

$23.27, Garfunkle Bros., lamps.

$434.70, Garfunkle Bros., wire.

$7.47, Hudson Co. Buick Co., parts.

$4.64, Hudson Co. Buick Co., parts.

$257.00, J. C. Hislop Co., lockers.

$207.88, Hendee Mfg. Co., parts.

$426.01, Al Kuntz, wire.

$14.70, J. S. Menagh Co., hardware.

$50.51, J. S. Menagh Co., rope.

$12.00, J. H. Ohmer, supplies.

$8.00, J. H. Ohmer, supplies.

$28.22, J. H. Ohmer, rope.

$12.00, National Gas Governor Co., rental regulators.

$10.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$13.68, J. A. Vill & Son, bulbs.

$5.75, J. A. Vill & Son, jack.

$17.60, J. A. Vill & Son, belts.

$23.52, Whipple Hardware Co., ash cans.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons and corporations for the amounts and purposes specified:

$3.73, Babcock & Wilcox Co., boiler repairs.

$9.84, Arthur Gold, drugs.

$53.00, The D. E. Cleary Co., groceries.

$120.10, Philip Peters, vegetables.

$159.28, Philip Peters, vegetables.

$325.42, McConnell Coal Co., coal.

$431.55, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$15.94, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., auto supplies.

$69.53, Joseph T. Sack, supplies.

$396.45, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$60.26, W. A. Baum Co., Inc., instruments.

$14.17, The Kny-Scherer Corporation, apparatus.

$12.00, Thomas L. Higgins, scoops.

$128.00, A. Walters Sons, nurses' pins.

$3.80, Battery Service Co., battery supplies.

$67.75, Valvoline Oil Co., oils.

$76.84, Joseph T. Sack, supplies.

$6.30, William Bill, crackers.

$367.90, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$495.46, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$431.43, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$237.39, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$410.25, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$384.15, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$65.18, Philip Peters, vegetables.

$6.27, Mutual Iron Works, auto repairs.

$134.96, Hamilton Meat Market, meat.

$11.50, J. V. Calley, vegetables.

$245.55, Otto Wilkens, instruments and repairs.

$30.03, P. Loffredo & Bro., pork.

$372.60, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$276.75, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$308.25, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$429.30, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$287.10, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$242.10, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$302.74, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$407.06, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$443.25, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$34.07, Furst Contract Dept., supplies.

$408.33, Hamilton Meat Market, meats.

$46.41, P. Loffredo & Bro., meats.

$13.31, William Bill, supplies.

$254.02, Ammon & Person, eggs.

$35.28, A. Kuntz, lamps.

$265.31, William C. Hagen, meats.

$322.76, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$240.28, D. Eisenberg, vegetables.

$423.64, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$150.97, Adolph Koment, bread.

$89.15, William Bill, vegetables.

$178.18, E. B. Skelton, sheets, etc.

$13.70, W. R. Holmes Co., coffee and cocoa.

$6.56, I. Britten, mackerel.

$39.97, W. H. Walthery, meats.

$126.89, Ammon & Person, butter and eggs.

$51.45, John F. Crosby, potatoes.

$215.89, Keystone Dairy Co., milk and cream.

$39.92, Henry J. McDermott, ice.

$24.40, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$57.73, Jerome O'Keefe, dry goods.

$24.40, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$3.00, Thomas L. Higgins, disinfectants.

$37.20, J. W. Greene, Inc., rugs.

$16.45, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$68.51, William Bill, vegetables, etc.

$40.86, William Bill, fruits and vegetables.

$417.00, A. McDonough, groceries, outdoor poor.

$240.00, Bosquett Bros., groceries, outdoor poor.

$1.80, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$13.75, Union Printing Co., envelopes printed.

$127.00, Expert Auto Tire Co., tire repairs.

$136.00, Joseph Maguire, burials.

$0.81, Public Service Gas Co., gas.

$15.40, William Bill, soap.

$6.32, Furst Contract Dept., flannel.

$153.00, Seaman Behr, shades.

$50.00, Payton & Hoos, rug.

$43.78, Premier Meat Market, meats.

$35.16, Joseph T. Sack, utensils.

$77.27, Furst Contract Dept., spreads, etc.

$13.20, Hospital Supply Co., card holders.

$60.96, Jerome O'Keefe, dry goods.

$375.00, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, antitoxin.

$52.00, A. Ziperstein, apparatus.

$6.00, Lily Cup Co., cups.

$157.75, The General Fireproofing Co., cabinets.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS:

From Commissioner Moore, submitting detailed report on the immediate development of the West Shore front at Droyer's Point, Newark Bay.

On motion of Commissioner Moore, the above report was received and ordered laid on the table for a period of two weeks to Tuesday, August 17, 1920, at 2 p. m., in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

From Commissioner Fagen, reporting in the matter of the widening of Bergen Avenue and Sip Avenue, advising the Board that he had examined and gone over the protests that were submitted to him and that in his opinion the value of the lands assessed covered by the protests is not sufficient under the law, to cause the discontinuance of the proposed improvement, and recommending that the ordinance be passed notwithstanding the objections, and the matter be referred in the regular way to the Commissioners of Assessment.

At this time Dr R. W. A. English, Jas. T. Gough, Mr. Jones, representing the Jones Estate, and Mrs. VanRiper, appeared and reiterated their protests as made at the previous hearings on the foregoing proposed improvement.

Commissioner Fagen advised the protestants that the hearings will remain open and protests may be presented until the ordinance is finally passed and the matter referred to the Assessment Commission.

The City Clerk then called for anyone else who might desire to protest against the proposed improvement.

No further protests were received.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the ordinance was referred to miscellaneous business for passage on first reading.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS:

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, Heretofore and on the 6th day of July, 1920, an ordinance was passed by this Board providing for the improvement of a certain part of Jersey City bounded as follows: On the north by an irregular line approximately one hundred (100) feet southerly of Grant Avenue; on the south by a line one hundred (100) feet northerly of Fulton Avenue; on the east by an irregular line approximately one hundred (100) feet westerly of Bergen Avenue; and on the west by the Hackensack River; such improvement to consist of the construction of a system of sewers in accordance with plans annexed to said ordinance, all to be done in conformity with the provisions of Chapter 152, P. L. 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof; and

Whereas, Said ordinance provides for the taking of lands and real estate and rights and interests therein, the location and dimensions of such lands and real estate so proposed to be taken being set out in such ordinance; therefore

Be it resolved, That the map accompanying said ordinance, together with a certified copy thereof duly attested by the Clerk of this Board, be filed with the Commissioners of Assessment and referred to them for the purpose of making an award for said lands and real estate and rights and interests therein to the owners thereof.

Further resolved, That upon the making of such awards the said Commissioners of Assessment make and file with this Board a report of their action in the premises.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass on first reading:

An ordinance to improve all that part of Bergen Avenue between Hudson Boulevard and Bergen Square and Sip Avenue between the westerly line of Summit Avenue and the proposed easterly line of Bergen Avenue, by widening same in accordance with the hereinafter mentioned description.

Whereas, It is deemed advisable by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, that Bergen Avenue between Hudson Boulevard and Bergen Square, and Sip Avenue between the westerly line of Summit Avenue and the proposed easterly line of Bergen Avenue should be improved.

Therefore, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

That all that part of Bergen Avenue

between Hudson Boulevard and Bergen Square and Sip Avenue between the westerly line of Summit Avenue and the proposed easterly line of Bergen Avenue in accordance with the proposed new widening shall be improved as follows:

Between Hudson Boulevard and Sip Avenue, the Avenue to be 56.16 feet in width at the Hudson Boulevard and 58 feet in width at Sip Avenue.

Between Sip Avenue and Bergen Square, the street to be 65 feet in width being 32.50 feet measured at right angles on either side of the following described center line.

Beginning at a point on the southerly line of Sip Avenue if extended in a westerly direction distant 37.60 feet westerly from the present southeasterly corner of Sip Avenue and Bergen Avenue, thence, running in a southerly direction in a straight line or course 543.91 feet to Bergen Square.

Sip Avenue between the westerly line of Summit Avenue and the proposed easterly line of Bergen Avenue in accordance with the proposed new widening, the street to be 60 feet in width measured at right angles on either side of the following described center line:

First. Beginning at a point at the intersection of the present southerly line of Sip Avenue and the present westerly line of Summit Avenue; thence running in a westerly direction and along the present southerly line of Sip Avenue, 207.78 feet to the easterly line of Jones Street; thence running in a southerly direction and along the easterly line of Jones Street 6.42 feet; thence running in an easterly direction parallel with the present southerly line of Sip Avenue, and distant 6 feet at right angles thereto, 207.80 feet to the westerly line of Summit Avenue; thence running in a northerly direction and along the westerly line of Summit avenue 6.41 feet to the point or place of beginning. Said above described property being a strip 6 feet in width off the northerly portion of Lots 1 to 4 and Plot 4 to 5A, Block 1867, City Map, and containing 1,246.74 square feet.

Second. Commencing at a point at the intersection of the present southerly line of Sip Avenue with the westerly line of Jones Street; thence running in a westerly direction and along the present southerly line of Sip Avenue, 274.91 feet to the easterly line of Enos Place; thence southerly, and along the easterly line of Enos Place 6 feet; thence running in an easterly direction, and parallel with the present southerly line of Sip Avenue, and distant 6 feet at right angles thereto, 272.63 feet, to the westerly line of Jones Street; thence running in a northerly direction, and along the westerly line of Jones Street, 6.42 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said above described property is a strip of land 6 feet in width off the northerly portion of Lots 17 to 22, Block 1868, City Map, and containing 1,642.62 square feet.

Third. Commencing at a point at the intersection of the present southerly line of Sip Avenue, with the westerly line of Enos Place; thence running in a westerly direction, and along the present southerly line of Sip Avenue, 220.77 feet to the proposed new easterly line of Bergen Avenue; thence running in a southerly direction, and along the proposed new easterly line of Bergen Avenue, 6.94 feet; thence running in an easterly direction, parallel with the present southerly line of Sip Avenue, distant 6 feet at right angles thereto, 224.26 feet to the westerly line of Enos Place; thence running in a northerly direction, and along the westerly line of Enos Place, 6 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said above described property is a strip of land 6 feet in width, off the northerly portion of lots 1 to 10, block 1868½, city map, and containing 1.335.09 square feet.

Section 2. That the lands required to be taken for the making of said improvement are located and described as follows:

Commencing at a point in the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue distant 65.05 feet measured in a southerly direction from a point formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue with the southerly line of the Hudson Boulevard, thence running in a southerly direction and along the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 100.08 feet to the northerly line of Sip Avenue, thence running in a westerly direction and along the northerly line of Sip Avenue 10 feet, thence running in a northerly direction and parallel with the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 100.06 feet to the southerly line of lot 33A, block 1864, city map, thence running in an easterly direction and along the southerly line of lot 33A, block 1864, city map, 10 feet to the point or place of beginning. Said above described property is a strip of land 10 feet in width off the easterly portion of lot 31, block 1864, city map, and containing 1,000.70 square feet.

PART LOT 33A, BLOCK 1864, CITY MAP.

Commencing at a point in the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue, said points being formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue with the southerly line of Hudson Boulevard, thence running in a westerly direction along the southerly line of the Hudson Boulevard 10 feet, thence running in a southerly direction and parallel with the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 65.04 feet to the northerly line of lot 10, block 1864, city map, thence running in an easterly direction along the northerly line of lot 10, block 1864, city map, 10 feet to the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue, thence running in a northerly direction and along the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 65.05 feet to the point or place of beginning. Said above described property is a strip of land 10 feet in width off the easterly portion of lot 33A, block 1864, city map, and containing 650.50 square feet.

PART LOT 13, BLOCK 1869, CITY MAP

Commencing at a point in the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue distant 50 feet measured in a northerly direction from a point formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue with the northerly line of Newkirk Street. Thence running in a northerly direction and along the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 69 feet to the southerly line of Lot 12, Block 1869, City Map. Thence running in a westerly direction and along the southerly line of Lot 12, Block 1869, City Map, 5 feet. Thence running in a southerly direction parallel with the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 69 feet to the northerly line of Lot 14, Block 1869, City Map. Thence running in an easterly direction and along the northerly line of Lot 14, Block 1869, City Map, 5 feet to the point or place of beginning. Said above described property is a strip of land 5 feet in width off the easterly portion of Lot 13, Block 1869, City Map, and containing 345 square feet.

PART LOT 12, BLOCK 1869, CITY MAP.

Commencing at a point in the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue, distant 119 feet measured in a northerly direction from a point formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue with the northerly line of Newkirk Street.

Thence running in a northerly direction and along the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 80.17 feet to a point of angle. Said point being formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue wtih the new line of Bergen Avenue. Thence running in a westerly direction and along the new line of Bergen Avenue 6.91 feet. Thence running in a southerly direction and parallel with the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 84.76 feet to the northerly line of Lot 13, Block 1869, City Map. Thence running in an easterly direction and along the northerly line of Lot 13, Block 1869, City Map, 5 feet to the point or place of beginning. Said above described property is a strip of land 5 feet in width off the easterly portion of Lot 12, Block 1869, City Map, and containing 412.30 square feet.

PART LOT 15, BLOCK 1869, CITY MAP.

Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue with the northerly line of Newkirk street. Thence running in a northerly direction and along the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 25 feet to the southerly line of Lot 14, Block 1869, City Map.

Thence running in a westerly direction and along the southerly line of Lot 14, Block 1869, City Map, 5 feet.

Thence running in a southerly direction and parallel with the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 25 feet to the northerly line of Newkirk Street. Thence running in an easterly direction and along the northerly line of Newkirk Street 5 feet to the point or place of beginning. Said above described property is a strip of land 5 feet in width off the easterly portion of Lot 15, Block 1869, City Map, and containing 125 square feet.

Part Lot 14, Block 1869, City Map.

Commencing at a point in the present westerley line of Bergen Avenue distant 25 feet measured in a northerly direction from a point formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue with the northerly line of Newkirk Street.

Thence running in a northerly direction and along the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 25 feet to the southerly line of Lot 13, Block 1869, City Map.

Thence running in a westerly direction and along the southerly line of Lot 13, Block 1869, City Map, five feet. Thence running in a southerly direction and parallel with the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 25 feet to the northerly line of Lot 15, Block 1869, City Map. Thence running in an easterly direction and along the northerly line of Lot 15, Block 1869, City Map, 5 feet to the point of place of beginning. Said above described property is a strip of land 5 feet in width off the easterly portion of Lot 14, Block 1869, City Map, and containing 125 square feet.

Part Lot 4A, Block 1871, City Map.

Commencing at a point in the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue distant 237.62 feet measured in a northerly direction from a point formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue with the northerly line of Bergen Square.

Thence running in a northerly direction and along the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 43.82 feet to the southerly line of Newkirk Street. Thence running in a westerly direction and along the southerly line of Newkirk Street five feet.

Thence running in a southerly direction and parallel with the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 43.73 feet to the northerly line of Lot 4B, Block 1871, City Map.

Thence running in an easterly direction and along the northerly line of Lot 4B, Block 1871, City Map, five feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said above described property is a strip of land five feet in width off the easterly portion of Lot 4A, Block 1871, City Map, and containing 218.85 square feet.

PART LOT 2, BLOCK 1871, CITY MAP.

Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue and the northerly line of Bergen Square.

Thence running in a northerly direction and along the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 94.14 feet to the southerly line of Lot 3A, Block 1871, City Map.

Thence running in a westerly direction along the northerly line of Lot 3A, Block 1871, City Map, 5 feet.

Thence running in a southerly direction and parallel with the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 94.15 feet to the northerly line of Bergen Square. Thence running in an easterly direction and along the northerly line of Bergen Square 5 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said above described property is a strip of land 5 feet in width off the easterly portion of Lot 2, Block 1871, City Map and containing 470.70 Square Feet.

PART LOT 4C, BLOCK 1871, CITY MAP.

Commencing at a point in the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue distant 203.40 feet measured in a northerly direction from a point formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue with the northerly line of Bergen Square.

Thence running in a northerly direction and along the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 16.94 feet to the southerly line of Lot 4B, Block 1871, City Map.

Thence running in a westerly direction and along the southerly line of Lot 4B, Block 1871, City Map, 5 feet.

Thence running in a southerly direction and parallel with the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 16.90 feet to the northerly line of Lot 4D Block 1871, City Map.

Thence running in an easterly direction and along the northerly line of Lot 4D, Block 1871, City Map, 5 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said above described property is a strip of land 5 feet in width off the easterly portion of Lot 4C, Block 1871, City Map, and containing 84.80 square feet.

PART LOT, 4B, BLOCK 1871, CITY MAP.

Commencing at a point in the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue distant 220.42 feet measured in a northerly direction from a point formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue, with the northerly line of Bergen Square.

Thence running in a northerly direction and along the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 17.20 feet to the southerly line of Lot 4A, Block 1871, City Map.

Thence running in a westerly direction and along the southerly line of Lot 4A, Block 1871, City Map, five feet.

Thence running in a southerly direction and parallel with the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 17.20 feet to the northerly line of Lot 4C, Block 1871, City Map.

Thence running in an easterly direction along the northerly line of Lot 4C, Block 1871, City Map, five feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said above described property is a strip of land five feet in width off the easterly portion of Lot 4B, Block 1871, City Map, and containing 86 square feet.

PART LOT 4E, BLOCK 1871, CITY MAP.

Commencing at a point in the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue distant 169.26 feet measured in a northerly direction from a point formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue with the northerly line of Bergen Square.

Thence running in a northerly direction and along the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 17.28 feet to the southerly line of Lot 4D, Block 1871, City Map.

Thence running in a westerly direction and along the southerly line of Lot 4D five feet.

Thence running in a southerly direction and parallel with the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 17.28 feet to the northerly line of Lot 3B, Block 1871, City Map.

Thence running in an easterly direction and along the northerly line of Lot 3B, Block 1871, City Map, five feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said above described property is a strip of land five feet in width off the easterly portion of lot 4E, Block 1871, City Map, and containing 86.40 square feet.

PART LOT 4D, BLOCK 1871, CITY MAP.

Commencing at a point in the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue distant 186.52 feet measured in a northerly direction from a point formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue with the northerly line of Bergen Square.

Thence running in a northerly direction and along the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 16.96 feet to the southerly line of Lot 4C, Block 1871, City Map.

Thence running in a westerly direction and along the southerly line of Lot 4C, Block 1871, City Map, five feet.

Thence running in a southerly direction and parallel with the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 16.98 feet to the northerly line of Lot 4E, Block 1871, City Map.

Thence running in an easterly direction and along the northerly line of Lot 4E, Block 1871, City Map, five feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said above described property is a strip of land five feet in width off the easterly portion of Lot 4D, Block 1871, City Map, and containing 84.85 square feet.

PART LOT 3A, BLOCK 1871, CITY MAP.

Commencing at a point in the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue distant 94.14 feet measured in a northerly direction from a point formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue with the northerly line of Bergen Square.

Thence running in a northerly direction and along the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 25.04 feet to the southerly line of Lot 3B, Block 1871, City Map.

Thence running in a westerly direction and along the southerly line of Lot 3B, Block 1871, City Map, five feet.

Thence running in a southerly direction and parallel with the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 25.04 feet to the northerly line of Lot 2, Block 1871, City Map.

Thence running in an easterly direction and along the northerly line of Lot 2, Block 1871, City Map, five feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said above described property is a strip of land 5 feet in width off the easterly portion of Lot 3A, Block 1871, City Map, and containing 125.20 square feet.

PART LOT 3B, BLOCK 1871, CITY MAP.

Commencing at a point in the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue distant 119.19 feet measured in a northerly direction from a point formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue with the northerly line of Bergen Square. Thence running in a northerly direction along the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 50.08 feet to the southerly line of Lot 4E, Block 1871, City Map.

Thence running in a westerly direction and along the southerly line of Lot 4E, Block 1871, City Map, 5 feet.

Thence running in a southerly direction and parallel with the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 50.08 feet to the northerly line of Lot 3A, Block 1871, City Map.

Thence running in an easterly direction and along the northerly line of Lot 3A, Block 1871, City Map, 5 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said above described property is a strip of land 5 feet in width off the easterly portion of Lot 3B, Block 1871, City Map, and containing 250.40 square feet.

Said improvement to be made in conformity to the provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof, and in accordance with specifications to be specially prepared.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinances as being ready for passage on first reading.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed on first reading and ordered to lay on the table for a period of one week to Tuesday, August 10th, 1920, by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, The City did, on the nineteenth day of August, nineteen hundred and nineteen, enter into a contract with one Graham Van Keuren for the repaving of Grand Street, from Mill Creek to the westerly side of Communipaw Avenue; on the southerly side of Communipaw Avenue from the westerly line of Park Street to the westerly line of Grand Street; also Communipaw Avenue from the easterly line of Grand Street to Morris Canal

Bridge, with granite block pavement on eight-inch concrete base; also Pacific Avenue from Grand Street to the southerly line of Ash Street with granite block pavement over present concrete base (excluding such portions as tie between the tracks); and that pursuant to said contract notice was caused to be served by the City upon said contractor to begin work within a period of five (5) days from the execution thereof, and the date of the serving of the notice, and

Whereas, From that time to and during the month of November, 1919, said contractor caused to be finished a portion of said contract lying between Pacific Avenue and about one hundred and fifty feet east of Merseles Street, and

Whereas, Pursuant to the provisions of the contract and specifications, under the heading, "Suspension of Work," the work was stopped by the City on the fifteenth day of December because of winter, and upon the fifteenth day of April, pursuant to the provisions of contract, the contractor was notified to proceed with his work, which he failed to do until June 29, 1920, when notice was served upon him by the City Clerk, pursuant to resolutions of this Board, to show cause on July 6, at three o'clock P. M., in the Assembly Chamber, why his contract should not be declared abandoned on account of work being unnecessarily and unreasonably delayed, and said hearing being twice postponed upon promise of said contractor that he would hasten his work according to the terms of his contract, said hearing was closed with that understanding between the contractor and the City, and

Whereas, Since that period the said contractor has had at no time more than thirteen men at work upon said contract, and at times as few as six men, and that the total amount of work performed by said contractor from that time is the excavating and finishing of the foundation, on the northwest side of the street, from the point where work was stopped by him in December last, to Fairmount Avenue, and the placing upon the street during last evening, August 2, 1920, of about eighty loads of crushed stone, to be used for concreting, and

Whereas, The Chief Engineer of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements has certified to the Director of said Department that in his opinion the performance of the said contract is unnecessarily and unreasonably delayed, as is evidenced by its actual rate of progress compared with the required progress, and that the contractor is executing said contract in bad faith as far as fully completing within the time designated in the contract the work called for therein, and that the time set out, of one hundred seventy-five (175) days for the completion of the entire work has expired, and that no extension of time has been given by the Board of Commissioners to said contractor for his completion of said work, and that time, according to said specifications, is the essence of such contract,

Therefore, Be It Resolved, That (upon the certification of the Chief Engineer of the facts as set out in the above preambles) and upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, the Board of Commissioners hereby direct the City Clerk to serve upon the said contractor a copy hereof, and that the City, through its Board of Commissiners, will give a hearing to said contractor on August tenth, nineteen hundred and twenty, at three o'clock P. M., in the Assembly Chamber, when and where he may show cause why his contract shall not be declared to be abandoned, all according to the terms of the contract and specifications, which are more particularly set out under the heading, "If Contract Is Not Completed As Per Terms."

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements contract for the Improvement of Van Winkle Avenue, between Liberty Avenue and Tonnele Avenue, with sheet asphalt on concrete foundation, be and the same is hereby awarded to W. T. S. Crichfield, at the price named in his bid, namely, one hundred fourteen per cent. (114%) of the standard, his being the lowest bid received; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, contract for the Improvement of Williams Avenue between Mallory Avenue and Bennett Street with sheet asphalt on concrete foundation, be and the same is hereby awarded to W. T. S. Crichfield, at the price named in his bid, namely, one hundred nine per cent. (109%) of the standard, his being the lowest bid received, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefore.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, contract for the improvement of Seaview Avenue, between Princeton Avenue and Garfield Avenue, with sheet asphalt on concrete foundation, be and the same is hereby awarded to W. T. S. Crichfield, at the price named in his bid, namely, one hundred seventeen per cent. (117%) of the standard, his being the lowest bid received; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, the findings as shown on report of the Water Assessor for month of July, 1920, presented to this Commission at its meeting held this day, be and are hereby confirmed, and the said officer be and is hereby authorized to make such charges on his books:

Additions of Reg. Water........	$350.38
Cancellation to Reg. Water......	1,436.90
Cancellation to Metered Water..	112.10

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw a warrant on the City Treasurer in favor of Charles K. Hart, Water Register, for $15,642.17, in payment of water rents, charges and interest as follows on properties sold by City Collector in tax sale 58, March 18, 1920, charging Tax Sale 58:

Water rents, 1910 and prior....	$448.30
Water rents, 1911 and prior....	418.75
Water rents, 1912 and prior....	691.55
Water rents, 1913 and prior....	1,182.65
Water rents, 1914 and prior....	1,335.80
Water rents, 1915 and prior....	1,815.45
Water rents, 1916 and prior....	2,633.55
Water rents, 1917 and prior....	2,703.79
Water rents, Metered	172.85
Water rents, Penalty	336.89
Water rents, Interest	3,822.59
Water rents, Cutoffs	80.00

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing $44,000.00 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City.

Whereas, In pursuance of Chapter 152, P. L. 1917, as amended by Chapter 163, P. L. 191, this Board of Commissioners determines that it is necessary to improve Williams Avenue between Mallory Avenue and Bennett Street with sheet asphalt on a concrete foundation, and having received bids will enter into a contract for the carrying out of said improvement in accordance with plans and specifications which have been or may be adopted from time to time by this Board, after the introduction and passage of this Ordinance,

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That for the purpose of improving Williams Avenue, between Mallory Avenue and Bennett Street, with sheet asphalt on a concrete foundation, the sum of $44,000.00 be and is hereby appropriated, and to meet the cost of carrying out the provision of said contract.

Sec. 2. That pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 252, P. L. 1916, as amended by Chapter 240, P. L. 1917, and for the purpose of meeting said appropriation, this Board authorizes and directs that $44,000.00 of Temporary Improvement Bonds be issued as the money may be needed, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed six (6%) per cent. per annum, said bonds shall mature in not exceeding six (6) years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment, and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Sec. 3. Said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall state that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing the improvement of Williams Avenue. The other matters in respect of the issuance of said bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Sec. 4. That the said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be paid or funded within six (6) years after the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out.

Sec. 5. That the interest on said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be raised in the annual tax levy.

Sec. 6. The aforesaid appropriation is to apply to local improvements and an assessment is thereafter to be levied on property in the vicinity thereof benefitted or increased in value by reason thereof.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing $18,500.00 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City.

Whereas, In pursuance of Chapter 152, P. L. 1917, as amended by Chapter 163, P. L. 1918, this Board of Commissioners determines that it is necessary to improve Seaview Avenue, between Garfield Avenue and Princeton Avenue, with sheet asphalt on concrete foundation, and having received bids will enter into a contract for the carrying out of said improvement in accordance with plans and specifications which have been or may be adopted from time to time by this Board, after the introduction and passage of this Ordinance, Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That for the purpose of the improvement of Seaview Avenue between Garfield Avenue and Princeton Avenue with sheet asphalt on concrete foundation the sum of $18,500.00 be and is hereby appropriated, and to meet the cost of carrying out the provisions of said contract.

Section 2. That pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 252, P. L. 1916, as amended by Chapter 240, P. L. 1917, and for the purpose of meeting said appropriation, this Board authorizes and directs that $18,500.00 of Temporary Improvement Bonds be issued as the money may be needed, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed six per cent. per annum, said Bonds shall mature in not exceeding six (6) years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment, and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Section 3. Said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall state that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing improvement of Seaview Avenue. The other matters in respect of the issuance of said Bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Section 4. That the said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be paid or funded within six (6) years after the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out.

Section 5. That the interest on said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be raised in the annual tax levy.

Section 6. The aforesaid appropriation is to apply to local improvements and assessment is thereafter to be levied on property in the vicinity thereof, benefitted or increased in value by reason thereof.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass: An ordinance authorizing $10,000.00 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City.

Whereas, In pursuance of Chapter 152, P. L. 1917, as amended by Chapter 163, P. L. 1918, this Board of Commissioners determines that it is necessary to improve Van Winkle Avenue, between Liberty Avenue and Tonnele Avenue, with asphalt, and having received bids will enter into a contract for the carrying out of said improvement in accordance with plans and specifications which have been or may be adopted from time to time by this Board, after the introduction and passage of this Ordinance;

Now, Therefore, the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That for the purpose of the improvement of Van Winkle Avenue, between Liberty Avenue and Tonnele Avenue, with asphalt the sum of $10,000.00 be and is hereby appropriated, and to meet the cost of carrying out the provisions of said contract.

Section 2. That pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 252, P. L. 1916, as amended by Chapter 240, P. L. 1917, and for the purpose of meeting said appropriation, this Board authorizes and directs that $10,000.00 of Temporary Improvement Bonds be issued as the money may be needed, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed six per cent. per annum, said Bonds shall mature in not exceeding six (6) years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment, and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Section 3. Said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall state that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing the improvement of Van Winkle Avenue, between Liberty Avenue and Tonnele Avenue, with asphalt. The other matters in respect of the issuance of said Bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Section 4. That the said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be paid or funded within six (6) years after the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out.

Section 5. That the interest on said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be raised in the annual tax levy.

Section 6. The aforesaid appropriation is to apply to local improvements and assessment is thereafter to be levied on property in the vicinity thereof benefited or increased in value by reason thereof.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing $100,000 promissory notes of the City of Jersey City.

RECITALS.

Whereas, The Board of Education of Jersey City on June 9, 1920, did furnish the Board of School Estimate with a statement deciding that it is necessary to raise money for the following purposes, and estimating the amount of said purpose to be, to wit:

Repairs and alterations to the Wm. L. Dickinson High School, $100,000. And

Whereas, The Board of School Estimate at a meeting held July 15, 1920, did fix and determine the amount of money necessary for repairs and alterations to the Wm. L. Dickinson High School to be $100,000,

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. The sum of $100,000 be and it is hereby appropriated to the Board of Education of Jersey City for repairs and alterations to the Wm. L. Dickinson High School.

Section 2. That in pursuance of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled, "A supplement to an act entitled 'An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October 19, 1903, relating to the financing of school improvements," approved March 16, 1916, and for the purpose of meeting said appropriations the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do hereby authorize and direct that promissory notes in the sum of $100,000 be issued, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum, and shall be due and payable one year from date of issuance, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment by the City. Said notes shall be signed by the Mayor or Acting Mayor, and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, or Deputy Comptroller, and attested by the City Clerk.

Section 3. This Board does postpone the determination of whether the aforesaid sum appropriated shall be levied or collected or borrowed on permanent bonds.

Section 4. The interest on said promissory notes shall be raised in the annual tax levy.

Section 5. The proceeds of said

notes shall be paid to the Custodian of School Moneys of Jersey City.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commission Gannon:

Whereas, Grossenbach & Fimpel and the New Jersey Elastic Braid Company have been assessed on their personal property for the following years and the following amounts:

Grossenbach & Fimpel—

	Block.	Assessment.	Tax.
1915.........	765	$11,500	$315.01
1916.........	765	12,500	303.85
1917.........	765	12,500	311.29
1918.........	765	10,000	144.29
1919.........	765	10.000	347.01
New Jersey Electric Braid Co.—			
1916.........	765	5.000	121.71
1919.........	765	10,000	347.01
Total			$1,890.17

the total of which in taxes is as above set forth; and

Whereas, In the opinion of the Director of Revenue and Finance, the assessments at the time they were levied were excessive and both of these concerns are in financial difficulty and will have to close if the City were to insist immediately upon the collection of its claims; and

Whereas, Parties interested are willing to make an immediate adjustment satisfactory to the Director of Revenue and Finance; therefore be it

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of Revenue and Finance that the settlement is pursuant to sound business policy, fair in every respect and beneficial to the City, that the Director of Revenue and Finance is hereby authorized to accept twelve hundred dollars ($1,200) in payment of the above bills if the same is paid within ten days from the date of this resolution.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the General Purchasing Agent, contract for furnishing, delivering and installing of steel shelving in the lower vault of the City Collector's Office, City Hall, Jersey City, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Art Metal Construction Company, they being the lowest bidder, at the price named in their bid, namely, $1,147, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to have prepared and executed the necessary contracts therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the specifications for furnishing and delivering of Traprock screening to Pershing Field, as presented by the Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property, be and the same is hereby adopted and the City Clerk be and he is hereby instructed to advertise for bids for same.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the specifications submitted by the Director af the the Department of Parks and Public Property, for the furnishing and delivering of Nursery Stock, be and they are hereby approved, and the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the specifications for furnishing and installing a new elevator pump in the City Hall, as presented by the Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property, be and the same is hereby adopted and the City Clerk be and he is hereby instructed to advertise for bids for same.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, Bids were received on June 8th, 1920, for furnishing and delivering Laboratory equipment for use in the Jersey City Hospital, and

Whereas, Said bids were referred to the General Purchasing Agent and Dr. John Nevin, Medical Director, for investigation and recommendation; and

Whereas, The General Purchasing Agent and Dr. John Nevin, Medical Director, after investigation, advised the Director of the Department of Public Affairs, that the bid of the Reynolds, Teschnar & Volk Co., of New York City, New York, was the lowest bid received for furnishing and delivering the items specified on schedule hereto attached; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering laboratory equipment for use in the Jersey City Hospital in accordance with schedule attached hereto, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Reynolds, Teschnar & Volk Co. at the prices named in their bid;

Further Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to have prepared and executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, bids were received on June 8th, 1920 for furnishing and delivering laboratory equipment for use in the Jersey City Hospital; and

Whereas, The said bids were referred to the General Purchasing Agent and Dr. John Nevin, Medical Director, for investigation and recommendation; and

Whereas, The General Purchasing Agent and Dr. John Nevin, Medical Director, after investigation, advised the Director of the Department of Public Affairs that the bid of E. Leitz, Inc., of New York City, New York, was the lowest bid received for furnishing and delivering the items specified on the schedule attached hereto; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering laboratory equipment for use in the Jersey City Hospital in accordance with schedule attached hereto, be and the same is hereby awarded to E. Leitz, Inc., at the prices named in their bid;

Further Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to have prepared and executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks, for the purpose of public inspection.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, bids were received on June 8th, 1920 for furnishing and delivering laboratory equipment for use in the Jersey City Hospital; and

Whereas, The said bids were referred to the General Purchasing Agent and Dr. John Nevin, Medical Director, for investigation and recommendation; and

Whereas, The General Purchasing Agent and Dr. John Nevin, Medical Director, after investigation, advised the Director of the Department of Publice Affairs that the bid of the Will Corporation, Rochester, New York, was the lowest bid received for furnishing and delivering the items specified on the schedule attached hereto; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering laboratory equipment for use in the Jersey City Hospital in accordance with schedule attached hereto, be and the same is hereby awarded to The Will Corporation, at the prices named in their bid;

Further Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to have prepared and executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks, for the purpose of public inspection.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, bids were received on June 8th, 1920 for furnishing and delivering laboratory equipment for use in the Jersey City Hospital; and

Whereas, The said bids were referred to the General Purchasing Agent and Dr. John Nevin, Medical Director, for investigation and recommendation; and

Whereas, The General Purchasing Agent and Dr. John Nevin, Medical Director, after investigation, advised the Director of the Department of Public Affairs, that the bid of the Empire Laboratory Supplies Co., of New York, was the lowest bid received for furnishing and delivering the items specified on schedule attached hereto; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering laboratory equipment for use in the Jersey City Hospital in accordance with schedule attached hereto, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Empire Laboratory Supplies Co. at the prices named in their bid;

Further Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to have prepared and executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks, for the purpose of public inspection.

On motion of Commissioner O'Brien the Board adjourned.

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, Jr.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
CHARLES F. X. O'BRIEN,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

Approved,
FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF AUGUST 10, 1920

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, August 10th, 1920, at 2 P. M.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

RECEPTION OF BIDS:

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for furnishing supplies and performing work for the various departments of the City Government, the City Clerk called for bids, with the following results:

HAY, GRAIN, FEED, &c.

1. Carscallen & Cassidy, by item, with surety company bond.

2. John F Armstrong, by item, with surety company bond.

FISK ST. SEWER SYSTEM.

1. Liberty Contg. Co., 380 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

2. John T. Brady Co., 394 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon, the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received opened and read, the bids for Hay, Grain, &c., referred to the Purchasing Agent, and the bids for Fisk St. Sewer system referred to the Director of the Dept. of Streets and Public Improvements, for investigation and recommendation.

IMPROVEMENT HEARINGS:

The hearing on the improvement of all that part of Bergen Avenue between Hudson Boulevard and Bergen Square and Sip Avenue between the westerly line of Summit Avenue and the proposed easterly line of Bergen Avenue by widening same in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917, having been adjourned and continued to this time and place, and the City Clerk having advertised as required by law, that the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City will consider the final passage of the ordinance covering the above described improvement the City Clerk read the ordinace as being ready for passage on second reading and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against said ordinance. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the ordinance. The City Clerk then read the ordinance as being ready for third reading and final passage and called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of said ordinance. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of the ordinance.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen, the ordinance was referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

FRANCHISE HEARINGS:

The hearing on the application of the Vulcan Iron Works for permission to lay and maintain a six-inch conduit across Hudson Street, Jersey City, from building known as No. 40 Hudson Street to building known as No. 39 Hudson Street, having been adjourned and continued to this time and place, and the City Clerk having advertised as required by law, that the Board of Commissioners will consider the final passage of the ordinance covering said application, the City Clerk read the ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of the ordinance. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of the ordinance.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the ordinance was referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

This time and place having been advertised as required by law, for public hearing on the application of Margulies & Gerstenfeld, for permission to build concrete vault under sidewalk on Glenwood Avenue, 75 feet east of the Boulevard, to be used for coal storage in connection with maintenance of building known as Boulevard Court, the City Clerk called for anyone who might desire to protest against the application. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the application of Margulies & Gerstenfeld for permission to build concrete vault under sidewalk on Glenwood Avenue, 75 feet east of the Boulevard, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to Tuesday, August 24th, 1920, at 2 P. M., in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

This time and place having been advertised as required by law, for public hearing on the application of the American Grocery Company for permission to erect concrete shipping platform with roof cover on their building known as No. 105-107 Franklin Street, Jersey City, the City Clerk called for anyone who might desire to protest against the application.

A written protest was received from property owners on Franklin Street, signed by several property owners, in which they state that the erection of the shipping platform would be a detriment to the adjoining property and the value of the property on the street would depreciate. They also state in the protest that there is a 10-foot driveway alongside of the building No. 105-107 Franklin Street, and that in the rear of said building there is plenty of room for loading and unloading supplies.

Counsellor John W. Ockford, representing property owners on Franklin Street, appeared and submitted a protest requesting that it be filed in addition to the one previously submitted. Mr. Ockford stated that Franklin Street is a very important thoroughfare, being the connecting link with Hoboken and that section of Hudson City and is also one of the main approaches to Pershing Field; that if the platform is build, the sidewalk being narrow at that point, the pedestrians would be compelled to walk out in the street, where there is a trolley track, thus endangering lives; that there is sufficient room in the rear of the building on Manhattan Avenue, also at the side of the building for loading and unloading; that the value of adjoining property would be depreciated and the owners would naturally seek a reduction in assessment, which reduction would not be equalized by the increased value and assessment on the premises Nos. 105-107 Franklin Street.

Counsellor Lewis Hansen also appeared in behalf of property owners on Franklin Street and protested against the erection of the proposed platform. His protest was made on the same grounds as that of Counsellor Ockford's protest.

The City Clerk then called for any one who might desire to be heard in favor of the application.

Mr. A. J. Goldstein, president of the American Grocery Company, appeared with his counsel, Robert Kinkead. Mr. Kinkead stated that he had not had sufficient time to gather the necessary data, and therefore requested an adjournment of the hearing.

The Mayor advised Mr. Kinkead that it would be unfair to bring all the protestants before the Board again. Mr. Kinkead agreed that it would be unjust to ask the protestants to appear again.

Counsellor Ockford agreed to the adjournment of the hearing providing Counsellor Kinkead would advise him as to what action he would take in answering the arguments of the protestants, so that the protestants may judge whether it is necessary to appear befor the Board.

Commission Gannon suggested that counsel for the applicant and protestants should exchange briefs a few days before the hearing. Counsel for both sides agreed to comply with Commissioner Gannon's suggestion. Counsellor

Kinkead stated that he would be ready to proceed in the matter at the next meeting of the Board to be held on August 17, 1920.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the application of the American Grocery Company for permission to erect shipping platform with roof cover at Nos. 105-107 Franklin Street, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to Tuesday, August 17, 1920, at 2 P. M. in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

CITY ORDINANCES.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the final passage of the following ordinances:

An ordinance authorizing $10,500 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City (Improvement Cliff Street).

An ordinance authorizing $70,000 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City (Improvement Mallory Avenue).

An ordinance authorizing $10,000 emergency bonds of the City of Jersey City (Hudson & Manhattan tube fare raise).

An ordinance authorizing the issue of $3,696,000 water bonds of the City of Jersey City.

The City Clerk read each ordinance as being ready for final passage, and then called for any one who might desire to protest against the final passage of any of the foregoing ordinances. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the ordinances were referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications:

E. H. Weigand requesting permission to alter building and erect garage in cellar of No. 79 Hague Street.

L. Freidner requesting permission to erect electric sign to extend 7 feet beyond building line at No. 335 Central Avenue.

Richard Warren requesting permission to alter basement of building and make room for private garage at No. 254 Hancock Avenue.

Knights of Maccabees of the World requesting permission to alter building 79 Lincoln Street to be used for meeting rooms.

The City Clerk read the public notice on each application and then called for any one who might desire to protest against the granting of the privileges requested.

No on appeared to protest and no written protests were received against granting of any of the applications.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the application of Richard Warren for permission to alter basement of present two-story and brick basement frame dwelling to make room for private garage at No. 254 Hancock Avenue, be and the same is hereby referred to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements for investigation and recommendation.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the application of E. H. Weigand for permission to alter building and erect garage in cellar of 2½-story frame dwelling No. 79 Hague Street, be and the same is hereby referred to the Director, Department of Streets and Public Improvements, for investigation and recommendation.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to L. Friedner to erect metal electric sign to extend 7 feet beyond building line at No. 335

Central Avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to the Knights of Maccabees of the World to remove and change partitions and walls and erect one-story frame extension on two-story frame building No. 79 Lincoln Street, so that the floors may be used for meeting rooms, as shown on blue print attached to application; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

This time and place having been set for public hearing on the protest filed by Counsellor Myron C. Ernst in behalf of property owners in the vicinity of Columbia Avenue and the Boulevard against the operation of the garages erected by Herman H. Just at Nos. 60-62-64 Columbia Avenue, the City Clerk called for any one who might desire to be heard either against the operation of the garages and in favor of the operation of the garages.

Counsellor Ernst appeared with Mr. Sacks, one of the protestants, and stated that Mr. Just had obtained a permit from the Zoning Commission to erect two 2-family houses and one single house and five garages at Nos. 60-62-64 Columbia Avenue, the garages to be used by the occupants of the houses; that the said houses have not as yet been built; that the garages have been completed and they understand that these garages are to be rented to people not living in the immediate neighborhood but will be rented for commercial purposes. Counsellor Ernst requested the Board to take the necessary action to see that garages erected in connection with residences shall only be used by the people living in such houses, and shall not be rented to outsiders. He further stated that Mr. Just had obtained his permit by fraud for the reason that he has not built his houses and contemplates renting these garages to outsiders.

Counsellor August Ziegner appeared with Mr. Just, the owner of the garages, and advised the Board that the garages will not be rented for commercial purposes; that the proper permits had been obtained from the Zoning Commission and Building epartment, for the erection of the garages but no permit had been secured for the erection of the houses, the reason for this being that the houses cannot be erected at the present time due to the high cost of maerial and labor. He also stated that the garages are not rented and tht Mr. Just had not signed any agreement whatsoever, relative to the renting of the garages.

Commissioner Gannon asked Mr. Just to whom he proposed renting the garages. Mr. Just replied that he would rent them to the people in the immediate neighborhood until the houses were completed. Commissioner Gannon then asked him if he would rent them to business people for commercial purposes, and Mr. Just stated that he would rent them only for private cars.

Commissioner Fagen suggested that Counsellor Ernst should serve notice on Counsellor Ziegner that these garages should not be rented out to anybody but to the residents of the houses which are to be erected. Counsellor Ernst accepted the suggestion.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the matter was referred to Commissioner Fagen for the reason that his department has jurisdiction in granting water permits for use of water in connection with the operation of the garages, and for crossing the sidewalks.

This time and place having been set for public hearing on the application of Philip Amon for permission to continue with the erection of a garage at No. 33-35 Reservoir Avenue, the City Clerk advised the Board that he had communicated with the protestants who signed the protest that was presented to the Board on April 9th, 1920, advising them that the hearing was set for this time and place, and that he had received communication from the following persons who stated that they were unable to attend the hearing, and therefore request that their protests be considered in writing.

Herbert F. Meyers, 10 Webster Avenue; Mrs. Puckhaber, 40 Reservoir Avenue; F. B. Potterton, 50 Prospect Street; John F. Dorr, 60 Prospect Street, and Theodore Fick, 54 Prospect Street.

The City Clerk then called for anyone who might desire to be heard against the erection of the garage.

Counsellor Mark Sullivan appeared in behalf of several property owners in the vicinity who are opposed to the garage.

Mrs. H. O. Wittpenn, appeared before the Board and stated that she was Treasurer of St. Catherine's Home at No. 32 Reservoir Avenue; that this home was maintained for the purpose of caring for young unfortunate girls in the state of motherhood; that these girls are usually in very delicate condition, and several infants are also cared for; that for this reason the garage so close would be a detriment to the home, and the noise and operation of the garage would be detrimental to the health of the inmates of the home

Counsellor Douglas Herr appeared with Mr. Philip Amon, owner of the proposed garage.

Counsellor Herr asked Mr. Wittpenn if she understood that the garage was to be used for commercial purposes, and also if the garage was used by the tenant of the house would that be undesirable. Mrs. Wittpenn stated that the operation of any garage would be highly undesirable to the home. Counsellor Herr stated that there were three garages already built on the same block.

Counsellor Sullivan appeared with several property owners and real estate men who stated that they were all opposed to the erection of the garage, in fact there was no one on the block who was in favor of the garage being erected. Counsellor Sullivan stated that Mr. Amon had made application to erect the garage to the Zoning Commission, and the permit had been refused.

Mr. Sullivan stated that Mr. Amon does not own a car and neither do any of the tenants in his house own a car, and that Mr. Amon's intent was to erect the garage and then rent it out, which in his opinion would constitute a commercial garage. He also stated that the building is 18 feet by 30 feet and that after the changes and alterations are completed it will be possible to store five cars in it; that this block is one of the finest in the Hudson City Section and the erection of this garage would increase the fire hazard; that he also understands that Mr. Amon has his house on the market for sale.

Mr. Amon stated that he did have his house on the market but withdrew it a few months ago.

Mr. Sullivan stated that the house was offered for sale only a day previous by an agent.

Counsellor Herr stated that the Zoning Commission had inspected the property and advised Mr. Amon that the building would have to be made fireproof in order that it may be used for garage purposes.

Superintendent of Buildings John Saul was called by the Mayor and he advised the Board that the Building Dept. would not grant a building permit until the application has the approval of the Zoning Commission and also that in order to make this building fireproof it would have to be rebuilt because it is a frame building.

After lengthy discussion by the Board, the following resolution was introduced:

By Commissioner Fagan:

Resolved, That the application of Philip L. Amon for permission to alter frame building No. 33-35 Reservoir Avenue, to be used for garage purposes, be and the same is hereby denied, and the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby directed not to issue permit for such alteration.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

In accordance with resolution adopted by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City at the meeting held on August 3rd, 1920, the City Clerk advised the Board that he had served notice on Graham VanKeuren to appear at this time and place to show cause why the contract awarded to him by the City of Jersey City for the repaving of Grand Street should not be abandoned and bids readvertised for.

Mr. VanKeuren appeared with his counsel, Robert Carey.

Commissioner Fagen stated that all other contractors had made excellent progress in their work and that Mr. VanKeuren had been delaying the work on his contract; that this contract was one of the most important and the traffic is being diverted to other streets which are being ruined; that Mr. VanKeuren has promised to get busy and has failed to do so, and that for this reason he must ask for drastic action to be taken, the contract declared abandoned and new bids advertised for.

Mayor Hague asked Commissioner Fagen what he wanted done in the matter.

Commissioner Fagen stated that he wanted Grand Street paved; that the street was in a disgraceful condition; that Mr. VanKeuren had been on the contract for a year and a half and not a block of granite had been laid; also that Mr. VanKeuren had told him that he could not finish the contract this year.

Counsellor Carey stated that they were making good progress now, and requested permission from Commissioner Fagen to open up more than two blocks at a time so that the work could be proceeded with more rapidly.

Commissioner Fagen stated that too many blocks could not be opened up because it would interfere with traffic, fire engines, etc., also that if more blocks were opened up Mr. VanKeuren would only send a digger there and nothing else would be accomplished.

The Mayor suggested that Commissioner Fagen allow Mr. VanKeuren to open up more of the street.

Commissioner Fagen stated that Mr. VanKeuren has a contract and must live up to it.

Counsellor Carey asked Commissioner Fagen what he desired Mr. VanKeuren to do.

The Commissioner stated that he wanted the street paved, and as soon as possible.

Counsellor Carey stated a large quantity of materials are being delivered to Mr. VanKeuren, and that sufficient men will be put on the job so that the work will be done as rapidly as possible.

Commissioner Fagen stated that he did not want to take Mr. VanKeuren's contract away, he only wanted him to keep working and finish the job.

In conclusion Mr. VanKeuren promised to speed the work up to the satisfaction of Commissioner Fagen.

This time and place having been set for hearing on the plans filed by Eugene DeRosa for the construction of a theatre at Central Avenue and Sherman Place, by Mr. L. F. Blumenthal, the City Clerk advised the Board that he had notified Mr. DeRosa, Mr. Blumenthal and Superintendent of Buildings John Saul to be present at this time and place.

Mr. Saul advised the Board that the plans met with his approval with the exception of the general construction, and for this reason he would suggest that a board of three engineers be selected, Mr. Blumenthal to select a structural engineer who is licensed to do business in the State of New Jersey and who is not interested in this case, and that he will also select an outside engineer to go over the plan of structure, and the City will also select an engineer. Mr. Saul suggested the name of Nathaniel Roberts as his selection.

Mr. Blumenthal stated that Mr. Roberts' selection was satisfactory to him, as he was desirous of complying with the Building Code in every respect.

In conclusion, the Mayor suggested that Mr. Blumenthal select his engineer and then take the matter up with Mr. Saul.

On motion of the Mayor, the Board took a recess for fifteen minutes to confer in the Mayor's Office, City Hall, with the members of the Board of Education relative to Public Schools No. 6 and No. 23.

Upon reconvening, in the Assembly Chamber, the following Commissioners answered the roll call.

Present: Commisioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Absent: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From Steiner & Jaeger, submitting blue prints of property of Pearl L. Bergoff, situate in Jersey City, and requesting the approval of the Board so that they may be filed at the Court House.

Received and referred to the Director of the Dept. of Streets and Public Improvements for investigation and recommendation.

From Erie R. R. Co., submitting blue prints and ordinance covering their application for pipe line across Pavonia Avenue.

Received.

From Esidor Yulinsky, requesting permission to alter building and erect garage in basement of No. 587 Garfield Avenue.

Received.

From John O'Lear, Secretary Concrete Workers' Local No. 325, advising the Board that the following salary increases have been fixed since July 1st, 1920:

Concrete Workers, $6.50 per day.

Foremen, $7.50 per day.

Received and referred to the Director, Department of Parks and Public Property.

From Interstate Bridge and Tunnel Commission, requesting the Board to agree to the abandonment of Eleventh Street for the benefit of the Erie Railroad Company, in exchange for which the Erie Railroad Company will cede to the City considerable land owned by them along Twelfth Street between Provost and Monmouth Streets, this exchange being essential for the purpose of widening 12th and 14th Streets in connection with the entrance to the Vehicular Tunnel.

Received and referred to Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and the Mayor.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

From Corporation Counsel Milton, returning the application of the Italian organizations protesting against street fireworks and advising the Board that it is unnecessary to draft an ordinance covering the application, because under Section 40 of an ordinance adopted by the Board of Aldermen in 1874 it is made unlawful to set off fireworks except on July 4th.

Received.

From Superintendent of Buildings, submitting report for July, 1920.

Received and ordered filed.

From Secretary of the Board of Education, submitting copy of resolution passed by the Board of Education on August 10th, 1920, authorizing 10 per cent. extra compensation to the contractors for the erection of Public School No. 6, on Central Avenue, which increased compensation is necessary due to the increased cost of labor, material, etc.

Received and referred to Mayor Hague and Commissioner Gannon.

From Secretary of the Board of Education, submitting copy of resolution passed by the Board of Education on August 10th, 1920, authorizing 10 per cent. extra compensation to the contractors for the erection of Public School No. 23, on Romaine Avenue, which increased compensation is necessary due to the increased cost of labor, material, etc.

Received and referred to Mayor Hague and Commissioner Gannon.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$55.50, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$70, Richard Stanton, horseshoeing.

$7.45, Union Towel Supply, service.

$9.75, Union Towel Supply, service.

$52.50, Union Printing Company, supplies.

$278.32, The Will Corporation, machinery.

$28.60, Evening Journal Association, advertising Astor Place.

$27.60, Hudson Observer, advertising Astor Place.

$8.28, Evening Journal Association, advertising bonds.

$8.16, Hudson Observer, advertising bonds.

$69.50, Auto Economic Company, supplies.

$7.81, Boonton Auto Garage, supplies.

$70.19, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$243.07, Adam Black, repairs and supplies.

$10.00, W. A. Barclay, refund No. 9398.

$75.00, Walter J. Coleman, labor and material.

$3.20, E. B. Dawson Company, supplies.

$172.04, District Engineer, 2d District, services.

$329.95, Expert Auto Tire Repair, repairs.

$400.00, Fagan Iron Works, supplies.

$61.74 Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$14.40, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$176.00, William R. Harrison, photos.

$315.13, Geo. C. Lavery & Co., supplies.

$39.50, Northern New Jersey Paint Company, supplies.

$300.00, Palace Garage, Ford body.

$16.35, J. H. Paul, supplies.

$135.72, Pennsylvania Salt Mfg. Company, supplies.

$18.00, A. P. Smith Mfg. Company, supplies.

$35.96, E. B. See, expenses.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following parties for the sums and purposes indicated:

$2.50, Union Towel Supply Company, towel service.

$10.20, New York Telephone Company, service.

$2.85, Union Towel Supply Company, towel service.

$27.16, New York Telephone Company, service.

$3.25, Union Towel Supply Company, towel service.

$7.50, Edward Thompson Company, Fed. Statutes.

$15.12, Lake Sales Company, Wasson rings.

$7.25, New York Telephone Company, service.

$17.50, Glenwood Garage and Renting Company, auto hire.

$25.00, Kelly's Garage, storage.

Adopted.

Yeas:—Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays:—None.

Claims passed by Commissioner Moore:—

$1,425.72, McConnell Coal Company, coal.

$50.00, Thomas Finnerty, ice.

$167.50, Geo. H. Allers, medals.

$11.50, Union Printing Company, permit books.

$9.55, Albert Datz, cards and stamps.

$24.90, Thos. L. Higgins, paint.

$5.50, Thos. L. Higgins, bolts.

$4.50, Thomas L. Higgins, brushes.

$53.80, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$27.50, Thos. L. Higgins, furniture oil.

$1,001.50, Nathan and Company, swings and ladders.

$13.98, Thos. L. Higgins, pails.

$28.80, Keuffel & Esser, tracing cloth.

$30.50, S. J. Crawford, plumbing.

$31.50, Thos. L. Higgins, brooms.

$8.50, Henry J. Reitz, fixture.

$22.57, James P. Hall, cement and gravel.

$8.16, Hudson Observer, adv.

$8.28, Evening Journal Association, adv.

$3.20, James P. Landrine, hardware.

$8.50, Thos. L. Higgins, hardware.

$.80, Thos. L. Higgins, door spring.

$29.94, Thos. L. Higgins, hardware.

$7.50, Thos. L. Higgins, Japan Dryers.

$286.70, Chas. H. Engler Lumber Company, white wood.

$5.75, Chas. Hansen, stationery.

$31.50, Albert Datz Company, printing.

$9.15, John P. Landrine, hardware.

$36.74, A. J. Haesloop, hardware.

$3.85, Carl Luck, repairing.

$40.00, Geo. C. Lavery, spruce.

$9.50, Carl Luck, repairing.

$1.08, Kolesch & Company, blue prints.

$2.50, Expert Tire Company, auto repairs.

Adopted.

Yeas:—Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays:—None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named parties for the following amounts and purposes as hereinafter set forth:

$34.50, E. Kelly.

$841.10, Standard Oil Company.

$5.25, Standard Oil Company.

$16.54, Jos. H. Browne.

$128.28, Garfunkel Bros.

$21.00, Garfunkel Bros.

$6.00, S. F. Hayward & Co.

$24.00, A Kuntz.

$17.80, Am. Bosch Magneto Corporation.

$2.16, Am. Bosch Magneto Corporation.

$171.99, Blakeslee-Cadillac Company, parts.

$38.75, T. T. Finnerty, ice.

$98.00, Charles Hayes, horseshoeing.

$19.35, C. F. Hansen, stationery.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following named claimants for the following amounts and purposes:

$51.00, Royal Paper Goods Company, drinking cups.

$0.70, New York Telephone Company, service.

$32.80, Union Printing Company, printing.

$11.55, Expert Auto Tire Repair Company, repairs.

$12.50, Garfunkle Brothers, fuses.

$327.46, Hamilton Meat Mkt., meats.

$34.16, Kleinhaus Store, dry goods.

$33.96, American Laundry Machine Company, repairs.

$1.50, Adolph Koment, yeast.

$258.35, Public Service Gas Company, gas service.

$93.00, Mountain Ice Company, ice.

$254.76, Kleinhaus Store, dry goods.

$139.50, Kleinhaus Store, dry goods.

$14.30, Jos. H. Browne, paper.

$486.65, L. O. Croner, sugar.

$254.25, W. R. Holmes, tea, etc.

$311.04, Fred. Bugasch, insurance.

$8.85, Public Service El. Company, service.

$30.60, Wm. C. Hagen, meats.

$183.83, P. Laffredo & Bro., meat.

$221.21, Hamilton Meat Market, beef.

$355.76, Hamilton Meat Market, beef.

$340.13, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$46.65, Wm. C. Hagen, meats.

$14.40, W. H. Walthery, pork.

$68.60, P. Laffredo & Bro., meats.

$96.39, Hamilton Meat Market, beef.

$364.74, Hamilton Meat Market, beef.

$2.00, Haggerty Brothers, corks.

$201.21, J. Pollio, chicken.

$220.71, Wm. Bill, groceries.

$270.65, Jerome O'Keeffe, dry goods.

$46.94, D. E. Cleary & Co., groceries.

$51.87, E. B. Skelton, dry goods.

$94.53, W. H. Walthery, meats.

$184.10, P. Laffredo & Bro., lambs.

$330.94, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$5.45, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$50.40, Thos. Finnerty, ice.

$28.35, Hamilton Meat Market, meats.

$58.62, Thos. Finnerty, ice.

$74.89, Archibald & Gallagher, groceries.

$20.70, Public Service Gas Company, service.

$18.40, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$8.60, New York Telephone Company, service.

$43.77, P. Laffredo & Bro., meats.

$6.90, Garfunkle Brothers, lights.

$218.54, H. P. Dougherty, office supplies.

$87.71, Art Metal Construction Company, letter files.

$54.05, David I. Cohen, bottles.

$159.43, The Kleinhaus Store, dry goods.

$13.57, Public Service Gas Company, service.

$37.10, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$54.08, William Bill, groceries.

$54.78, Jerome O'Keefe, dry goods.

$3.75, Standard Oxygen Company, oxygen.

$96.73, Kleinhaus Store, pajamas.

$73.50, Ganz & Goodman, dry goods.

$12.75, Thos. Higgins, hardware.

$73.11, D. E. Cleary groceries.

$13.76, Wm. C. Hagen, meats.

$7.80, Wm. Bill, soap.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PAYROLLS.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached payrolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being for services rendered during the periods specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS.

From Commissioner Fagen, returning plan of the Board of Engineers, Jersey City Development Plan, covering the proposed traffic routes for the vehicular tunnel, and recommending that the City Clerk be authorized and directed to fix a time and place for public hearing in the matter.

Received.

From Commissioner Fagen, returning petition and blue prints of the Vulcan Iron Works covering their application for spur track on Hudson Street near Dudley Street, and recommending that the petition be altered by the said Vulcan Iron Works so that the petition will show that the railroad company joins in the petition, and also change the blue print so that it will show the boundaries, width of Hudson and Dudley Streets and the exact point where the spur will enter the Vulcan Iron Works property on Hudson Street at its most southern point; also returning the protest of the Lembeck & Betz Brewing Co. so that it may be considered at the hearing.

Received.

From Commissioner Fagen, returning petition and ordinance of the Standard Oil Co. for the vacation of Hillside Road, and advising the Board that he will make no recommendation at present, but will do so at the hearing requested by said petitioner.

Received.

From Commissioner Gannon, submitting supplemental debt statement.

Received and ordered filed.

From Commissioner Gannon, submitting audit of the City Books from January 1st, 1919, to December 31st, 1919.

Received, and on motion of Commissioner Gannon the City Clerk was directed to advertise the same according to law.

From Commissioner Moore, advising the Board that it is necessary to dredge the area surrounding Morgan Street Dock in order to get capacity use of the dock and submitting specifications recommending their adoption and that the City Clerk be directed to advertise for proposals for doing said work.

Received.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications prepared by the Assistant Chief Engineer, and approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form, for furnishing and delivering f. o. b. Jersey City, N. J., a "Federal truck chassis" with all the necessary attachments and equipments, be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed, and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, William A. Scheurer, of 18 Greenville Avenue, made application to the Zoning Commission for their approval of his erecting a store front at said number, and the said Commission having considered same, reported unfavorably upon it, but suggested that it be presented to the City Commission for its consideration, without prejudice; and

Whereas, At the meeting of the City Commission on July 27th, 1920, the application was referred to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements for his investigation and recommendation;

Resolved, That upon the recommendation and approval of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, permit be and is hereby granted to William A. Scheurer to erect a store front at No. 18 Greenville Avenue, according to the building code, and such other ordinances of the city as may pertain thereto.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An Ordinance to improve all that part of Bergen Avenue between Hudson Boulevard and Bergen Square, and Sip Avenue between the westerly line of Summit Avenue and the proposed easterly line of Bergen Avenue, by widening same in accordance with the hereinafter mentioned description

Whereas, It is deemed advisable by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, that Bergen Avenue between Hudson Boulevard and Bergen Square, and Sip Avenue between the westerly line of Summit Avenue and the proposed easterly line of Bergen Avenue should be improved;

Therefore, The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do Ordain:

That all that part of Bergen Avenue between Hudson Boulevard and Bergen Square and Sip Avenue between the westerly line of Summit Avenue and the proposed easterly line of Bergen Avenue in accordance with the proposed new widening shall be improved as follows:

Between Hudson Boulevard and Sip Avenue, the Avenue to be 56.16 feet in width at the Hudson Boulevard and 58 feet in width at Sip Avenue.

Between Sip Avenue and Bergen Square, the street to be 65 feet in width being 32.50 feet measured at right angles on either side of the following described center line;

Beginning at a point on the southerly line of Sip Avenue if extended in a westerly direction distant 37.60 feet westerly from the present southeasterly corner of Sip Avenue and Bergen Avenue, thence, running in a southerly direction in a straight line or course 543.91 feet to Bergen Square.

Sip Avenue between the westerly line of Summit Avenue and the proposed easterly line of Bergen Avenue in accordance with the proposed new widening, the street to be 60 feet in width measured at right angles on either side of the following described center line:

First—Beginning at a point at the intersection of the present southerly line of Sip Avenue, and the present westerly line of Summit Avenue; thence running in a westerly direction and along the present southerly line of Sip Avenue, 207.78 feet to the easterly line of Jones Street; thence running in a southerly direction and along the easterly line of Jones Street, 6.42 feet; thence running in an easterly direction, parallel with the present southerly line of Sip Avenue, and distant 6 feet at right angles thereto, 207.80 feet to the westerly line of Summit Avenue; thence running in a northerly direction, and along the westerly line of Summit Avenue 6.41 feet to the point or place of beginning. Said above described property being a strip 6 feet in width off the northerly portion of Lots 1 to 4 and Plot 4 to 5A, Block 1867, City Map, and containing 1,246.74 square feet.

Second—Commencing at a point at the intersection of the present southerly line of Sip Avenue with the westerly line of Jones Street; thence running in a westerly direction and along the present southerly line of Sip Avenue, 274.91 feet to the easterly line of Enos Place; thence southerly, and along the easterly line of Enos Place 6 feet; thence running in an easterly direction, and parallel with the present southerly line of Sip Avenue, and distant 6 feet at right angles thereto, 272.63 feet, to the westerly line of Jones Street; thence running in a northerly direction, and along the westerly line of Jones Street, 6.42 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said above described property is a strip of land 6 feet in width off the northerly portion of Lots 17 to 22, Block 1868, City Map, and containing 1,642.62 square feet.

Third—Commencing at a point at the intersection of the present southerly line of Sip Avenue, with the westerly line of Enos Place; thence running in a westerly direction, and along the present southerly line of Sip Avenue, 220.77 feet to the proposed new easterly line of Bergen Avenue; thence running in a southerly direction, and along the proposed new easterly line of Bergen Avenue, 6.94 feet; thence running in an easterly direction, parallel with the present southerly line of Sip Avenue, distant 6 feet at right angles thereto, 224.26 feet to the westerly line of Enos Place; thence running in a northerly direction, and along the westerly line of Enos Place, 6 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said above described property is a strip of land 6 feet in width off the northerly portion of Lots 1 to 10, Block 1868½, City Map, and containing 1335.09 square feet.

Section 2. That the lands required to be taken for the making of said improvement are located and described as follows:

Commencing at a point in the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue distant 65 05-100 feet measured in a southerly direction from a point formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Ave with the southerly line of the Hudson Boulevard. Thence running in a southerly direction and along the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 100 08-100 feet to the northerly line of Sip Avenue. Thence running in a westerly direction and along the northerly line of Sip Avenue 10 feet. Thence running in a northerly direction and parallel with the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 100 06-100 feet to the southerly line of Lot 33A, Block 1864, City Map. Thence running in an easterly direction and along the southerly line of Lot 33A, Block 1864, City Map, 10 feet to the point or place of beginning. Said above described property is a strip of land 10 feet in width off the easterly portion of Lot 31, Block 1864, City Map, and containing 1,000 70-100 square feet.

Part Lot 33A, Block 1864, City Map.

Commencing at a point in the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue with the southerly line of the Hudson Boulevard. Thence running in a westerly direction along the southerly line of the Hudson Boulevard 10 feet. Thence running in a southerly direction and parallel with the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 65 4-100 feet to the northerly line of Lot 10, Block 1864, City Map. Thence running in an easterly direction along the northerly line of Lot 10, Block 1864, City Map, 10 feet to the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue. Thence running in a northerly direction and along the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 65 5-100 feet to the point or place of beginning. Said above described property is a strip of land 10 feet in width off the easterly portion of Lot 33A, Block 1864, City Map, and containing 650 50-100 square feet.

Part Lot 13, Block 1869, City Map.

Commencing at a point in the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue distant 50 feet measured in a northerly direction from a point formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue with the northerly line of Newkirk Street. Thence running in a northerly direction and along the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 69 feet to the southerly line of Lot 12, Block 1869, City Map. Thence running in a westerly direction and along the southerly line of Lot 12, Block 1,869, City Map five feet. Thence running in a southerly direction parallel with the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 69 feet to the northerly line of Lot 14, Block 1,869 City Map. Thence running in an easterly direction and along the northerly line of Lot 14, Block 1,869 City Map five feet to the point or place of beginning. Said above described property is a strip of land five feet in width off the easterly portion of Lot 13, Block 1,869 City Map and containing 345 square feet.

Part Lot 12, Block 1,869, City Map.

Commencing at a point in the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue distant 119 feet measured in a northerly direction from a point formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue with the northerly line of Newkirk Street.

Thence running in a northerly direction and along the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 80 17/100 feet to a point of angle. Said point being formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue with the new line of Bergen Avenue. Thence running in a westerly direction and along the new line of Bergen Avenue 6 91/100 feet. Thence running in a southerly direction and parallel with the westerly line of Bergen Avenue 84 76/100 feet to the northerly line of Lot 13, Block 1,869 City Map. Thence running in an easterly direction and along the northerly line of Lot 13, Block 1,869 City Map five feet to the point or place of beginning. Said above described property is a strip of land five feet in width off the easterly portion of Lot 12, Block 1,869, City Map and containing 412 30/100 square feet.

Part Lot 15, Block 1,869, City Map.

Commencing at a [illegible] formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue with the northerly line of Newkirk Street. Thence running in a northerly direction and along the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 25 00/100 feet to the southerly line of Lot 14, Block 1,869 City Map.

Thence running in a westerly direction and along the southerly line of Lot 14, Block 1,869, City Map five feet.

Thence running in a southerly direction and parallel with the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 25 feet to the northerly direction and along the northerly line of Newkirk Street five feet to the point or place of beginning. Said above described property is a strip of land five feet in width of the easterly portion of Lot 15, Block 1,869, City Map and containing 125 square feet.

Part Lot 14, Block 1,869 City Map.

Commencing at a point in the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue distant 25 feet measured in a northerly direction from a point formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue with the northerly line of Newkirk Street.

Thence running in a northerly direction and along the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 25 feet to the southerly line of Lot 13, Block 1,869 City Map.

Thence running in a westerly direction and along the southerly line of Lot 13, Block 1,869, City Map five feet. Thence running in a southerly direction and parallel with the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 25 feet to the northerly line of Lot 15, Block 1,869, City Map.

Thence running in an easterly direction and along the northerly line of Lot 15, Block 1,869, City Map five feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said above described property is a strip of land five feet in width off the easterly portion of Lot 14, Block 1,869, City Map and containing 125 square feet.

Part Lot 4A, Block 1,871, City Map.

Commencing at a point in the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue distant 237 62/100 feet measured in a northerly direction from a point formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue with the northerly line of Bergen Square.

Thence running in a northerly direction and along the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 43 82-100 feet to the southerly line of Newkirk street. Thence running in a westerly direction and along the southerly line of Newkirk Street 5 feet.

Thence running in a southerly direction and parallel with the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 43 73-100 feet to the northerly line of 4B, block 1871, City Map.

Thence running in an easterly direction and along the northerly line of lot 4B, block 1871, City Map, 5 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said above described property is a strip of land 5 feet in width off the easterly portion of lot 4A, block 1871, City Map, and containing 218 85-100 square feet.

PART LOT 2, BLOCK 1871, CITY MAP.

Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue and the northerly line of Bergen Square.

Thence running in a northerly direction and along the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 94 14-100 feet to the southerly line of lot 3A, block 1871, City Map.

Thence running in a westerly direction along the northerly line of lot 3A, block 1871, City Map, 5 feet.

Thence running in a southerly direction and parallel with the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 94 15-100 feet to the northerly line of Bergen Square. Thence running in an easterly direction and along the northerly line of Bergen Square 5 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said above described property is a strip of land 5 feet in width off the easterly portion of lot 2, block 1871, City Map, and containing 470 70-100 square feet.

PART LOT 4C, BLOCK 1871, CITY MAP.

Commencing at a point in the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue distant 203 48-100 feet measured in a northerly direction from a point formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue with the northerly line of Bergen Square.

Thence running in a northerly direction and along the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 16 94-100 feet to the southerly line of lot 4B, block 1871, City Map.

Thence running in a westerly direction and along the southerly line of 4B, block 1871, City Map, 5 feet.

Thence running in a southerly direction and parallel with the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 16 99-100 feet to the northerly line of lot 4D, block 1871, City Map.

Thence running in an easterly direction and along the northerly line of lot 4D, block 1871, City Map, 5 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said above described property is a strip of land 5 feet in width off the easterly portion of lot 4C, block 1871, City Map, and containing 84 80-100 square feet.

PART LOT 4B, BLOCK 1871, CITY MAP.

Commencing at a point in the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue distant 220 42-100 feet measured in a northerly direction from a point formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue with the northerly line of Bergen Square.

Thence running in a northerly direction and along the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 17 20-100 feet to the southerly line of lot 4A, block 1871, City Map.

Thence running in a westerly direction and along the southerly line of lot 4A, block 1871 City Map, 5 feet.

Thence running in a southerly direction and parallel with the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 17 20-100 feet to the northerly line of lot 4C, block 1871, City Map.

Thence running in an easterly direction along the northerly line of lot 4C, block 1871, City Map, 5 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said above described property is a strip of land 5 feet in width off the easterly portion of lot 4B, block 1871, City Map, and containing 86 square feet.

PART LOT 4E, BLOCK 1871, CITY MAP.

Commencing at a point in the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue distant 169 26-100 feet measured in a northerly direction from a point formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue with the northerly line of Bergen Square.

Thence running in a northerly direction and along the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 17 28-100 feet to the southerly line of lot 4D, block 1871, City Map.

Thence running in a westerly direction and along the southerly line of lot 4D 5 feet.

Thence running in a southerly direction and parallel with the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 17 28-100 feet to the northerly line of Lot 3B, Block 1871, City Map.

Thence running in an easterly direction and along the northerly line of Lot 3B, Block 1871, City Map, 5 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said above described property is a strip of land 5 feet in width off the easterly portion of Lot 4E, Block 1871, City Map, and containing 86 40-100 square feet.

PART LOT 4D, BLOCK 1871 CITY MAP.

Commencing at a point in the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue distant 186 52-100 feet measured in a northerly direction from a point formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue with the northerly line of Bergen Square.

Thence running in a northerly direction and along the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 16 96-100 feet to the southerly line of Lot 40, Block 1871, City Map.

Thence running in a westerly direction and along the southerly line of Lot 40, Block 1871, City Map, 5 feet.

Thence running in a southerly direction and parallel with the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 16 98-100 feet to the northerly line of Lot 42, Block 1871, City Map.

Thence running in an easterly direction and along the northerly line of Lot 4E, Block 1871, City Map, 5 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said above described property is a strip of land 5 feet in width off the easterly portion of lot 4D, Block 1871, City Map, and containing 84 85-100 square feet.

PART LOT 3A, BLOCK 1871, CITY MAP.

Commencing at a point in the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue distant 94 14-100 feet measured in a northerly direction from a point formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue with the northerly line of Bergen Square.

Thence running in a northerly direction and along the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 25 04-100 feet to the southerly line of Lot 3B, Block 1871, City Map.

Thence running in a westerly direction and along the southerly line of Lot 3B, Block 1871, City Map, 5 feet.

Thence running in a southerly direction and parallel with the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 25 04-100 feet to the northerly line of Lot 2, Block 1871, City Map.

Thence running in an easterly direction and along the northerly line of Lot 2, Block 1871, City Map, 5 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said above described property is a strip of land 5 feet in width off the easterly portion of Lot 3A, Block 1871, City Map, and containing 125 20-100 square feet.:

PART LOT 3B, BLOCK 1871, CITY MAP.

Commencing at a point in the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue distant 119 18-100 feet measured in a northerly direction from a point formed by the intersection of the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue with the northerly line of Bergen Square. Thence running in a northerly direction along the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 50 08-100 feet to the southerly line of Lot 4E, Block 1871, City Map.

Thence running in a westerly direction and along the southerly line of Lot 4E, Block 1871, City Map, 5 feet.

Thence running in a southerly direction and parallel with the present westerly line of Bergen Avenue 50 08-100 feet to the northerly line of Lot 3A, Block 1871, City Map.

Thence running in an easterly direction and along the northerly line of Lot 3A, Block 1871, City Map, 5 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Said above described property is a strip of land 5 feet in width off the easterly portion of Lot 3B, Block 1871, City Map, and containing 250 40-100 square feet.

Said improvement to be made in conformity to the provisions of Chapter 152, of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof, and in accordance with specifications to be specially prepared.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for second and third reading and final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed after second and third reading by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, Heretofore and on the tenth day of August, 1920, an ordinance was passed by this Board providing for the improvement of all that part of Bergen Avenue between Hudson Boulevard and Bergen Square, and Sip Avenue between the westerly line of Summit Avenue and the proposed easterly line of Bergen Avenue, by widening same in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof; and

Whereas, Said ordinance provides for the taking of lands and real estate and rights and interests therein, the location and dimensions of such lands and real estate so proposed to be taken being set out in such ordinance; therefore be it

Resolved, That the map accompanying said ordinance together with a certified copy thereof duly attested by the Clerk of this Board, be filed with the Commissioners of Assessment and referred to them for the purpose of making an award for said lands and real estate and rights and interests therein to the owners thereof;

Further Resolved, That upon the making of such awards the said Commissioners of Assessment make and file with this Board a report of their action in the premises.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance for the relief of Vulcan Iron Works in the laying and maintaining of a six-inch conduit across Hudson Street, Jersey City, from building known as No. 40 Hudson Street to building known as No. 39 Hudson Street.

THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF JERSEY CITY DO ORDAIN:

Section 1. That the Vulcan Iron Works be and it is hereby permitted to lay and maintain a six-inch conduit across Hudson Street, beginning at a point about seventy-five feet (75) north of Essex Stret, at their Machine Shop, known as No. 40 Hudson Street, and running in a westerly direction to their building known as garage, No. 39 Hudson Street, Jersey City, and the said pipe to be installed in the manner shown upon blue print attached to their application, and now on file in the office of the City Clerk of Jersey City.

Section 2. Said conduit is to contain a low pressure steam line to be used for the purpose of conveying steam from their machine shop to their garage for heating purposes, and shall not be used for any other purpose whatsoever.

Section 3. The beneficiaries hereunder agree to replace the surface of said street in a good and workmanlike manner, and to the complete satisfaction of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements of Jersey City.

Section 4. The ordinance granting these privileges shall be in full force and effect for a period of twenty years. An acceptance of these privileges in writing shall be filed in the manner required by law.

Section 5. In accepting the privileges of this ordinance and the operating and maintenance hereby authorized the beneficiaries hereunder hereby agree to assume full, complete and undivided responsibility for any and all injury or damage to persons or property by reason of such operation, and to hold the City harmless therefrom. Said beneficiaries shall not assign or permit to be used by any other person, company or corporation whatsoever, except by authority of subsequent resolution of this Board, any of the privileges herein granted

Section 6. For the privileges herein accorded, the said Vulcan Iron Works shall pay annually to the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City the sum of Twenty-five Dollars ($25), which payment shall be made annually in advance to the City Comptroller of Jersey City, at his office in the City Hall, on the first day of September next, succeeding the time when this ordinance shall become effective, and each year thereafter in like manner.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, The Director of Streets and Public Improvements presents to this Board a form of agreement granting to the City of Bayonne permission to lay and maintain for a period named therein, along certain streets and highways of this City designated in said agreement, a certain water supply pipe line, and providing for the exchange of water between the said City of Bayonne and this City; and

Whereas, The Director of Public Safety recommends that said agreement be entered into; now, therefore be it

Resolved, That said form of agreement be and the same hereby is approved and the Mayor, Director of Streets and Public Improvements and the City Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to execute the same in the name of the City.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, contract for regulating and repaving with sheet asphalt on present stone and concrete foundation the roadway of Manhattan Avenue from Central Avenue to the easterly line of Sanford Place on present concrete foundation and from the easterly line of Sanford Place to the Hudson Boulevard and Thirteenth Street from the easterly line of Thirteenth Street Viaduct to Henderson Street on present stone block foundation, also Pershing Field from Central Avenue to Summit Avenue on a 5-inch concrete base, be and the same is hereby awarded to W. T. S. Crichfield at the price named in his proposal, namely, one hundred fifteen (115 per cent.) per cent. of the standard, that being the lowest bid received; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, contract for the improvement of Cliff Street between the Hudson Boulevard and Liberty Avenue, with old Belgian blocks on sand cushion, be and the same is hereby awarded to Van Keuren Contracting Co. at the price named in its bid, namely, one hundred and seven per cent. (107 per cent.) of the standard, that being the lowest bid received; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing $70,000.00 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City.

Whereas, In pursuance of Chapter 152, P. L. 1917, as amended by Chapter 163, P. L. 1918, this Board of Commissioners determines that it is necessary to improve Mallory Avenue between Clendenny and Communipaw Avenues, and having received bids will enter into a contract for the carrying out of said improvement in accordance with plans and specifications which have been or may be adopted from time to time by this Board, after the introduction and passage of this ordinance;

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That for the purpose of the improvement of Mallory Avenue, between Clendenny and Communipaw Avenues the sum of $70,000.00 be and is hereby appropriated, and to meet the cost of carrying out the provisions of said contract.

Section 2. That pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 252, P. L. 1916, as amended by Chapter 240, P. L. 1917, and for the purpose of meeting said appropriation, this Board authorizes and directs that $70,000.00 of temporary improvement bonds be issued as the money may be needed, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum, said bonds shall mature in not exceeding six (6) years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment, and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Section 3. Said temporary improvement bonds shall state that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing the improvement of Mallory Avenue. The other matters in respect of the issuance of said bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Section 4. That the said temporary improvement bonds shall be paid or funded within six (6) years after the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out.

Section 5. That the interest on said temporary improvement bonds shall be raised in the annual tax levy.

Section 6. The aforesaid appropriation is to apply to local improvements and as assessment is thereafter to be levied on property in the vicinity thereof benefited or increased in value by reason thereof.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing $10,500.00 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City.

Whereas, In pursuance of Chapter 152, P. L. 1917, as amended by Chapter 163, P. L. 1918, this Board of Commissioners determines that it is necessary to improve Cliff Street, between Hudson Boulevard and Liberty Avenue and having received bids will enter into a contract for the carrying out of said improvement in accordance with plans and specifications which have been or may be adopted from time to time by this Board, after the introduction and passage of this Ordinance;

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That for the purpose of the improvement of Cliff Street between Hudson Boulevard and Liberty Avenue the sum of $10,500.00 be and is hereby appropriated, and to meet the cost of carrying out the provisions of said contract.

Section 2. That pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 252, P. L. 1916, as amended by Chapter 240, P. L. 1917, and for the purpose of meeting said appropriation, this Board authorizes and directs that $10 500.00 of temporary improvement bonds be issued as the money may be needed, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum, said Bonds shall mature in not exceeding six (6) years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment, and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Section 3. Said temporary improvement bonds shall state that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing the improvement of Cliff Street. The other matters in respect of the issuance of said Bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Section 4. That the said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be paid or funded within six (6) years after the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out.

Section 5. That the interest on said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be raised in the annual tax levy.

Section 6. The aforesaid appropriation is to apply to local improvements and an assessment is thereafter to be levied on property in the vicinity thereof benefited or increased in value by reason thereof.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing $10,000.00 emergency bonds of the City of Jersey City.

RECITALS.

Whereas, The Hudson and Manhattan Railroad Company has made application to the Interstate Commerce Commission for permission to increase the rates of fare between Jersey City and New York; and

Whereas, Said increase of fares as shown on the schedule filed by the Hudson & Manhattan R. R. Company with the Interstate Commerce Commission are deemed by this Board to be excessive, extortionate and detrimental to the best interest of Jersey City;

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do and they hereby appropriate the sum of $10,000.00 for the purpose of contesting and opposing the raising of the rates of fare on the Hudson & Manhattan R. R. Company between Jersey City and New York before the Interstate Commerce Commission.

Section 2. That in pursuance of the provisions of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled "An act concerning municipal and county finances," approved March 28, 1917, as amended, and for the purpose of meeting said appropriation the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do and they hereby authorize and direct that emergency bonds in the sum of $10.000.00 be issued, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum, said bonds shall mature on December 31, 1921, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Section 3. Said bonds shall state that they are issued for the purpose of opposing increase of rate on the Hudson & Manhattan R. R. Company.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing the issue of $3,698,000. Water Bonds of the City of Jersey City.

RECITALS.

For the purpose of acquiring an additional supply of water for the City of Jersey City the sum of $3,690,619.25 has been appropriated by ordinances entitled and adopted, and bonds have been issued thereunder maturing and for the particular purposes as follows:

A—$6,300 bonds maturing May 11, 1921, or sooner if called for payment by the City, to purchase iron body, bronze mounted, double hub valves, which were acquired May 11, 1920, pursuant to "An ordinance authorizing $6,300 temporary improvements bonds of the City of Jersey City," adopted April 13, 1920.

B—$47,500 bonds maturing June 22, 1921, or sooner if called for payment by the City, to replace the present 12-inch and 16-inch cement water pipe on Communipaw Avenue, and the 20-inch cast iron pipe from the Canal Street Bridge to Phillip Street, a distance of about 3,900 feet, which purpose has not yet been completed, pursuant to "An ordinance appropriating $47,500 for an improvement of the water supply of Jersey City, and authorizing temporary improvement bonds of the City to meet said appropriation," adopted June 15, 1919.

C—$700 bonds maturing October 1, 1920, and $900 bonds maturing November 1, 1920, to construct an additional pipe line or main duplicating the existing siphons between Boonton Reservoir and the Passaic River at Lyndhurst, which purpose has not yet been completed, pursuant to "An ordinance authorizing $1,600,000 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City," adopted June 17, 1919.

D—$2,036,619.25 bonds maturing November 5, 1920, for the purpose of temporarily financing the furnishing and laying of 72-inch steel water pipe to duplicate existing siphons between Passaic River at Lyndhurst and the Summit Avenue Reservoir, pursuant to "An ordinance appropriating the sum of $2,036,619.25 to cover cost of furnishing and laying 72-inch steel water pipe to duplicate existing siphons between Passaic River at Lyndhurst, New Jersey, and Summit Avenue Reservoir, Jersey City, New Jersey, and authorizing the issuance of that amount of temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City."

For the purpose of providing funds for an additional supply of water for Jersey City, including the payment of said bonds as and when they mature and the interest accruing thereon, and the cost of the issuance of the bonds authorized by this ordinance, it is necessary to raise the sum of $3,696,000 by the issue and sale of bonds pursuant to an Act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled "An Act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," constituting Chapter 252, of the Pamphlet Laws of 1916, as amended.

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. The issue of Water Bonds in the aggregate principal amount of $3,696,000 is hereby authorized. Said bonds shall be dated August 1, 1920, shall be 3,696 in number, numbered from 1 to 3,696 inclusive, and of the denomination of $1,000 each, $92,000 of said bonds shall mature on August 1 in each of the years 1921 to 1959, inclusive; and $108,000 on August 1 in the year 1960. Said bonds maturing on August 1 in each of the years 1921 to 1925 shall bear interest at the rate of six per centum (6%) per annum and said bonds maturing on August 1 in each of the years 1926 to 1960 shall bear interest at the rate of five and one-half per centum (5½%) per annum, payable semi-annually on February 1 and August 1 in each year until maturity.

Section 2. The money to be raised by the sale of said bonds shall be applied to acquiring an additional supply of water for Jersey City including the payment of the bonds described in the preamble hereof, as and when they mature, and the interest accruing thereon and the cost of the issue of the bonds authorized by this ordinance. The amount of money necessary to be raised for said purposes is $3,696,0000.

Section 3. It is hereby determined and declared that the probable period of usefulness of the properties and improvements for which said bonds are to be issued is forty years.

Section 4. In anticipation of the preparation, execution and delivery of the bonds authorized by this ordinance to be issued, the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance is authorized to have prepared and delivered to the purchaser of said bonds interim certificates or receipts in such form as may hereafter be determined by resolution, which interim bonds or receipts shall be executed on behalf of the City by the Deputy Comptroller of said City.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, By the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City.

1. Pursuant to "An ordinance authorizing the issue of $3,696,000 Water Bonds of the City of Jersey City," adopted August 10, 1920. Water Bonds of said city shall be issued in the aggregate principal amount of $3,696,000. Said bonds shall be dated August 1, 1920 shall be 3,696 in number, numbered from 1 to 3,696, inclusive, and of the denomination of $1,000 each. $92,000 of said bonds shall mature on August 1 in each of the years 1921 to 1959, inclusive, and $108,000 on August 1, 1920. Said bonds maturing on August 1 in each of the years 1921 to 1925 shall bear interest at the rate of six (6%) per centum per annum and said bonds maturing on August 1 in each of the years 1926 to 1960 shall bear interest at the rate of five and one-half (5½%) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually on February 1 and August 1 in each year until maturity.

2. Said bonds shall be in substantially the following form:

No. $1,000

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
STATE OF NEW JERSEY
CITY OF JERSEY CITY
WATER BOND.

The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, a municipal, corporation of the State of New Jersey, for value received, hereby promises to pay to the bearer of this bond, or if it be registered, to the person in whose name it is registered, one thousand dollars ($1,000) on the 1st day of August, 19 , and to pay interest thereon at the rate of per centum (%) per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of February and August in each year, from the date of this bond until it matures, upon presentation and surrender as they severally mature of the coupons therefor annexed hereto, or if this bond be registered as to both principal and interest, then to the person in whose name it is registered. Both principal and interest of this bond will be paid at the office of the Treasurer of the City of Jersey City, in gold coin of the United States of America, of or equal to the present standard of weight and fineness.

This bond may be registered as to principal by the holder in his name on the books of the City, kept in the office of the City Comptroller, and such registration shall be noted on the back of this bond, after which no valid transfer of this bond shall be made except on said books until after registered transfer to bearer. Such registration shall not affect the negotiability of the coupons which shall continue to pass by delivery. At the request of the holder, this bond will be converted into a bond registered as to both principal and interest and the coupons annexed hereto detached and cancelled and thereafter both principal and interest shall be payable to the registered holder.

This bond is one of an issue, the authorized principal amount of which is $3,696,000, of like date and tenor except as to rate of interest and maturities, numbered from 1 upwards, of which ninety-two thousand dollars ($92,000) mature on August 1 in each of the years 1921 to 1959, inclusive, and one hundred and eight thousand dollars ($108,000) thereof mature on August 1 in the year 1960. Said bonds are issued pursuant to an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled "An Act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness, by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an Improvement Commission," approved March 22, 1916, constituting Chapter 252 of the Pamphlet Laws of 1916 as amended, and by virtue of an ordinance of said City entitled: "An ordinance authorizing the issue of $3,696,000 water bonds of the City of

Jersey City," finally adopted on August 10, 1920, and published as required by law.

It is hereby certified and recited that all conditions, acts and things required by the Constitution and Statutes of the State of New Jersey to exist, to have happened and to have been performed, precedent to and in the issuance of this bond exist, have happened, and have been performed and that the issue of bonds of which this is one, together with all other indebtedness of said City, is within every debt and other limit prescribed by the Constitution and Laws of said State.

In Witness Whereof, the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City has caused this bond to be signed by its Mayor and its Deputy Comptroller under the seal of the City and attested by its City Clerk, and the coupons hereto annexed to be authenticated with the facsimile signature of said Deputy Comptroller, and this bond to be dated the 1st day of August, 1920.

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Mayor.

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Deputy Comptroller.

Attest:

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City Clerk.

(Form of Coupon.)

No. ...... $......

The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, a municipal corporation of the State of New Jersey, will pay to the bearer on the 1st day of , 19 , the sum of dollars ($), in gold coin of the United States of America, of or equal to the present standard of weight and fineness, at the office of the City Treasurer, being six months interest then due on its Water Bonds dated August 1, 1920, and bearing No.

....
Deputy Comptroller.

(Certificate of Registration.)

I hereby certify that at the request of the holder of the within bond, for its conversion into a bond registered as to both principal and interest, I have this day cut off and destroyed coupons, attached thereto, numbered from to , inclusive, of the amount and value of dollars ($) each, amounting in the aggregate to ($), and that the within bond is hereby converted into a registered bond, with the principal thereof and semi-annual interest thereon payable to , assignee or legal representative.

Dated, , 19 .

....
City

Date of Registry	Name of Registered Holder	Registered by

3. The acts of the Director of Revenue and Finance and the City Clerk in advertising said bonds for sale are ratified and confirmed and the form of the attached Notice of Sale is approved.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing $7,200 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the specification submitted by the Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property for the furnishing and installing of a new low pressure steam boiler in No. 5 Fire Engine House No. 278 Sixth Street, be and they are hereby approved, and that the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, The M. W. Kellogg Company desire to reclaim certain portions of their property at Droyer's Point, by dredging in Newark Bay, and

Whereas, The Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property has been requested to permit the M. W. Kellogg Company to dredge an area 1,200 feet by 450 feet to an even depth of eight feet below mean low water, in that portion of Newark Bay comprehended in the riparian rights owned by Jersey City and to place the dredged material upon the property of the M. W. Kellogg Company, the said company to provide necessary bulkhead, all as indicated on attached blue print;

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby granted the M. W. Kellogg Company to reclaim their property by doing the necessary dredging, the same to be done according to the attached blue print and under the direction of the Department of Parks and Public Property.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the specification for dredging and deepening the waters of the Hudson River adjacent to the Morgan Street Pier ,as presented by the Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property, be and they are hereby approved and the City Clerk be and he is hereby instructed to advertise for bids.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, The State Civil Service Commission has certified the name of William D. Mitchell as being eligible for appointment to the position of Inspector of Weights and Measures; therefore be it

Resolved, That William D. Mitchell be and he is hereby appointed an Inspector of Weights and Measures of Jersey City at an annual salary of $1,800 payable in semi-monthly installments, said appointment to be effective from this date.

Adopted

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, The State Civil Service Commission has certified the names of George Zoellner, Jeremiah F. McGrath, John C. Kaiser and Walter G. Walsh, as being eligible for appointment to the position of Inspectors of Weights and Measures; therefore be it

Resolved, That George Zoellner, Jeremiah F. McGrath, John C. Kaiser and Walter G. Walsh be and they are hereby appointed Inspectors of Weights and Measures of Jersey City at an annual salary of $1,800, payable in semi-monthly installments, said appointments to be effective from this date.

Adopted

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, At a meeting of the Board of Education of Jersey City, a certain resolution was passed providing for the increase of compensation to be paid to contractors for the erection of School No. 6, to the extent of ten (10%) per cent. of the contract price, and

Whereas, Under the provisions of Chapter 116, P L. 1920 of New Jersey, it is provided that such action may be taken upon the approval of this Board; and

Whereas, In the judgment of this Board, for the reasons set forth in the resolution of the said Board of Education, such action is considered as proper, and for the best interest of the City under the circumstances; therefore be it

Resolved, That the approval of this

Board be and the same is hereby given to the certain resolution of the Board of Education of Jersey City, and this Board does hereby assent and does hereby confirm said resolution;

Further Resolved, That the contract to be prepared by the Law Department shall be submitted to this Board for its approval.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, At a meeting of the Board of Education of Jersey City, a certain resolution was passed providing for the increase of compensation to be paid to contractors for the erection of School No. 23, to the extent of ten (10) per cent. of the contract price, and

Whereas, Under the provisions of Chapter 116, P. L. 1920 of New Jersey, it is provided that such action may be taken upon the approval of this Board; and

Whereas, In the judgment of this Board, for the reasons set forth in the resolution of the said Board of Education, such action is considered as proper, and for the best interest of the City under the circumstances; therefore be it.

Resolved, That the approval of this Board be and the same is hereby given to the certain resolution of the Board of Education of Jersey City, and this Board does hereby assent and does hereby confirm said resolutions;

Further Resolved, That the contract to be prepared by the Law Department shall be submitted to this Board for its approval.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That when this Board adjourns it does adjourn to meet at 12 o'clock noon, on Wednesday, August 11th, 1920, in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner O'Brien the Board adjourned.

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, Jr.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
CHARLES F. X. O'BRIEN,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

Approved:

FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF AUGUST 11, 1920

Minutes of a regular adjourned meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Wednesday, August 11, 1920, at 12 o'clock noon.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Mayor Hague.

Absent: Commissioners Moore and O'Brien. (Excused.)

The City Clerk reported that he had caused a notice of sale of the $3,696,000 Water Bonds to be published at least ten days prior to said sale in the Jersey Journal, a newspaper printed and published in the City of Jersey City, and at least ten days prior to said sale in the Bond Buyer, a financial newspaper published in New York City, and presented affidavits showing such publications, which were received and ordered filed. He further reported that the following bids had been received for the said bonds:

1. Stacy & Braun, Eldredge & Company, Halsey, Stuart & Co., White, Weld & Co., J. S. Rippel & Co., Blodget & Co. By Stacy & Braun, 5 Nassau Street, New York City, bond $3,678,000, price $3,696,000, with certified check of $73,920.

2. Estabrook & Co., William R. Compton Co., Remick Hodges & Co.; bond $3,674,000; price $3,696,000; with certified check of $73,480.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the Board took a recess for one hour for the purpose of investigating the bids received and to determine which bid was the lowest and for the best interest of the City.

Upon reconvening in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, the following Commissioners answered the roll call:

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Absent: Commissioner Moore. (Excused.

It appearing to the Board that the proposition of Estabrook & Co., William R. Compton Co. and Remick Hodges & Co. to purchase $3,674,000 of said bonds and to pay therefore the sum of $3,696,000, complies with the terms of sale and produces a sum equal to the authorized amount of said bond issue and an additional sum of less than $1,000, and is the highest and best bid, which bid is in words and figures as follows:

Amount of bonds: Three million, six hundred and seventy-four thousand dollars ($3,674,000).

Price: Three million, six hundred and ninety-six thousand dollars ($3,696,000).

Commissioner Gannon offered and moved the adoption of the following resolution, which was reduced to writing and read, and the adoption of which was seconded by Commissioner O'Brien.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved by the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Alderman of the City of Jersey City:

1. Bonds numbered 1 to 3,674, inclusive, of the issue of $3,696,000 Water Bonds, authorized to be issued by Ordinance adopted August 10, 1920, be and they hereby are awarded to Estabrook & Co., William R. Compton Co., Remick Hodges & Co., at their bid of $3,696,000 and accrued interest from the date of said bonds to the date of delivery.

2. The Mayor and the Deputy Comptroller, be and they hereby are authorized to execute said bonds, and the Clerk is authorized to affix the seal of said Board thereto, and the Comsioner of Revenue and Finance is hereby authorized and directed to de-

liver the said bonds to the purchaser thereof, upon receipt of the purchase price therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the Board adjourned.

Approved.

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
CHARLES F. X. O'BRIEN,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF AUGUST 17, 1920

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, August 17th, 1920, at 2 P. M.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

IMPROVEMENT HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing as required by law, for the purpose of considering the undertaking of the following improvement and also for the purpose of considering the ordinance covering said improvement and determining upon its adoption or rejection, which ordinance is entitled: "An ordinance to improve all that part of Terrace Avenue from a point about 330 feet south of Thorne Street, also Bleecker Street from a point about 80 feet east of Terrace Avenue in the City of Jersey City, by the construction of a sewer, in accordance with plan hereto annexed; said sewer to be constructed in conformity with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof."

The City Clerk called for anyone who might desire to be heard either against the undertaking of the improvement or in favor of the undertaking of the improvement.

A written protest signed by eighty property owners on Terrace Avenue was submitted to the Board. The protest stated that the assessment was excessive inasmuch as most of the lots are unimproved and the owners will be unable to pay the assessment and the lots will for that reason become the property of the City.

The following named property owners appeared and protested against the undertaking of the improvement:

Mr. Henry Prigge, Mrs. Kelly, 152 Terrace Avenue, Mrs. Catherine Handbach, 167 Terrace Avenue, and other property owners who signed the protest.

The following property owners appeared and stated that they were in favor of the improvement being undertaken:

George Nier, lot 70, No. 180-182 Bleecker St.; Mrs. Emma Zoeller, Germania Avenue & Bleecker St., No. 179 Bleecker st.; Caspar A. Hollicker, 221 Terrace Avenue; Maria Schmidt, 220 Terrace Avenue; Mrs. Bruno Medici, 212 Terrace Avenue; Mrs. David White, 197 Terrace Avenue; Mrs. John Franetovich, 196 Terrace Avenue;; Jake Malowsky, 178 Bleecker st.; Wm. Tecuhtler, 111 Franklin St.; Mrs. Schelter, 213 Terrace Avenue.

Commissioner Fagen advised the ,persons interested in the improvement that a petition had been filed for the improvement and that the Board was acting in accordance with the law in calling a public hearing; that the present assessments were only tentative figures and that if the contract is awarded, the assessments will amount to exactly what the contract will cost order to investigate the protests as submitted and determine whether the protests should be sustained, he would move that the hearing be adjourned and continued for a period of two weeks.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the undertaking of the improvement of Terrace Avenue and Bleecker Street, by the construction of a sewer, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to Tuesday, August 31st, 1920, at 2 P. M. in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

FRANCHISE HEARINGS.

The hearing on the application of the American Grocery Company for permission to erect shipping platform with roof cover at No. 105-107 Franklin Street, having been adjourned and continued to this time and place, the City Clerk called for anyone who might desire to be heard either in favor of or against the application.

Counsellor Robert Kinkead appeared for the American Grocery Company and stated; that the platform will not be a menace to the life and limb of the people as stated by the protestants at the previous hearing; that the street will not be blocked up all day long as the platform will be used only in case of emergency or rush; that the platform on the side of the building will be used as much as possible; that this platform will not cause the depreciation of property; but will stimulate property values; that his clients have spent a very large sum of money in improving the building and that without the platform the operation of the building will be seriously hampered; that if the members of the Board after inspecting the premises, would recommend that the building can be operated without the proposed platform, then his clients would withdraw their petition for the platform.

Mr. Carl Schuman appeared and sated that in his opinion the proposed platform would not be a detriment to adjacent property; further, that the American Grocery Company had purchased this building which had been a factory and improved it at a great cost to them; that this concern was a live, growing concern and would in the end be a benefit to the section.

Mr. David Halperin of No. 126 Sherman Avenue, appeared and stated that he did not own property in that particular section, but that he had been a resident in the vicinity for a great many years; that this platform on Franklin Street would not hurt the valuations of property adjacent thereto.

Mr. Askinas, owner of No. 95 Franklin Street, appeared and stated that the erection of the platform would not damage his property valuations, but on the other hand, he would be able to rent his property easier due to the fact that the American Grocery Company would employ many people who would naturally want to live in the neighborhood.

Mr. A. J. Goldstein, Mr. H. Goldstein and Mr. M. F. Rubins of the American Grocery Company also appeared before the Board and requested that permission be granted to construct the platform.

The City Clerk then called for those who might desire to be heard against the erection of the proposed platform.

Counsellor Ockford and Counsellor Lewis Hansen appeared with a large delegation of property owners in the affected section and again urged the Board not to grant permission to the American Grocery Company to build the platform. Counsellor Ockford submitted a protest signed by property owners in the vicinity of 105-107 Franklin Street, and requested that it be filed in addition to the protests previously submitted.

Commissioner Gannon stated that he was not in favor of converting a business and residential section into a wholesale and industrial section.

After discussing the matter at length, the Mayor stated that on account of the numerous protests that had been received by the Board, and because of the hardship that would be imposed on the property owners surrounding this building if this platform application should be granted that the Board was of the mind that the application should be rejected, but in order to give counsel for the application an opportunity to take up the matter further with the protestants and see if some agreement could be reached, he would suggest that the matter be adjourned for one week, whereupon the following resolution was introduced:

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the hearing on the application of the American Grocery

Company for permission to erect shipping platform with roof cover on their building No. 105-107 Franklin Street, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to Tuesday, August 24, 1920, at 2 P. M. in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the application of Esidor Yulinsky for permission to install new bath floor on each floor and build private garage in basement of three-story frame two-family building No. 587 Garfield Avenue, the City Clerk called for anyone who might desire to protest against the application. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the application of Esidor Yulinsky for permission to install new bath room on each floor and build private garage in basement of No. 587 Garfield Avenue, be and the same is hereby referred to Director of the Dept. of Streets and Public Improvements, the Supt. of Buildings and the Mayor, for investigation and recommendation.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From property owners and business men of West Side Avenue, submitting petition signed by several property owners and business men requesting the Board for hearing in the matter of improving West Side Avenue.

In connection with the foregoing petition, a large delegation of the West Side Business Men's Association appeared before the Board. Mr. Edward P. Donohue, speaking for the Association, requested the Board to pave West Side Avenue from Montgomery Street to Communipaw Avenue and also furnish additional lighting for the street. He stated that the Association had waited patiently until after the war and had made no requests for the improvements on account of the conditions that existed during the war, but since the war had ended and the street being in need of improvement they are now asking the Board to take the matter up.

Commissioner Fagen advised the Board that this improvement had been considered during the administration of Commissioner Byrne and other improvements had been undertaken, but West Side Avenue had been patched up here and and there. He suggested that the Association appoint a subcommittee to wait on him so that they could go over the matter more thoroughly. With reference to improving the lighting system, he suggested that a sub-committee be appointed to call on the Public Service Corporation and lay the matter before them. The Commissioner stated that he would be only too happy to give them the lights, but he is unable to do so. He stated that he has ordered from time to time extra lights for several important thoroughfares, but to date the Public Service have not complied with the orders.

Mr. Donohue agreed to appoint the sub-committees as suggested by Commissioner Fagen.

From Wm. J. Ball, requesting permission to erect electric sign at No. 21 Journal Square

Received.

From Adam Grabowski, requesting permission to alter building and erect garage in cellar No. 197 Tonnele Avenue.

Received.

From A. P. Harris, requesting permission to erect electric sign at No. 375 Jackson Avenue.

Received.

From Kaufman Hat Store, requesting permission to erect electric sign at No. 142 Newark Avenue.

Received.

From Stetson Shoe Shops, Inc., requesting permission to erect electric sign at No. 745 West Side Avenue.

Received.

From Martin Galvin, Jr., requesting permission to operate a public conveyance from the Grove Street Station of the Hudson & Manhattan Tube and advising the Board that he will pay whatever license or fee the Board deems proper for said permit.

Received and referred to the Mayor and Commissioner O'Brien.

From Quartermaster Hdqts. Eastern Department, U. S. Army, requesting information relative to a contract being signed by either the Army or Navy for water service at Caldwell, N. J.

Received and referred to Commissioner Fagen.

From Vulcan Iron Works Inc., submitting amended plans and petition for spur track on Hudson Street.

Received and referred to Commissioner Fagen.

From Town Council, Kearny, N. J., requesting the Board fix a price for the absolute sale or the annual rental of the 20-inch water main owned by Jersey City and now laid in Kearny Avenue from the Belleville Turnpike southerly.

Received and referred to Commissisoner Fagen.

From Joseph Cirrito, requesting the Board to appoint him as Inspector over the garbage dumping at the foot of Duncan Avenue.

Received and referred to the Mayor.

OFFICERS COMMUNICATIONS.

From General Purchasing Agent, advising the Board that he had investigated the bids referred to him for furnishing hay, grain etc., to the City, and recommending that the award be made to Carscallen & Cassidy, the low bidders.

Received.

From Board of School Estimate, submitting copy of resolution passed by them on August 10, 1920, determining that the sum of $12,000 was necessary for furniture and equipment for new School No. 36—Hospital School.

Received and referred to Commissioner Gannon.

By Commissioner Fagen:

AUDITING CLAIMS.

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons, in the amounts indicated:

$61.42, American Grocery Company, damages.

$663.81, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$5.75, Albert Datz Co., envelopes.

$10.82, Louis Frey Co., blue prints.

$3.30, Louis Frey Co., blue prints.

$1,612.16, Fagan Iron Works, castings.

$12.00, J. W. Green, stool.

$7.75, New York Telephone Company, service.

$4.50, New York Telephone Company, service.

$3.45, New York Telephone Company service.

$37.01, New York Telephone Company, service.

$2.50, New York Telephone Company, service.

$6.25, New York Telephone Company, service.

$200.00, Stillman & Van Siclen Chem. Co., salaries.

$2,872.00, A. Steiert & Son, brooms.

$35.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$405.83, Kenneth Appolant, tires.

$34.35, Battery Service Co., supplies.

$0.75, Burroughs Adding Machine Co., ribbon.

$266.76, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$43.92, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$6.00, Frank O'Cole, refund.

$29.15, Dodge & Bliss Co., lumber.

$32.43, Chester De Puy, feed.

$481.45, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., supplies.

$19.80, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$13,620.00, The East Jersey Water Co.

$46.60, Chas. H. Engler, lumber.

$13.50, Massimo Fiore, ice.

$3.35, Louis Frey, blue prints.

$8.13, A. A. Gilmartin, paving.

$156.45, Goodall Rubber Co., Inc., hose.

$18.75, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$150.45, Geo. C. Lavery & Co., lumber.

$6.00, Nathan & Co., batteries.

$71.74, August Spindler, supplies.

$64.36, Carco Co. of New Jersey, transcript.

$26.00, The Safe Cabinet Co., equipment.

$16.00, Waterworks Equipment Co., supplies.

$7.90, Waterworks Equipment Co., supplies.

$23.70, Waterworks Equipment Co., supplies.

$29.64, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$29.12, Hudson Observer, advertising.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

$6,293.97, Great Lakes Dredge & Dock Co., filling in.

$3,500.00, Joseph F. Ledger, grading and material.

$24.50, Thos. L. Higgins, nails and lime.

$8.88, W. H. & F. W. Cane, cement.

$170.00, Joseph F. Ledger, trap rock

$26.10, Chas. Hansen, stationery.

$10.50, Chas. Hansen, carbon paper.

$3.90, Chas. Hansen, books.

$1.27, Public Service Co., service.

$40.00, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$1.00, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$4.30, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$7.70, New York Telephone Co., service.

$16.78, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$66.38, New York Telephone Co., service.

$38.51, Public Service Gas Co., service.

$165.80, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$10.70, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$1.04, Public Service Gas Co., service.

,$1.80, New York Telephone Co., service.

$13.90, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$1.61. Public Service Gas Co., service.

$37.15, John A. Ward, plumbing.

$12.50, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$4.00, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$8.42, New York Telephone Co., service.

$6.00, New York Telephone Co., service.

$1.15, Public Service Gas Co., service.

$426.55, W. A. Barclay, plumbing.

$19.11, Thos. L. Higgins, nails.

$118.27, New York Telephone Co., service.

$30.00, Eugene Sullivan, rent.

$55.00, W. W. & F. W. Cane, face brick.

$22.19, W. H. & F. W. Cane, cement.

$3.30, Thos. L. Higgins, clamps.

By Commissioner Moore:

$38.00, Dudley J. Uldrich, rent for storehouse.

$43.75, Washburn Brothers, cement.

$40.96, Smith & Kelleher, insurance.

$25.00, Edward T. Dillon, dynamiting.

$3.37, W. H. & F. W. Cane, cement sand.

$450.00, Commercial Trust Company of New Jersey, rent.

$5.00, Park Institute of America, subscription.

$5.55, Stirling Machine Works, plate repairs.

$28.00, Smith & Kelleher, insurance.

$3.500.00, Joseph F. Ledger, contract.

$50.00, J. F. Connors, rent of shop.

$8.13, Washburn Brothers Company, sand.

$8.70, Fleischman Brothers, auto repairs.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named parties for the following amounts and purposes as hereinafter set forth:

$29.30, Whipple Hardware Company.

$22.54, A. Huntz.

$17.90, Garfunkel Brothers.

$18.15, Garfunkel Brothers.

$20.30, Garfunkel Brothers.

$23.87, Garfunkel Brothers.

$35.28, Walter J. Coleman.

$135.01, Public Service Gas Company.

$112.00, Public Service Electric Company.

$28.13, Public Service Electric Company.

$4.00, Public Service Electric Company.

$42.15, Public Service Electric Company.

$5.25, Standard Oil Company.

$4.38, Standard Oil Company.

$712.57, Carscallen & Cassidy.

$23.85, New York Telephone Company.

$163.50, E. H. Barnett, Incorporated.

$3.00, S. F. Hayward & Company.

$108.50, S. F. Hayward & Company.

$3.70, American La France Fire Engine Company.

$162.00, American La France Fire Engine Company.

$6.00, American La France Fire Engine Company.

$3.20, Expert Auto Tire Repair Company.

$19.89, Keegan's Garage.

$23.50, Jersey City Storage Battery Company.

$5.50, Ernst A. Gibbons.

$12.91, American Bosch Magneto Corporation.

$18.00, James Sweeney.

$16.00, J. McNally.

$4.00, John Brennan.

$84.00, Oscar L. Nordine.

$48.00, John Kirkpatrick.

$58.50, Wm. McKittrick.

$275.00, Smith & Kelleher.

$9.00, Edmund Nacion.

$1.00, Treasurer New York Central Railroad Company.

$82.24, Joseph H. Browne.

$113.95, F. B. Brill.

$24.50, Thomas Nugent.

$14.11, Whipple Hardware Company.

POLICE:

$7.50, A. Datz Company, stationery.

$71.25, Mrs. E. Dougherty, prisoners' meals.

$93.84, Julius Frey, leggins.

$498.77, Gulf Refining Company, gasoline.

$161.03, Gulf Refining Company, gasoline.

$235.14, Gulf Refining Company, gasoline.

$26.52, Gulf Refining Company, oil.

$88.25, Mrs. M. Heitzman, prisoners' meals.

$119.00, John Kirkpatrick, horseshoeing.

$130.00, C. H. Koster Company, silk banners.

$35.28, A. Kuntz, supplies.

$7.50, L. Max and Sons, glass.

$150.00, E. S. Myers rent stable.

$98.70, New York Telephone Company, service.

$126.00, Payton and Hoos, chairs.

$97.60, Public Service Gas Company, gas.

$251.79, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$62.72, Union Printing Company, printing.

$42.00, Valvoline Oil Company, oil.

$22.35, J. A. Vill and Son, spark plugs.

$77.42, J. A. Vill and Son, shoe.

$13.50, J. A. Vill and Son, brushes.

$3.75, Western Union Telegraph Company, rental clock.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PAYROLLS:

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached payroll, for the amounts set opposite their respective names, being for services rendered during the periods specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS.

From Commissioner Fagen approving the following franchise ordinances providing Section 3 in each ordinance is amended by striking out the words "and thereafter until such time as the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City shall revoke or modify the same."

Pennsylvania R. R. Co., pipe line across Bay Street.

Manufacturers Liab. Insurance Co., vault Greene and Montgomery Streets.

Received.

From Commissioner Gannon submitting supplemental debt statement.

Received and ordered filed.

By Commissioner Fagen:

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, proposal (1) received at the meeting of the Board of Commissioners, at meeting April 27, 1920, for the improvement of Hopkins Avenue from Summit Avenue to Bevan Street with old Belgian block pavement, be and the same is hereby rejected.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, proposal (1) received at the meeting of the Board of Commissioners June 29, 1920, for the improvement of Congress Street between Summit Avenue and Paterson Plank Road, be an dthe same is hereby rejected.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, proposals, two in number, received at the meeting of the Board of Commissioners August 10, 1920, for the construction of a system of sewers in the Fisk Street Drainage Area, be and the same are hereby rejected, and the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to readvertise for bids.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements contract for furnishing and delivering hay, grain, feed, etc., from date of contract to January 31, 1921, be and the same is hereby awarded to Carscallen & Cassidy, at the price named in their proposal, namely:

About 708,800 pounds hay, No. 1 Timothy, large bales, per 100 pounds, $2.50;

About 80,200 pounds straw, best grade, per 100 pounds, $1.30;

About 33,600 pounds bran, per 100 pounds, $3.15;

About 16,205 bushels of oats, per bushel, $1.15;

About 8,500 pounds alfalfa, per 100 pounds, $4;

About 1,525 pounds rock salt, per 100 pounds, $3;

About 150 pounds dairy salt, per 100 pounds, $2.75;

About 400 pounds oil meal, per 100 pounds, $5;

that being the lowest bid received, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing $12,000 promissory notes of the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The Katz Building & Construction Company, owners of Lot D1 and E, Block 1819, known as Nos. 150-152 Belmont Avenue, this City, demolished the improvements on said lots assessed at seventy-two hundred ($7,200) dollars previous to November 1, 1919, in order to make way for a twenty-family apartment house which is now erected; therefore be it

Resolved, On recommendation of the Director of Revenue and Finance that said assessment be cancelled to the extent of thirty-three ($3,300) hundred dollars on each of said improvements.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, In anticipation of the receipt of taxes to be levied or of taxes levied and not delinquent, this municipality may borrow and have obligations outstanding to provide such moneys as may be necessary to meet its lawful expenditures under the appropriations for the year for which such taxes are levied or are to be levied, to wit, the fiscal year 1920; therefore be it

Resolved, That in pursuance of Chapter 192, P. L. 1917, approved March 28, 1917, and Chapter 242, P. L. 1918, approved March 4, 1918, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do and they hereby authorize and direct that Tax Anticipation Notes of the City of Jersey City be issued to the amount of $180,000, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 5 per cent. per annum, payable at maturity; said notes to be dated August 20, 1920, to become due and payable December 31, 1920, or sooner if called by the City, and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the specifications submitted by the Director of Parks and Public Property for the painting of wire fences, grandstand, light standards, etc., in Pershing Field, be and they are hereby approved, and the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

The Corporation Counsel having submitted form of proposed agreement with the M. W. Kellogg Company regarding the acquisition and development of a portion of Droyer's Point, it is hereby

Resolved, That said agreement be and the same hereby is approved;

Further resolved, That the Mayor and City Clerk execute said agreement in the name of the city.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

Adopted.

At this time, Mr. Thomas C. Sheehan, president of the Jersey City Chamber of Commerce appeared and submitted a communication accompanied by three hundred signed petitions from business concerns of Jersey City endorsing the proposed development of the West Shore front at Droyer's Point. Mr. Sheehan stated in the communication that the improvement was essential and would attract a great many industries to locate in the city and in the end the city would receive great benefit.

After discussion the following resolution was introduced:

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, The Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property has presented to this Board report and plans for the development of the city property located at Droyer's Point; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said report and plan are hereby approved, and the Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property be and he is hereby authorized to proceed with the preliminary surveys, etc., and be it further

Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, be and he is hereby authorized and requested to take the necessary steps to have made available the sum of $650,000.00 for the purpose of financing this improvement.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, The Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property presented to this Board, report and plan for the establishment of a belt line railroad for the coordination of all the railroads entering Jersey City; and

Whereas, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City have thoroughly examined the plan and studied the report, and after such examination and study, subscribe to the fundamental principles therein; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the marginal railroad along the westerly side of the city, as described in report and shown on plan, be and the same is hereby officially incorporated in and shall form a part of the official map of Jersey City; and be it further

Resolved, That the present existing connecting railroads as described in the report and shown on map, be officially incorporated in and form part of the official map of Jersey City; and be it further

Resolved, That the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do hereby declare that it is the policy and the plan of the city of Jersey City that this connecting railroad as indicated, be and it is hereby adopted as the official plan and that the Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property and the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, be and they are hereby authorized to take up with the various railroad companies, the question of ways and means for its construction.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

At this time Commissioner O'Brien, Director of the Department of Public Safety, took up the matter of the one-cent rebate allowed by the Hudson & Manhattan Tunnel Company to passengers traveling intrastate. He stated that thousands of dollars are made by the tunnel company because the people, upon paying their six-cent fares, are handed a slip for the one-cent rebate, which slip must be redeemed within fifteen minutes after leaving train, otherwise it is void. This, he said, was merely another one of their schemes for mulcting the people of thousands of dollars a year.

Assistant Corporation Attorney Charles Eagen appeared and advised the Board that when he made the application with Corporation Attorney Bentley to the Interstate Commerce Commission the matter of the rebate coupons was taken up and the Commission advised him that this matter was within the jurisdiction of the Public Utility Board of New Jersey

Thereupon the following resolution was introduced:

By Commissioner O'Brien.

Resolved, That the Law Department of Jersey City be and they are hereby authorized and directed to take up with the Public Utility Commission of the State of New Jersey the matter of the one-cent rebate coupons given to passengers traveling intrastate via the Hudson & Manhattan Railroad Company for the purpose of taking the necessary action to prevent the mulcting of thousands of dollars from the people of Jersey City by said rebate coupons.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, On March 1, 1919, Alexander M. Gallagher, then a Lieutenant of Police in the Jersey City Police Department, was pensioned by the municipal authorities of said City of Jersey City under the pension law applicable to the said Police Department; and

Whereas, The said Alexander M. Gallagher is desirous of returning to active duty; and

Whereas, The said Alexander M. Gallagher has submitted himself to a physical examination and has been pronounced physically fit in accordance with the rules and regulations of the

Civil Service Commission, and the said Civil Service Commission having assented to the return of the said Alexander M. Gallagher to active duty; therefore be it

Resolved, That Alexander M. Gallagher be and he hereby is ordered to return to active duty in the position which he formerly held up to March 1, 1919, that of Lieutenant in the Jersey City Police Department, at the stated salary of such position, to wit, two thousand and seven hundred ($2,700) dollars per annum, payable in equal semi-monthly installments.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, OBrien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

At this time Corporation Counsel Milton appeared before the Board and discussed at length the decision handed down recently by the Board of Public Utility Commissioners, granting an increase in gas rates to the Public Service Corporation, and advised the Board that in his judgment the Board should direct the Law Department to take the necessary steps to try and have this decision reversed and to join with the City of Newark in making such application. Upon recommendation of the Corporation Counsel the following resolution was introduced:

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That upon the application of the Corporation Counsel the Law Department of Jersey City is hereby directed to proceed in conjunction with the City of Newark, to apply to the Supreme Court for a writ of certiorari, for the purpose of reviewing the decision handed down by the Public Utility Commission of New Jersey, granting an increase in gas rates to the Public Service Corporation of New Jersey.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, Bids were received on June 8, 1920, for furnishing and delivering Laboratory equipment for use in the Jersey City Hospital, and

Whereas, Said bids were referred to the General Purchasing Agent and Dr. Nevin, Medical Director, for investigation and recommendation; and

Whereas, The General Purchasing Agent and Dr. John Nevin, Medical Director, after investigation, advised the Director of the Department of Public Affairs, that the bid of the Reynolds, Teschnar & Volk Co., of New York City, New York, was the lowest bid received for furnishing and delivering the items specified on schedule hereto attached; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering laboratory equipment for use in the Jersey City Hospital in accordance with schedule attached hereto, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Reynolds, Teschnar & Volk Co. at the prices named in their bid;

Further Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to have prepared and executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, Bids were received on June 8, 1920, for furnishing and delivering Laboratory equipment for use in the Jersey City Hospital; and

Whereas, Said bids were referred to the General Purchasing Agent and Dr. John Nevin, Medical Director, for investigation and recommendation; and

Whereas, The General Purchasing Agent and Dr. John Nevin, Medical Director, after investigation, advised the Director of the Department of Public Affairs, that the bid of the Empire Laboratory Supplies Co., of New York, was the lowest bid received for furnishing and delivering the items specified on schedule attached hereto; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering laboratory equipment for use in the Jersey City Hospital in accordance with schedule attached hereto, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Empire Laboratory Supplies Co. at the prices named in their bid;

Further Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to have prepared and executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, Bids were received on June 8, 1920, for furnishing and delivering laboratory equipment for use in the Jersey City Hospital; and

Whereas, The said bids were referred to the General Purchasing Agent and Dr. John Nevin, Medical Director, for investigation and recommendation; and

Whereas, The General Purchasing Agent and Dr. John Nevin, Medical Director, after investigation, advised the Director of the Department of Public Affairs, that the bid of the Will Corporation, Rochester, New York, was the lowest bid received for furnishing and delivering the items specified on the schedule attached hereto; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering laboratory equipment for use in the Jersey City Hospital in accordance with schedule attached hereto, be and the same is hereby awarded to The Will Corporation, at the prices named in their bid;

Further Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to have prepared and executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, Bids were received on June 8, 1920, for furnishing and delivering laboratory equipment for use in the Jersey City Hospital; and

Whereas, The said bids were referred to the General Purchasing Agent and Dr. John Nevin, Medical Director, for investigation and recommendation; and

Whereas, The General Purchasing Agent and Dr. John Nevin, Medical Director, after investigation, advised the Director of the Department of Public Affairs that the bid of E. Leitz, Inc., of New York City, N. Y., was the lowest bid received for furnishing and delivering the items specified on the schedule attached hereto; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering laboratory equipment for use in the Jersey City Hospital in accordance with schedule attached hereto, be and the same is hereby awarded to E. Leitz, Inc., at the prices named in their bid; further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to have prepared and executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

The Corporation Counsel having submitted to this Board form of contract between the Board of Education and the contractors for the erection of Schools Nos. 6 and 23, which said contracts are supplemental to those already entered into; it is hereby

Resolved, That the said form of proposed supplemental contract be and the same hereby is approved.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner Moore the Board adjourned.

Approved:

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, Jr.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
CHARLES F. X. O'BRIEN,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

FRANK A. DOLAN, City Clerk.

MEETING OF AUGUST 24, 1920

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, August 24, 1920, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

RECEPTION OF BIDS.

This time and place having been advertised for furnishing and delivering material and performing certain work, the City Clerk called for bids with the following results:

Elevator Pump City Hall.

1. Sterling Machine Works, $3,325.00, with surety company bond.

Nursery Stock.

1. Hartung Brothers, $13,240.00, with surety company bond.

2. William Gotthardt, $12,624.50, with surety company bond.

Traprock Screening, Pershing Field.

1. Geo. A. Reilly, $3.50 per yard, with freeholder surety bond.

2. Joseph Ledger, $4.25 per cubic yard, with surety company bond.

3. Washburn Brothers Company, $4.35 per cubic yard, with surety company bond.

4. James P. Hall, Inc., $4.00 per cubic yard, with freeholder surety bond.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received opened and read and referred to the Director Department of Parks and Public Property for investigation and recommendation.

FRANCHISE HEARINGS:

The hearing on the application of the American Grocery Company for permission to construct and maintain a shipping platform, with roof cover on their building No. 105-107 Franklin Street, having been adjourned and continued to this time and place, the City Clerk called for anyone who might desire to be heard either in favor of or against the application. No one appeared in favor of the application and no one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the said application.

A written communication was received by the Board from Counsellor Lewis G. Hanson, counsel for the protestants against the application, in which he advises the Board that he had received a letter from Counsellor Robert V. Kinkead, counsel for the American Grocery Company, to the effect that it will be impossible for any compromise in the matter of the application for the platform. In accordance with the decision of the Board that they will refuse permission for the erection of the platform unless a satisfactory agreement was arrived at between counsel appearing in the matter, and also in view of the matter contained in Mr. Kinkead's communication to him, Mr. Hansen requested that the Board refuse the application of the American Grocery Company for permission to erect shipping platform with roof cover on their building No. 105-107 Franklin Street. The City Clerk advised the Board also that Counsellor Kinkead had telephoned to him that no compromise agreement could be arrived at.

After discussing the matter and considering the protests submitted at the previous hearings in the matter the following resolution was introduced:

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the application of the American Grocery Company for permission to erect and maintain shipping platform with roof cover on their building No. 105-107 Franklin Street, Jersey City, be now closed; further

Resolved, That the permission requested by said American Grocery Company, be and the same is hereby refused.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

CITY ORDINANCES:

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the final passage of the following ordinance: "An ordinance authorizing $7,200.00 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City," the City Clerk read the ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of said ordinance. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of the above described ordinance.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the ordinance was referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications:

Adam Grabowski, alter and build garage in cellar No. 197 Tonnele Avenue;

A. P. Harris, electric sign, 375 Jackson Avenue;

Kaufman Hat Stores, electric sign, 142 Newark Avenue;

Stetson Shoe Shops, Inc., electric sign, 745 West Side Avenue;

Wm. J. Ball, electric sign, 21 Journal Square.

The City Clerk read each application and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of any of the above described applications. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against any of the above described applications.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the application of Adam Grabowski for permission to take out part of foundation walls and put in new doors, making present cellar into private garage at No. 197 Tonnele Avenue, be and the same is hereby referred to the Director Department of Streets and Public Improvements, the Mayor and the Superintendent of Buildings for investigation and recommendation.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to A. P. Harris to erect electric sign to extend 7 feet from building line at No. 375 Jackson Avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Kaufman Hat Stores to erect electric sign to extend 7 feet from building line at No. 142 Newark Avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Stetson Shoe Shops, Inc., to erect electric sign to extend 7 feet from building line at No. 745 West Side Avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Wm. J. Ball to erect electric sign to extend 7 feet beyond building line at No. 21 Journal Square, as shown on blue print attached to application; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the proposition submitted to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City by the Interstate Tunnel Commission for the vacation of certain lands located at the proposed entrance to the Hudson River Vehicular Tunnel, which lands are situate at Eleventh Street, Twelfth Street, Fourteenth Street and Henderson Street, the City Clerk read the public notice of hearing and then called for any one who might desire to be heard against the proposed street vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Drumm, owners of the property situated on the southerly side of Twelfth Street, between Erie Street and Jersey Avenue, appeared and requested the Board to advise them what status their property was in at present and with whom they should deal regarding their property. Mr. Dittmar, owner of property on Twelfth Street, appeared and also requested information along the lines of Mr. and Mrs. Drumm.

The Mayor advised the property owners present that no lands would be taken from them unless they received payment commensurate with the damage to their property. He outlined the proposed improvement, stating that the Erie Railroad Co. would cede to the Tunnel Commission land that they own or will acquire along Twelfth Street and Fourteenth Street, in exchange for which the City will vacate for the Erie Railroad Company Eleventh Street from Henderson to Monmouth Street. He also stated that the Erie Railroad Co. could not cede the land that they do not own on Twelfth Street, and that they will probably endeavor to purchase such land, and that it will then be up to the property owners to protect their property.

Ex-Senator Emerson Richards, counsel for the Interstate Tunnel Commission, appeared and explained to the interested property owners and to the Board of Commissioners, the proposed vacation and widening of the streets adjacent to the proposed tunnel entrance and exit. He stated that before Eleventh Street is vacated the Tunnel Commission will insist that the Erie Railroad Company compensate the property owners for the damages to property on Twelfth Street. Although the Erie Railroad Company has not as yet agreed to do this, he stated that the Tunnel Commission will see that all property owners along the street will be compensated for damages. He also stated that the Tunnel Commission will go over the matter with any interested property owners and help them in any way if they will call at the offices of the Commission at the Hall of Records, New York.

After lengthy discussion and there being no opposition to the application of the Interstate Tunnel Commission for the vacation and widening of said streets, the following resolution was introduced:

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the matter of the vacation of Eleventh Street and the widening of Twelfth and Fourteenth Streets, as set out in the application submitted to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City by the Interstate Tunnel Commission in connection with the proposed entrance and exit of the Hudson River Vehicular Tunnel, be and the same is hereby referred to the Law Department of Jersey City so that the Corporation Counsel may take up with the counsel for the said Tunnel Commission ways and means for proceeding with the matter according to law.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From Margaret Ruth, requesting permission to alter building and erect garage in cellar of No. 19 Ege Avenue.

Received.

From John Prout, submitting resignation as member of the Board of Tax Commissioners of Jersey City, to take effect as of August 15.

Received.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$83.69, Ahlemeyer Bros., repairs.

$231.66, American Creosoting Company, blocks.

$53.10, L. A. Bittighofer, repairs.

$4.26, Burroughs Adding Machine Co., services.

$590.84, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$814.54, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$14.00, Albert Datz Co., supplies.

$50.00, Five Corners Auto Painting Co., services.

$39.00, Charles Hayes, horseshoeing.

$16.00, John H. Howard, horseshoeing.

$224.50, C. J. Lutton, horseshoeing.

$65.50, Thomas J. Miskel, horseshoeing.

$37.50, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$12,793.12, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$1,636.68, Public Service Gas Co., service.

$484.47, William Roche, blocks.

$76.75, J. F. Sullivan, horseshoeing.

$56.50, James Sweeney, horseshoeing.

$73.25, Richard Stanton, horseshoeing.

$1.00, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$2.00, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$7.68, The Evening Journal Assn., advertisements.

$6.72, The Evening Journal Assn., advertisements.

$7.56, Hudson Observer, advertisements.

$6.72, Hudson Observer advertisements.

$35.77, Auto Economic Co., supplies.

$27.07, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$75.60, The Bond Buyer, advertisements.

$105.62, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

$10.50, Charles Cooper & Co., supplies.

$9.00, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$47.42, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$16.13, E. B. Dawson Company, supplies.

$33.57, E. B. Dawson Company, supplies.

$251.00, E. B. Dawson Company, supplies.

$12.25, W. L. Doremus, horseshoeing.

$16.20, The Evening Journal Assn., advertisements.

$98.35, Hersey Manufacturing Co., supplies.

$15.84, Hudson Observer, advertisements.

$19.80, Hudson Observer, advertisements.

$175.62, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$30.50, E. Kelly, horseshoeing.

$7.50, John Kirkpatrick, horseshoeing.

$450.00, Keegan's Garage, 1 Ford truck chassis.

$75.17, Keegan's Garage, supplies.

$233.02, Keegan's Garage, supplies.

$375.00, The Leadite Co., supplies.

$8.10, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$3.05, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$8.37, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$1.00, National Meter Co., supplies.

$117.70, Neptune Meter Co., supplies.

$7.35, Neptune Meter Co., supplies.

$2.20, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$29.20, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$32.78, Public Service Gas Co., service.

$13.00, Harry Rubin, refund.

$1.30, Herman F. Trautman, newspapers.

$865.92, The Texas Co., supplies.

$120.76, The Texas Co., supplies.

$41.60, Valvoline Oil Co., supplies.

$40.50, Wards Electric Shop, supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$446.08, Dispatch Printing Co., printing.

$24.01, L. M. Hicks, flexifiles.

$6.00, Payton & Hoos, furniture.

$22.09, Paragon Binder Corp., binders.

$7.20, Hudson Observer, advertisements.

$7.32, Evening Journal Assn., advertisements.

$16.60, C. F. Hansen, stationery.

$13.20, C. F. Hansen, stationery.

$6.00, S. Jacobs, rent petitions.

$40.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$16.00, Hudson Observer, hearing.

$20.80, Hudson Observer, prop. adv.

$7.64, Hudson Observer, adv.

$8.28, Hudson Observer, adv.

$10.08, Hudson Observer, adv.

$10.80, Hudson Observer, adv.

$10.08, Evening Jornal Assn., adv.

$8.28, Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$8.76, Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$21.84, Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$7.20, Whipple Hardware Co., wire.

$17.16, Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$8.88, Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$20.80, Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$4.00, Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$4.00, Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$2.00, Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$4.00, Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$3.74, Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$1.92, Hudson Observer, adv.

$3.96, Hudson Observer, adv.

$3.52, Hudson Observer, adv.

$3.30, Hudson Observer, adv.

$8.64, Hudson Observer, adv.

$16.64, Hudson Observer, adv.

$20.18, Hudson Observer, adv.

$9.24, Hudson Observer, adv.

$9.84, Hudson Observer, adv.

$10.44, Hudson Observer, adv.

$10.44, Hudson Observer, adv.

$8.64, Hudson Observer, adv.

$10.56, Hudson Observer, adv.

$7.92, Hudson Observer, adv.

$6.24, Hudson Observer, adv.

$10.92, Hudson Observer, adv.

$9.00, Hudson Observer, adv.

$10.20, Hudson Observer, adv.

$8.76, Hudson Observer, adv.

$8.52, Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$2.00, Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$2.00, Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$2.00, Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$4.00, Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$2.00, Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$30.40, Union Printing Co., supplies.

$228.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore.

Resolved, That warrants be oordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$121.88, W. A. Barclay, plumbing.

$50.80, W. A. Barclay, plumbing.

$18.70, S. J. Crawford Co., repair toilet tanks.

$392.00, S. J. Crawford Co., shower bath.

$273.00, S. J. Crawford Co., water heater.

$224.75, James P. Hall, sand and gravel.

$47.45, S. J. Crawford Co., repair to water heater.

$73.90, S. J. Crawford Co., plumbing.

$25.00, Geo. H. Aspinwall, soap.

$6.95, Thos. L. Higgins, rakes and spades.

$3 30, Thos. L. Higgins, paint brush.

$16.20, Al Kuntz, lamps.

$11.00, James P. Hall, lime.

$5.76, Oakland Lumber Co., lumber.

$45.75, Western Union Tel. Co., clock service.

$13.75, Stirling Machine Wks., patch plates.

$31.50, W. A. Barclay, roof repair.

$4.95, S. J. Crawford Co., plumbing.

$12.70, Jersey City Ladder Co., section ladder.

$59.15, John J. Corcoran, sewer repair.

$1.75, Dobke Typewriter Exchange, typewriter repair.

$12.50, John F. Kearney, blasting.

$91.15, George Irving, plumbing repairs.

$2.10, Jersey City Supply Company, plumbing supplies.

$21.00, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$22.00, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$65.99, James P. Hall, sand.

$55.86, Thos. L. Higgins, brooms.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named parties, for the following amounts and purposes as hereinafter set forth:

$13.67, Interstate Chemical Company.

$16.54, Jos. H. Browne.

$14.00, Bell Electric Company.

$5.00, Pintsch Compressing Company.

$55.00, Wedlake-Lamson Company.

$35.82, S. F. Hayward & Co.

$40.00, Geo. C. Krauss.

$49.54, L. J. Tonnele.

$7.50, Western Union Telegraph Company.

$23.65, Garfunkel Bros.

$22.75, Garfunkel Bros.

$18.10, Harry Jasper.

$709.73, Standard Oil Company.

$10.50, Standard Oil Company.

$10.50, Standard Oil Co.

$9.00, B. B. Dust Eater Company, compound.

$171.05, Expert Auto Tire Repair Company, shoes and repair.

$12.95, C. F. Hansen, stationery.

$9.74, Hudson Company, Buick Company parts.

$257.50, J. F. Hurley, insurance.

$2.75, J. C. Storage Battery Company, recharging.

$5.41, J. T. Ryers & Son, steel.

$72.00, Splitdorf Electric Company, generators.

$43.78, Valvoline Oil Company, oil.

$22.61, Keegan's Garage, parts.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following named claimants for the following amounts and purposes:

$6.20, Initial Apron & Towel Supply Co., towel service.

$599.18, Hudson Co. S. P. C. A., dog wagon service.

$40.80, Interstate Map Co., maps.

$20.00, A. Walters Sons, spectacles.

$6.25, Maresca Safe Co., opening safe.

$5.00, A. Ziperstein, sprayers.

$8.00, C. J. Petry, carfare.

$46.30, Charles F. Hansen, office supplies.

$25.50, Great Bear Water Co., spring water.

$23.50, Charles F. Hansen, office supplies.

$21.49, Eimer & Amend, chemicals, etc.

$1.15, New York Telephone Co., service.

$120.00, Flynn Bros., groceries.

$76.18, Morris Motor Car Co., auto repairs.

$20.00, Metropolitan Building & W. C. Co., cleaning windows.

$57.67, P. Loffredo, meats.

$36.83, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$12.50, Albert Datz Co., postals.

$25.70, Joseph T. Sack, utensils.

$39.39, Joseph T. Sack, utensils.

$13.20, Joseph T. Sack, utensils.

$6.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$81.67, General Baking Co., bread.

$99.98, Ganz & Goodman, towels, etc.

$8.10, New York Telephone Co., service.

$23.53 New York Telephone Co., service.

$49.74, New York Telephone Co., service.

$30.66, William Bill, starch, etc.

$19.60, Union Printing Co., printing.

$14.11, William Bill, catsup.

$254.28, General Baking Co., bread.

$245.44, D. Pollio & Co., vegetables.

$34.69, Joseph H. Browne, starch.

$16.50, Enos F. Jones Chemical Co., oxalic acid.

$40.17, Austin Nichols & Co., groceries.

$18.81, L. L. Croner, groceries.

$324.00, Colgate & Co., soap.

$31.38, Johnson & Johnson, drugs, etc.

$141.24, Meinecke & Co., apparatus.

$380.00, Johnson & Johnson, adhesive plaster.

$67.50, Johnson & Johnson, gut.

$280.13, General Baking Co., bread.

$55.17, The Hospital Supply Co., apparatus.

$50.10, D. Pollio & Co., meat.

$254.02, General Baking Co., bread.

$46.55, Herald Co., chart covers.

$32.34, D. E. Cleary Co., tomatoes.

$34.99, Wilkinson, Gaddis & Co., beans.

$9.00, Austin Nichols & Co., corn.

$276.46, Petit & Reed, butter.

$88.45, W. G. Walthery, ham.

$110.50, Pollio Bros. Co., fruit, etc.

$63.50, General Baking Co., bread.

$96.74, Jerome O'Keefe, damask.

$53.90, D. E. Clearning Co., tomatoes.

$27.34, Joseph H. Browne, toilet paper.

$256.00, D. Eisenberg, fruit.

$27.37, W. H. Walthery, ham.

$384.21, Otto Wilkens, supplies.

$45.79, D. E. Cleary Co., groceries.

$98.50, Mountain Ice Co., ice.

$101.33, William Bill, groceries.

$44.27, W. H. Walthery, ham .

$77.70, H. D. Dougherty & Co., rubber gloves.

$99.00, Meinecke & Co., sheeting.

$21.10, Keegan's Garage, auto repairs.

$30.08, Kny-Scheerer Corp., apparatus.

$5.31, Manhattan Electrical Supply Co., electrical supplies.

$289.94, American Auto Tire Co., tires and tubes.

$229.90, Edward Dixon, oysters, fish, etc.

$36.17, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$26.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PAYROLLS.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached payrolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being for services rendered during the periods specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS:

From Commissioner Fagen, approving the following described applications: Richard Warren, alter basement and build garage in basement No. 254 Hancock Avenue; E. J. Weigand, alter building and erect garage in cellar of No. 79 Hague Street.

Received.

From Commissioner Fagen, to whom was referred the petition and maps of property of Pearl L. Bergoff for approval, on August 10, 1920, returning petition and maps and advising the Board that the Assistant Chief Engineer has examined the maps and advised him that they do not show any street widths and that the scale should be thirty feet to one inch instead of twenty feet to one inch as shown on maps, and that for the foregoing reasons he would recommend that the maps be not approved.

Received and recommendations adopted.

From Commissioner Gannon, recommending an annual charge of $25.00 be made for granting permission to the Manufacturers Liability Insurance Company to build vault under sidewalk on the southwest corner of Greene and Montgomery Streets.

Received.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS:

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, At the meeting of the Board of Commissioners held on August 10, 1920, Steiner & Jaeger filled a petition and maps of the property of Pearl L. Bergoff, requesting that the Board approve said maps, and said petition and maps were referred to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements for investigation and recommendation; and

Whereas, The Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements has this day reported that he referred the maps to the Assistant Chief Engineer, who reported to him that the maps do not show [illegible] street widths, and that the scale indicated thereon is twenty feet to one inch, whereas by scale it should be thirty feet to one inch; therefore be it

Resolved, Upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, the maps of property of Pearl L. Bergoff, situate in Jersey City, be not approved.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance for the relief of the Erie Railroad Company, in the laying and maintaining of a steam pipe line under Pavonia Avenue, near Provost Street, in the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance granting permission to Margulies & Gerstenfield to construct and maintain a vault underneath the sidewalk in front of the premises, 68 Glenwood Avenue, Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer, and approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, for furnishing and installing about one hundred and twenty-five (125) street signs, be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed, and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, contract for regulating and repaving with sheet asphalt on present stone and concrete foundation the roadway of Manhattan Avenue from Central Avenue to the easterly line of Sanford Place on present concrete foundation and from the easterly line of Sanford Place to the Hudson Boulevard and Thirteenth Street from the easterly line of Thirteenth Street viaduct to Henderson Street on present stone block foundation, also Pershing Field from Central Avenue to Summit Avenue on a five-inch concrete base be and the same is hereby awarded to W. T. S. Crichfield at the price named in his proposal, namely, one hundred fifteen (115%) per cent. of the standard, that being the lowest bid received; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby granted to John M. Hughes' Sons Co., to remove the one-story frame building now situated at 191 Fulton Avenue, Lot No. 9, Block 1337, to 137 Woodlawn Avenue, the route to be along Fulton Avenue to Rose Avenue, thence along Rose Avenue to 137 Woodlawn Avenue, its now location, such permission being subject to the conditions as set forth in resolution of the Board of Street and Water Commissioners, April 29, 1912.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, The Director of Streets and Public Improvements presents to this Board a form of agreement granting to the City of Bayonne permission to lay and maintain for a period named therein, along certain streets and highways of this City designated in said agreement, a certain water supply pipe line, and providing for the exchange of water between the said City of Bayonne and this City; and

Whereas, The Director of Public Safety recommends that said agreement be entered into;

Now, therefore, be it resolved, That said form of agreement be and the same hereby is approved and the Mayor, Director of Streets and Public Improvements and the City Clerk are hereby authorized and directed to execute the same in the name of the City,

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The building on Lot 43, in Block 1810, assessed for the year 1919 at $14,000.00, was demolished previous to July 1, 1919, to make way for the erection of an apartment house, housing sixteen families.

Therefore be it resolved, Upon the recommendation of the Director of Revenue and Finance that $7,000 of the assessment on said improvement be cancelled, being the ratable proportion of said assessment on said improvement for 6 months of the year 1919.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioner Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing $7,200.00 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City.

RECITALS.

Whereas, The city of Jersey City has heretofore authorized the repaving of Washington Street, Sussex Street, Crescent Avenue, Brinkerhoff Street, Astor Place, Seventh Street and Eighth Street, and has appropriated the sum of $35,000.00 to carry on said improvement, and Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City were therein authorized for said amount to meet said improvements and are now outstanding, and

Whereas, It is necessary to complete said improvements by a further appropriation,

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. The sum of $7,200.00 be and it is hereby appropriated for the repaving of Washington Street, Sussex Street, Crescent Avenue, Brinkerhoff Street, Astor Place, Seventh Street and Eighth Street, in addition to the sum heretofore appropriated.

Section 2. That pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 252, P. L., 1916, approved March 22, 1916, as amended and in order to meet said appropriation and to temporarily finance the said purpose, temporary improvement bonds of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City shall be issued in the principal amount of $7,200.00, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum, said bonds shall mature in not exceeding six years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out and shall be subject to earlier call for payment and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Section 3. The said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall state that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing the repaving of Washington Street, etc., the other matters in respect of the issuance of said bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Section 4. The said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be paid or funded within six years after the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out.

Section 5. The interest on the said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be raised in the annual tax levy.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do not close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That Harry J. Gordy be and he is hereby appointed to the position of Collector of Personal Taxes and Arrears, Department of Revenue and Finance of Jersey City, as provided by Chapter 65, Printed Laws of 1893, for the term of three years, at a salary of $2,000.00 per annum, payable in equal semi-monthly installments;

Further resolved, That the service of Harry J. Gordy as Deputy Collector of Personal Taxes and Arrears cease on this date.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance has this day submitted the resignation of John Prout as member of the Board of Taxation and Advisor to the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance of Jersey City; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said resignation of John Prout be and the same is hereby accepted to take effect as of August 15, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, It appears that there is a vacancy now existing in the Bureau of Taxation, Department of Revenue and Finance, caused by the resignation of John Prout; therefore be it

Resolved, That John J. Coppinger be and he is hereby appointed member of the Board of Taxation, and advisor to the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance of Jersey City, at an annual salary of $4,000.00, to be paid in equal semi-monthly installments, the same to take effect immediately.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, In anticipation of the receipt of taxes to be levied or of taxes levied and not delinquent, this municipality may borrow and have obligations outstanding to provide such moneys as may be necessary to meet its lawful expenditures under the appropriations for the year for which such taxes are levied or are to be levied, to wit, the fiscal year 1920; therefore be it

Resolved, That in pursuance of Chapter 192, P. L. 1917, approved March 28, 1917, and Chapter 242, P. L. 1918, approved March 4, 1918, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do and they hereby authorize and direct that tax anticipation notes of the City of Jersey City be issued to the amount of $180 000.00 bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 5 per cent. per annum, payable at maturity; said notes to be dated August 25, 1920, to become due and payable December 31, 1920, or sooner if called by the city, and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That it be the sense of this Commission that we heartily approve of the course pursued by Director of Public Safety Charles F. X.

O'Brien in his action of acquainting the people of their rights in advising them to refuse to pay an illegal fare exacted for passenger transportation by the Hudson and Manhattan Railroad Company between the various points in Hudson County.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Richard Warren, to alter basement of present two-story and brick basement frame dwelling to make room for private garage at No. 254 Hancock Avenue, Jersey City, as shown on plans attached to application, provided that the street and sidewalk level is not altered in any manner; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to E. H. Weigan to alter buildings and erect garage in cellar of 2½ story frame dwelling No. 79 Hague Street, Jersey City, as shown on plans attached to application, provided that the street and sidewalk level is not altered in any manner; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to George E. Ramsey to build a retaining wall with roof over same and a brick extension, also make other alterations as shown on blue print attached to application, on property known as Lot 20-A, Block 1924, No. 20-22 Prescott Street, Jersey City; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City did adopt a resolution at the meeting held on November 19, 1918, determining that additional land is required for the erection and construction of additional necessary buildings for the City Hospital, and did determine to acquire by purchase or condemnation the following described lands: Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, 5 to 8A inclusive; A1, A2, 9A, 11A, 12A, 13A, 12, 13, 14, 69B and 70B, in block 1,899 on the official assessment map of Jersey City; and lots 9A, 9B, 10, 11A and 12 in block 1,915 on said map; and

Whereas, The Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and the Law Department acting for the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City did acquire by condemnation the above described lands; and

Whereas, The said above described lands now have erected thereon frame dwelling houses which are of no use to the city and cannot be utilized for hospital purposes; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Director of Revenue and Finance, be and he is hereby authorized and directed to sell at public auction the buildings situated on said lands, in accordance with the attached conditions of sale; further

Resolved, That the Director of Revenue and Finance be and he is hereby authorized to alter or change the conditions of sale, if in his judgment, it appears judicious and for the best interests of the city to do so.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the Board adjourned.

Approved.

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
CHARLES F. X. O'BRIEN,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF AUGUST 31, 1920

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, August 31, 1920, at 2 P. M.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

RECEPTION OF BIDS

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for furnishing supplies and doing certain work, the City Clerk called for bids with the following result:

Federal Truck Chassis-S. & P. I.

1. Morris Motor Car Co., $3,320.88, with surety company bond.

Steam Boiler, No. 5 Fire Eng. House.

1. S. J. Crawford, $1,150, with surety company bond.

Dredging Waters Adjacent Morgan St. Dock.

1. C. S. Edwards, 53 cents per cubic yard, with surety company bond.

2. Fred E. Jones Dredging Co., 59 cents per cubic yard, with surety company bond.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen, the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received opened and read, and referred to the Director of the Department from which the specifications emanated.

CITY ORDINANCES

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the final passage of the following described ordinance:

"An ordinance authorizing $12,000.00 Promissory Notes of the City of Jersey City," the City Clerk called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of said ordinance. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of the ordinance.

On motion of Commossioner Gannon the ordinance was referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the application of Margaret Ruth, for permission to alter building and erect garage in cellar of present two-story frame dwelling, No. 19 Ege Avenue, as shown on plans attached to application, the City Clerk read the notice of hearing and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the application. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against said application.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Margaret Ruth, to alter building and erect garage in cellar of No. 19 Ege Avenue, Jersey City, as shown on plans attached to application, provided that the street and sidewalk level is not altered in any manner;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioner Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From First Wesleyan Methodist Church, requesting permission to remove partitions on first floor and put in beams at No. 104-106 Belmont Avenue.

Received.

From William C. Harper, lessee, requesting permission to alter No. 324 Jackson Avenue.

Received.

From Dr. J. S. Gilman, requesting

permission to erect electric sign at No. 325 Seventh Street.

Received.

OFFICERS COMMUNICATIONS.

From Board of School Estimate, submitting resolutions adopted by them on August 27, 1920, determining that $83,000 is necessary for erection of new School No. 6 in addition to the sum heretofore appropriated, and $88,000 is necessary for erection of new school No. 23, in addition to the sum heretofore appropriated.

Received and referred to Commissioner Gannon.

From Commission on Building Districts and Restrictions, advising the Board that they are opposed to the granting of the permit to William A. Scheurer for the erection of new store front at No. 18 Greenville Avenue.

Received.

From Corporation Counsel John Milton, advising the Board that the City, under the Home Rule Act, has the power to initiate the proceeding by the introduction of an ordinance for the vacation of Eleventh Street, and that in accordance therewith he had prepared an ordinance which he has forwarded to Mr. Richards, attorney for the Tunnel Commission for approval, also submitting a form of notice to be advertised calling for a public hearing in the matter, at which time the ordinance will be approved and can then be introduced.

Received.

AUDITORS CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amount indicated:

$391.72, American Creosoting Company, supplies.

$24.80, Blakeslee Cadillac Company, supplies.

$16.60, Blakeslee Cadillac Company, supplies.

$28.90, C. H. Engler, lumber.

$2.25, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$450.00, Keegan's Garage, one chassis.

$206.34, Stillman & Van Siclen Company, inspectors.

$54.80, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

$124.40, Auto Economy Company, supplies.

$126.23, The Bristol Company, three gages.

$23.47, D. Calabrese, refund of water rent.

$103.45, Arthur Ericson, supplies.

$484.21, Erie Railroad Company, repairs.

$78.19, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$117.00, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$164.00, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$3.75, F. Kromka, repairs.

$12.00, William E. Kuntz, supplies.

$73.46, Mutual Iron Works, repairs.

$3.12, Neptune Meter Company, supplies.

$35.00, Pease Laboratories, Inc., testing.

$2.25, The Texas Company, supplies.

$7.88, The Texas Company, supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$448.00, J. W. Greene, furniture.

$28.16, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$59.50, W. A. Barclay, galvanized iron.

$15.00, W. H. & F. W. Cane, vulcanite cement.

$142.50, Charles H. Engler Lumber Company, lumber.

$169.50, Charles H. Engler Lumber Company, lumber.

$88.30, Charles H. Engler Lumber Company, lumber.

$79.28, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$233.92, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$79.28, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$25.00, George J. Boland, overhauling typewriter.

$57.60, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$9.00, Evening Journal, advertising.

$10.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$7.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$6.84, Evening Journal, advertising.

$67.25, Underwood Typewriter Company, new typewriter.

$3.15, Carl Luck, nine Yale keys.

$17.00, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$42.46, Lincoln Auto and Repair Company, supplies.

$73.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$88.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$62.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$67.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$37.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$13.20, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$272.66, Lincoln Auto and Repair Company, supplies.

$4.00, Dobke Typewriter Company, rent of machine.

$12.00, Dobke Typewriter Company, repairing machine.

$11.80, Charles Hansen, stationery.

$4.25, E. I. Du Pont de Nemours, five sheets, 5/1,000 624 H. H. 50-inch .85 sheet, net.

$498.00, Belle Meade Auto Sales, Ford chassis.

$125.00, James E. Pope, rent.

$43.01, Blakeslee-Cadillac Company, supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$50.00, M. Ely, postage stamps.

$11.00, James P. Hall, lime.

$17.15, James P. Hall, lime.

$19.52, Jersey City Supply Co., supplies.

$21.32, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$6.00, Benjamin Kuperman, glass.

$32.69, Jersey City Lumber Company, spruce.

$15.88, Jersey City Lumber Company, flooring.

$29.40, Jersey City Lumber Company, shingles.

$28.00, Charles H. Engler, white wood.

$27.40, Anderson Brothers, plumb-

$11.73, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$21.44, Jersey City Lumber Company, spruce.

$20.80, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$20.28, Hudson Observer, advertising.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named for the following amounts and purposes:

$649.71, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$670.25, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$210.95, W. J. Coleman, supplies.

$8.00, A. Datz Co., binding.

$187.25, A. Datz Co., printing.

$8.50, A. Datz Co., printing.

$20.80, Fleischman Brothers, repairs.

$240.00, Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Company, parts.

$390.00, Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Co., parts.

$18.45, C. F. Hansen, stationery.

$1.65, C. F. Hansen, stationery.

$91.00, W. R. Harrison, prisoners' photos.

$13.44, A. Kuntz, lamps.

$89.85, T. J. Murphy, tubes.

$12.00, National Gas Governor Co., rental regulators.

$32.34, Phinotas Chemical Co., disinfectant.

$20.00, Union Printing Co., stamps.

$27.93, Union Printing Co., printing.

$13.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$41.20, Valvoline Oil Co., oil.

$5.25, Standard Oil Company.

$5.25, Standard Oil Company.

$10.50, Standard Oil Company.

$1.00, Public Service Electric Company.

$22.50, Garfunkel Brothers.

$13.80, Jersey City Lumber Company.

$16.54, Joseph H. Browne.

$41.60, Valvoline Oil Company.

$50.07, Dayton Tire & Rubber Company.

$1.40, Commercial Acetylene Company.

$11.68, Am. Bosch Magneto Company.

$15.00, S. F. Hayward & Company.

$43.30, Wedlake-Lamson Company.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS.

From Commissioner Fagen, approving application of Adam Grabowski, for permission to alter building and erect garage in cellar of No. 197 Tonnele Avenue, and recommending that permit be granted.

Received.

From Commissioner Fagen, returning application of Vulcan Iron Works, Inc., for permission to lay and maintain spur track on Hudson Street, which had been referred to him and recommending that the City Clerk fix a time and place for a hearing in the matter.

Received.

From Commissioner Gannon, approving franchise ordinances and recommending annual charges for the privileges as follows:

Erie Railroad Company, pipe line, Pavonia Avenue, $15.00 per annum.

Pennsylvania Railroad Company, pipe line, Bay Street, $15.00 per annum.

A. R. Southworth, overhead awning, Bergen Avenue, $1.00 per annum.

Margulies & Gerstenveld, vault, Glenwood Avenue, $25.00 per annum.

Received.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the contract for the furnishing and delivering of a Federal Truck Chassis, with all the necessary attachments and equipments, be and is hereby awarded to Morris Motor Car Company at the price named in its bid, namely, three thousand three hundred twenty dollars and eighty-eight cents ($3,320.88), there being no lower bidder; and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby requested and directed to have prepared and executed a contract upon the part of the city for said chassis, when the bidder shall have furnished the security required, and the bond shall have been approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer, and approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form, for regulating and repaving with sheet asphalt on present stone and concrete foundation the roadway of Communipaw Avenue between Morris Canal and easterly line of Suydam Avenue with asphalt pavement (excluding such portion as lies between the tracks and that portion now paved with asphalt blocks), also the portion outside of rails for a width of six inches which shall be paved with wooden blocks, be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed, and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon. Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements contract for furnishing and delivering hay, grain, feed, etc., from date of contract to January 31, 1921, be and the same is hereby awarded to Carscallen

& Cassidy, at the price named in their proposal, namely:

About 708,800 pounds hay, No. 1 Timothy, large bales, per 100 pounds, $2.50.

About 80,200 pounds straw, best grade, per 100 pounds, $1.30.

About 33,600 pounds bran, per 100 pounds, $3.15.

About 16,205 bushels oats, per bushel, $1.15.

About 8,500 pounds alfalfa, per 100 pounds, $4.00.

About 1,525 pounds rock salt, per 100 pounds, $3.00.

About 150 pounds dairy salt, per 100 pounds, $2.75.

About 400 pounds oil meal, per 100 pounds, $5.00.

That being the lowest bid received, the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and requested to fix a date for a public hearing and advertise the same as required by law, on the application of the Vulcan Iron Works, Inc., requesting permission to lay and maintain certain spur track on Hudson Street.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the form of notice for public hearing in the matter of the vacation of Eleventh Street, as submitted by the Corporation Counsel, be and the same is hereby approved, and the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and requested to fix a date for public hearing and advertise the same as required by law.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass.

An ordinance authorizing $12.000.00 promissory notes of the city of Jersey City.

RECITALS.

Whereas, The Board of Education of Jersey City, on August 3, 1920, did furnish the Board of School Estimates with a statement deciding that it is necessary to raise money for furniture and equipment for new school No. 36, and estimated the amount of moneys required for said purpose to be $12,000.00; and

Whereas, The Board of School Estimate at a meeting held August 10, 1920, did fix and determine the amount of money necessary for furniture and equipment for new school No. 36, to be $12,000.00, and did furnish two certificates of the above amount, one of which was delivered to the Board of Education and the other to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City.

Now, therefore, The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. The sum of $12,000.00 be and it is hereby appropriated to the Board of Education of Jersey City for the purchase of furniture and equipment for new school No. 36.

Section 2. That in pursuance of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled "A Supplement to an act" entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October 19, 1903, relating to the financing of school improvements," approved March 16, 1916, and for the purpose of meeting said appropriation the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do and they hereby authorize and direct that promissory notes in the sum of $12,000.00 be issued, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed six (6%) per cent. per annum,, and shall be due and payable one year from date of issue, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment by the city. Said notes shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, and attested by the City Clerk.

Section 3. This Board does postpone the determination of whether the aforesaid sum appropriated shall be levied and collected or borrowed on permanent bond.

Section 4. The interest on said promissory notes shall be raised in the annual tax levy.

Section 5. The proceeds of said notes shall be paid to the Custodian of School Moneys of Jersey City.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolution to authorize interim certificates to be issued pending preparation of definitive water bonds.

Resolved: By the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, as follows:

1. Pending preparation of the definitive bonds of an issue of $3,674,000 water bonds of the city, authorized by an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing the issue of $3,696,000 water bonds of the city of Jersey City," interim certificates shall be issued in substantially the following form:

For $1,000 Bond.

JERSEY CITY, NEW JERSEY
INTERIM CERTIFICATE FOR
WATER BOND.

The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, a municipal corporation of the State of New Jersey, acknowledges the receipt of payment in full for $1,000 water bond of said city to be dated August 1, 1920, to mature on and to bear interest at per centum per annum, authorized to be issued by an ordinance entitled: "An ordinance authorizing the issue of $3,696,000 water bonds of the city of Jersey City," duly adopted August 10, 1920, and published as required by law.

The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City has issued this certificate pending the preparation of said bond and will deliver said bond, with all coupons attached, when prepared and executed to the bearer hereof, upon surrender of this certificate at the office of United States Mortgage & Trust Company, 55 Cedar street, New York city.

In Witness Whereof: The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City has caused this interim certificate to be executed by its Deputy Comptroller this first day of September, 1920.

The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City. By............................

Deputy Comptroller.

CERTIFICATE.

The foregoing instrument is one of a series of 3674 instruments of like tenor, except as to date of maturity and interest rate of the obligation therein described.

United States Mortgage & Trust Co.
By ....
Assistant Secretary.

Dated September 1, 1920.

2. The proper officials of the city are hereby authorized and directed to execute and deliver the said interim certificates to the purchasers of the said bonds upon receipt of the purchase price therefor in accordance with the resolution of the award of said bonds heretofore adopted.

3. Upon the preparation of the definitive bonds, the proper officials of the city are hereby authorized to deliver the said bonds upon receipt of the interim certificates therefor, and they are directed thereupon to cancel and destroy the said interim certificates.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

The Corporation Counsel having submitted form of proposed agreement with the M. W. Kellogg Company regarding the acquisition and development of a portion of Droyers' Point it is hereby

Resolved, That said agreement be and the same hereby is approved; further

Resolved, That the Mayor and City Clerk execute said agreement in the name of the City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, Patrolman John Martin, Seventh Precinct, has made application to be retired; and

Whereas, He is under the law qualified to be retired, having served more than twenty-seven years and having attained the age of fifty years; therefore

Resolved, That Patrolman John Martin be placed on the retired list, to take effect August 31, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Adam Grabowski to take out part of foundation walls and put in new doors, making the cellar into private garage at No. 197 Tonnele Avenue, as shown on plans attached to application provided that the street and sidewalk level is not altered in any manner; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner O'Brien the Board adjourned.

Approved.

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
CHARLES F. X. O'BRIEN,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

Minutes of Meetings

of

Board of Commissioners

September, 1920

MEETING OF SEPTEMBER 7, 1920

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, September 7, 1920, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Absent: Mayor Hague (excused).

In the absence of Mayor Hague, Commissioner Gannon, Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and Vice-Mayor, presided.

RECEPTION OF BIDS:

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for furnishing supplies and performing work, the City Clerk called for bids with the following result:

Painting Fences, Etc., Pershing Field.

1. A. Ziperstein, $2,150, with freeholder's surety bond.
2. A. Greenzweig, $2,900, with freeholder's surety bond.
3. Andrew Lemon, $1,948, with certified check, $1,948.
4. J. I. Hass, Inc., $1,910, with freeholder's surety bond.

125 Street Signs.

1. L. W. Kelly, $27.90, with freeholder surety bond.
2. Joseph H. Early, $43.50, with surety company bond.

Construction of Sewers, Fisk Street Drainage Area.

No bids received.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen, the reception of bids for the construction of sewers in the Fisk Street Drainage Area was withdrawn, and the specifications on file in the office of the City Clerk, ordered cancelled. Commissioner Fagen also advised the Board that for the purpose of economy, specifications for alternative bidding would be prepared and submitted to the Board.

On motion of Commissioner Moore, the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received opened and read and referred to the Director of the Department from which the specifications eminated.

FRANCHISE HEARINGS:

The hearing on the following described applications for franchise privileges having been adjourned and continued to this time and place, and the City Clerk having advertised as required by law, that the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City would consider the final passage of the ordinances covering said applications, the

City Clerk read each of the ordinances and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of each of the following ordinances:

Erie Railroad Company, pipeline, Pavonia Avenue.

Pennsylvania Railroad Company, pipeline, Bay Street.

Manufacturers Liability Insurance Company, vault, Greene Street.

Margulies & Gerstenfeld, vault 68, Glenwood Street.

A. R. Southworth, awning, 866 Bergen Avenue.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances. On motion of Commissioner Fagen, the ordinances were referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

ALTERATION HEARINGS:

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications:

Dr. J. S. Gilman, electric sign, to extend five feet six inches beyond building line No. 325, Seventh Street.

Wm. C. Harper, lessee, alter No. 324 Jackson Avenue.

The City Clerk read each public notice of hearing and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against either of the above described applications. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the applications above described.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Dr. J. S. Gilman, to erect electric sign to extend five feet six inches beyond building line at No. 325 Seventh Street, as shown on plans attached to application; further

Resolved. That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to William C. Harper, lessee, to remove present partitions and put in girder, in second floor of present three-story frame building, No. 324 Jackson Avenue, as shown on plans attached to application, same to be used for commercial purposes; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From residents of New York Avenue, between South Street and Bowers Street, protesting against the rough condition of the trolley tracks on that block.

Received and referred to Commissioner Fagen.

From Steiner & Jaeger, submitting map of property of Pearl L. Berhoff, and requesting the approval of the Board so that they may be filed with the County.

Received and referred to Commissioner Fagen.

From S. Stabb, lessee, requesting permission to alter store No. 183 Newark Avenue.

Received.

From Newman Music Stores, requesting permission to erect electric sign at No. 209 Newark Avenue.

Received.

From Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, requesting permission to maintain and use a railroad track across lands owned by Jersey City at Droyer's Point.

Received.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$1.00, Central Railroad Company of New Jersey, rental.

$812.58, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$62.75, Eimer & Amend, supplies.

$63.50, Goodyear Rubber Company, coats.

$70.56, Goodyear Rubber Company, boots.

$298.25, J. P. Hall, supplies.

$207.25, J. P. Hall, supplies.

$228.46, Keegan Garage, supplies.

$12.10, Montgomery Garage, supplies.

$57.25, J. H. Walton, horseshoeing.

$8.64, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$8.40, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$37.50, Expert Radiator Repair Company, repairs.

$404.70, Expert Auto Tire Company, repairs.

$400.00, Fagen Iron Works, supplies.

$400.00, Fagen Iron Works, supplies.

$104.00, William R. Harrison, photos.

$13.15, R. D. Heath, supplies.

$32.00, Manning, Maxwell & Moore, supplies.

$300.00, Palace Garage, automobile.

$680.91, Pennsylvania Salt Manufacturing Company, bleach.

$21.60, A. Spindler, supplies.

$27.68, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

$23.70, Water Works Equipment Company, supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$1.80, Hudson Observer, notice, Kaufman Hat.

$3.52, Hudson Observer, notice, A. Grabowski.

$1.20, Hudson Observer, notice, A. P. Harris.

$1.92, Hudson Observer, notice, Stetson Shoe.

$1.80, Hudson Observer, notice, W. J. Ball.

$8.52, Hudson Observer, notice, ordinance Vulcan Iron Works.

$3.74, Hudson Observer, notice, Yulinsky.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, notice, M. Ruth.

$105.60, Evening Journal Association, auditing books.

$10.85, Union Towel Supply Company, towel supply.

$97.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$25.00, George J. Boland, repairs to typewriter.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

$207.63 W. A. Barclay, plumbing.

$50.00, Lafayette Window Cleaning Company, service.

$4.60, Carl Luck, lock repair.

$11.00, James P. Hall, lime.

$6.00, Whipple Hardware Company, rakes.

$9.70, Otis Elevator Company, lubricant.

$6.75, James P. Hall, sand.

$67.00, Expert Auto Tire Company, tire.

$50.00, Thos. Finnerty, ice.

$21.84, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$21.84, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$38.00, Roth & Miller, insurance.

$7.20, Thos. L. Higgins, Can. and shears.

$16.00, Thos. L. Higgins, rope.

$13.60, Thos. L. Higgins, saw and handle.

$1.68, Whipple Hardware Co., tacks.

$11.08, John F. Landrine, adze and staples.

$85.00, Fagan Iron Works, iron plates.

$5.50, Whipple Hardware Co., tar paper.

$2.50, Whipple Hardware Co., sash cord.

$2.29, Whipple Hardware Co., nails and screws.

$0.71, Whipple Hardware Co., hinges.

Adopted.

Yeas:—Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named parties for the following amounts and purposes as hereinafter set forth:—

$9.00, Edmund Nacion.
$22.95, Garfunkel Bros.
$24.70, A. Kuntz.
$66.36, Am. La France Fire Eng. Co.
$76.10, Am. La France Fire Eng. Co.
$217.53, L. J. Tonnele.
$10.00, Firestone Tire & Rubber Co.
$141.70, I. Judge.
$82.92, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., parts.
$11.50, J. H. Brown, matches.
$5.91, J. S. Menagh Co, supplies.
$150.00, E. S. Myers, rent stable.
$44.10, Al. Kuntz, flashlights.
$426.01, Al. Kuntz, wire.
$426.01, Al. Kuntz, wire.
$35.28, Union Printing Co., printing.
$44.20, Valvoline Oil Co., oil.
$21.00, J. A. Vill & Son, chains.
$91.14, J. A. Vill and Son, pyrene.
$175.00, J. H. Walter, tuition.
$170.30, P. Jocham Co., repairs.

Adopted.

Yeas:—Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

PAY ROLLS.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached payrolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being payment for services rendered during the periods specified.

Adopted.

Yeas:—Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS.

From Commissioner Fagen:—Approving application of E. Yulinsky for permission to alter building and erect private garage in cellar of No. 587 Garfield Avenue, and recommending that the permission sought for be granted.

Received.

From Commissioner Fagen:—Submitting ordinance and blue prints approved by the Assistant Chief Engineer covering the application of the Public Service Electric Co. for the vacation and dedication of certain portions of Duffield Avenue and Van Keuren Avenue, and recommending that the City Clerk be directed to advertise for public hearing as required by law.

Received.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, permission be and is hereby granted to Whitlock Cordage Company to lay a twelve-inch private drain pipe, about 150 feet in length, from in front of their property, Lots 1, 2 and 3—Block 2057, to connect with present sewer in Lafayette Street, subject to all rules and regulations of this Commission, and especially conformable to resolution passed by the Board of Street and Water Commissioners on July 3, 1900.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby granted to John M. Hughes' Sons Company to remove the three three-story frame buildings, now situated at 89, 91 and 93 Oakland Avenue, to 105 and 107 Oakland Avenue and 90 Hopkins Avenue, respectively, their new location, such permission being subject to the conditions as set forth in resolution of the Board of Street and Water Commissioners April 29, 1912.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, contract for furnishing and delivering fifteen (15) tons each water gate boxes and covers, and sewer manhole frames and covers, be and the same is hereby awarded to Fagan Iron Works at the price named in their proposal, namely, nine and three quarter cents per pound. ($0.09¾) there being no lower bid; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, contract was heretofore and on the thirteenth day of March, 1919, entered into between Joseph L. Sigretto & Company, a corporation of the State of New York, and the City for the furnishing of all material and the doing of all work necessary for the construction and laying of a certain 72-inch steel water pipe under the Hackensack and Passaic Rivers in Hudson County, New Jersey; and

Whereas, Under Article XXX of the specifications it is provided that five per cent. (5%) of the total value of the entire work shall be retained by the City for the period of twelve months from and after the acceptance of the work by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements of the City; and

Whereas, In accordance with the provisions of said specifications the engineer in charge of the work has certified in writing to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements that the contractor has completely performed the contract; now, therefore, in order to fix the date from which said period of twelve months shall begin to run, be it

Resolved, On the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements that the said work be and the same hereby is accepted as of August 2nd, 1920, being the date of the semi-final payment provided for under said specifications.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore and O'Brien.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and directed to fix a date for public hearing and advertise the same as required by law, on the application of the Public Service Electric Company for the vacation and dedication of certain portions of Duffield Avenue and VanKeuren Avenue.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore and O'Brien.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer for the repaving of Tonnele Avenue from Hudson Boulevard to Newark Avenue (excepting such portion occupied by the Pennsylvania Railroad bridge) with sheet asphalt on present stone foundation, be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed, and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore and O'Brien.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to E. Yulinsky to install new bathroom on each floor and build private garage in basement of three-story frame two-family building, No. 587 Garfield Avenue, as shown on blueprints attached to application, provided the street and sidewalk level is not altered in any manner;

Further Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore and O'Brien.
Nayes: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance granting permission to A. R. Southworth to construct and maintain an overhead awning in front of premises situated on Bergen Avenue, Jersey City.

Whereas, A. R. Southworth has made application for permission to construct and maintain an overhead awning beyond the building line and in front of the premises known as 866-870 Bergen Avenue, said awning to be securely and properly fastened to the wall of the building, as shown on blueprints attached to said application on file in the office of the City Clerk;

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That the said A. R. Southworth be and he is hereby permitted to construct in front of the premises known as 866-870 Bergen Avenue, Jersey City, an awning or marquise as shown on the blueprint of plans filed with the application of the said A. R. Southworth.

Section 2. The said overhead awning or marquise is to be supported on six-inch (6″) steel channels built into brick walls, and reinforced with three-inch (3″) steel channels; this structural frame to be additionally supported by two and one-half inch (2½″) wrought iron link chains securely anchored to wall and riveted to structural steel. The clearance of sidewalk to underside of marquise is to be nine feet (9′). The said overhead awning is to project from the building line over the sidewalk.

Section 3. The said overhead awning or marquise shall be built in accordance with the plans filed with the petition of said A. R. Southworth and in a manner satisfactory to and under the supervision of the proper department of the city government.

Section 4. The ordinance granting this privilege shall be in full force and effect for a period of twenty years.

Section 5. In accepting the privileges of this ordinance and the operation and maintenance herein authorized, the beneficiaries thereby agree to assume full, complete and undivided responsibility for any and all injury or damage to persons or property by reason of such construction or maintenance and to hold the city harmless therefrom.

Section 6. This ordinance shall not become operative unless an acceptance in writing thereof shall be filed by the beneficiaries with the City Clerk within thirty days after receiving notice of the passage thereof.

Section 7. For the privileges herein accorded said beneficiaries shall pay annually to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City the sum of one dollar ($1.00), said payment to be made in advance to the City Comptroller of Jersey City at his office in the City Hall, Jersey City, on the first day of October next succeeding the time when this ordinance shall become effective and each year thereafter in like manner; and this ordinance being for the sole relief of the said A. R. Southworth, shall not be assigned or permittted to be used by any other person, company or corporation whatsoever, except by the authority or subsequent resolution of this board.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance granting permission to Margulies & Gerstenfeld to construct and maintain a vault underneath the sidewalk in front of the premises, 68 Glenwood Avenue, Jersey City.

Whereas, It appears to the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of Jersey City by the petition of Margulies & Gerstenfeld, that they desire to construct and maintain a vault under the sidewalk of the premises known as 68 Glenwood Avenue, Jersey City, as will more fully appear by the blueprint annexed to the said petition on file in the office of the City Clerk; and

Whereas, A public hearing has been held on said petition after due notice given in accordance with the statute and there being no objection thereto;

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Margulies & Gerstenfeld to construct and maintain a reinforced concrete vault under the sidewalk of the premises known as 68 Glenwood Avenue, Jersey City, and seventy-five (75) feet east of the Boulevard.

Section 2. Said vault is to be constructed in accordance with the plans attached to the petition on file in the office of the City Clerk, extending from the curb line to the building line in length, seventeen (17) feet in width and approximately eight (8) feet in depth below the curb on Glenwood Avenue, in such manner as not to interfere with the rights of the City under or upon the surface of Glenwood Avenue.

Section 3. This ordinance is granted upon the express condition that should the surface of the street in front of the premises above described be in any wise interfered with, it shall be restored to its former condition by the said petitioner to the satisfaction and approval of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements.

Section 4. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect for a period of twenty (20) years.

Section 5. That all costs and expenses incidental to the introduction, passage and publication of this ordinance and the contsruction and maintenance of the said vault shall be paid by the said Margulies & Gerstenfeld.

Section 6. This ordinance shall not become effective unless an acceptance in writing hereof shall be filed by the beneficiaries with the City Clerk within thirty (30) days after receiving notice of the passage thereof.

Section 7. In consideration of the passage of this ordinance, the beneficiaries hereby agree to assume full, complete and undivided responsibility for any and all injury or damage to persons or property by reason of the construction and maintenance of said vault, and to save the city harmless therefrom.

Section 8. For the privileges herein accorded, the said beneficiaries shall pay annually to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City the sum of twenty-five ($25) dollars, which payment shall be made to the City Comptroller of Jersey City at his office in the City Hall, Jersey City, on the first day of October next succeeding the time when this ordinance shall become effective; and each year thereafter in like manner; and this ordinance eing for the sole relief of the said Margulies & Gerstenfeld, shall not be assigned or permitted to be used by any other person, company or corporation whatsoever, except by the authority or subsequent resolution of this Board.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An Ordinance granting permission to Manufacturers' Liability Insurance Company to extend vault now under sidewalk of building on southeast corner of Greene and Montgomery Streets, Jersey City.

Whereas, it appears to the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of Jersey City by the petition of the Manufacturers' Liability Insurance Company that the said company desires to extend the vault now under the sidewalk of the building on the southeast corner of Greene and Montgomery Streets in Jersey City; said vault being on the Greene Street side and to be extended for a distance of seventeen feet and four inches (17′ 4″) in a northerly direction, as will more fuly appear by the blue prints annexed to said petition on file in the office of the City Clerk; and

Whereas, a public hearing has been held on said petition after due notice given in accordance with the statute, and there being no objection thereto;

Now, Therefore, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That permission be and the same hereby is granted to the Manufacturer's Liability Insurance Company to extend the vault now under the sidewalk of the building on the southeast corner of Greene and Montgomery Streets; said vault being on the Greene Street side and to be extended for a distance of seventeen feet and four inches (17′ 4″) in a northerly direction, in accordance with the plans attached to the petition on file in the office of the City Clerk, and in such a manner as not to interfere with the rights of the City under or upon the surface of said Greene Street.

Section 2. This ordinance is granted upon the express condition that should the surface of the street in front of the premises above described be in any wise interfered with, it shall be restored to its former condition by the said petitioner to the satisfaction and approval of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements.

Section 3. The ordinance granting this privilege shall be in full force and effect for a period of twenty years.

Section 4. In accepting the privileges of this ordinance and the operation and maintenance herein authorized, the beneficiaries thereby agree to assume full, complete and undivided responsibility for any and all injury or damage to persons or property by reason of such construction or maintenance, and to hold the City harmless therefrom.

Section 5. That all costs and expenses incidental to the introduction and passage and publication of this ordinance and to the extension of said vault shall be paid by the Manufacturers' Liability Insurance Company.

Section 6. This ordinance shall not become effective unless an acceptance in writing thereof shall be filed by the beneficiaries with the City Clerk within thirty days after receiving notice of the passage thereof.

Section 7. For the privileges herein accorded the said beneficiaries shall pay annually to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City the sum of Twenty-five ($25.00) Dollars, which payment shall be made in advance to the City Comptroller of Jersey City at his office in the City Hall, Jersey City, on the first day of October next succeeding the time when this ordinance shall become effective, and each year thereafter in like manner; and this ordinance being for the sole relief of the Manufacturers' Liability Insurance Company, in the facilitating of their business, shall not be assigned or permitted to be used by any other person, company or corporation whatsoever, except by the authority or subsequent resolution of this Board.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass.

An ordinance for the relief of the

Pennsylvania Railroad Company in the erection and construction of a proposed steam pipe running across Bay street, Jersey City.

Whereas, It appears to the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of Jersey City by the petition of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company that said company desires to lay a steam pipe under Bay Street, the same to be encased in a box to be placed at a depth of about two feet six inches (2′ 6″) below the grade of Bay Street, said box to be eighteen (18″) inches square, for the purpose of heating their bunkhouse east of Greene Street on Bay Street, as will more fully appear by the blueprint annexed to said petition on file in the office of the City Clerk; and

Whereas, A public hearing has been held on said petition after due notice given in accordance with the statute, and there being no objection thereto;

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That permission be and the same hereby is granted to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to lay a steam pipe under Bay Street, the same to be encased in a box to be placed at a depth of about two feet six inches (2′ 6″) below the grade of Bay Street, said box to be eighteen (18″) inches square, for the purpose of heating their bunk-house, in accordance with the plans attached to the petition on file in the office of the City Clerk, and in such a manner as not to interfere with the rights of the City under or upon the surface of said Bay Street.

Section 2. This ordinance is granted upon the express condition that should the surface of the street in question be in anywise interfered with, it shall be restored to its former condition by the said petitioner to the satisfaction and approval of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements.

Section 3. The ordinance granting this privilege shall be in full force and effect for a period of 20 years.

Section 4. In accepting the privileges of this ordinance and the operation and maintenance herein authorized, the beneficiaries thereby agree to assume full, complete and undivided responsibility for any and all injury or damage to persons or property by reason of such construction or maintenance, and to hold the City harmless therefrom.

Section 5. That all costs and expenses incident to the introduction and passage and publication of this ordinance and to the laying of said steam pipe shall be paid by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

Section 6. This ordinance shall not become effective unless an acceptance in writing thereof shall be filed by the beneficiaries with the City Clerk within thirty days after receiving notice of the passage thereof.

Section 7. For the privileges herein accorded the said beneficiaries shall pay annually to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City the sum of fifteen ($15) dollars, which payment shall be made in advance to the City Comptroller of Jersey City at his office in the City Hall, Jersey City, on the first day of October next succeeding the time when this ordinance shall become effective and each year thereafter in like manner; and this ordinance being for the sole relief of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company in the facilitating of its business, shall not be assigned or permitted to be used by any other person, company or corporation whatsoever, except by the authority or subsequent resolution of this Board.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance for the relief of the

Erie Railroad Company in the laying and maintaining of a steam pipe line under Pavonia Avenue, near Provost Street, in the City of Jersey City.

Whereas, Application was heretofore filed with the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City by the Erie Railroad Company seeking permission to lay and maintain a steam pipe line under and across Pavonia Avenue, near Provost Street, in Jersey City, as will more fully appear by the blueprint annexed to the said petition on file in the office of the City Clerk; and

Whereas, a public hearing has been held on said petition after due notice given in accordance with the statute and there being no objection thereto;

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That the Erie Railroad Company be and it hereby is permitted to install and maintain a steam pipe line, said steam pipe line to enter under the sidewalk on the northerly side of Pavonia Avenue, about 407.3 feet, more or less, easterly from the southeast corner of said Pavonia Avenue and Provost Street, and to run across said Pavonia Avenue and the southerly sidewalk to a point on the southerly side of said Pavonia Avenue and sidewalk, distant about 407.3 feet, more or less, easterly from the southwest corner of Pavonia Avenue and Provost Street, Jersey City, New Jersey, in accordance with the plans attached to the petition on file in the office of the City Clerk.

Section 2. Said steam pipe line is to be about three (3) inches in diameter and to be laid about three (3) feet below the surface of the street, and enclosed in a casing of a five (5) inch wrought iron pipe.

Section 3. The work herein authorized is to be done in a workmanlike manner and to the satisfaction of the proper department of the City government, and this ordinance is granted upon the express condition that should the surface of the street in front of the premises above described be in any wise interfered with, it shall be restored to its former condition by the said petitioner.

Section 4. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect for a period of twenty years.

Section 5. That all costs and expenses incident to the introduction, passage and publication of this ordinance and the construction and maintenance of the said steam pipe line shall be paid by the said Erie Railroad Company.

Section 6. This ordinance shall not become effective unless an acceptance in writing thereof shall be filed by the beneficiary hereof with the City Clerk within thirty (30) days after receiving notice of the passage thereof.

Section 7. In consideration of the passage of this ordinance, the beneficiary hereby agrees to assume full, complete and undivided responsibility for any and all injury or damage to persons or property by reason of the laying or maintaining of such steam pipe line, and to save the city harmless therefrom.

Section 8. For the privileges herein accorded the said beneficiary shall pay annually to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City the sum of fifteen ($15) dollars, which payment shall be made in advance to the City Comptroller of Jersey City at his office in the City Hall, Jersey City, on the first day of October next succeeding the time when this ordinance shall become effective and each year thereafter in like manner; and this ordinance being for the sole relief of the Erie Railroad Company in the facilitating of its business, shall not be assigned or permitted to be used by any other person, company or corporation whatsoever, except by the authority or subsequent resolution of this Board.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and requested to fix a date for public hearing and advertise the same as required by law, on the application of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company requesting permission to maintain and use railroad track on property owned by Jersey City located at Droyer's Point.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, In anticipation of the receipt of taxes to be levied or of taxes levied and not delinquent, this municipality may borrow and have obligations outstanding to provide such moneys as may be necessary to meet its lawful expenditures under the appropriations for the year for which such taxes are levied or are to be levied, to wit, the fiscal year 1920; therefore be it

Resolved, That in pursuance of Chapter 192, P. L. 1917, approved March 28, 1917, and Chapter 242, P. L. 1918, approved March 4, 1918, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do and they hereby authorize and direct that Tax Anticipation Notes of the City of Jersey City be issued to the amount of $180,000, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 5 per cent. per annum, payable at maturity; said notes to be dated September 9, 1920, to become due and payable December 31, 1920, or sooner if called by the City, and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners on August 24, 1920, for the furnishing and delivering of traprock screening to the Department of Parks and Public Property; and

Whereas, The bid of George A. Reilly was the lowest bid received; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering traprock screening be and is hereby awarded to George A. Reilly, at the price named in his bid and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for the same.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, Patrolman John Rodgers, First Precinct, has made application to be retired; and

Whereas, He is under the law qualified to be retired, having served more than twenty-eight years, and having passed the age of fifty years, as required by law, therefore

Resolved, That Patrolman John Rodgers be retired on half pay, to take effect September 15, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner Moore the Board adjourned.

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, Jr.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
CHARLES F. X. O'BRIEN,
Commissioners.

Approved.

FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF SEPTEMBER 14, 1920

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, September 14, 1920, at 2. p. m.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Absent: Mayor Hague. (Excused).

In the absence of Mayor Hague, Commissioner Gannon, Director of Revenue and Finance and Vice-Mayor presided.

RECEPTION OF BIDS.

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for repaving Communipaw Avenue, between Morris Canal and easterly line of Suydam Avenue, the City Clerk called for bids with the following results:

1. Uvalde Contracting Company, 117 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

2. W. T. S. Crichfield, 115 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received opened and read, and referred to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements for investigation and recommendation.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications:

Newman Music Stores, electric sign, 209 Newark Avenue.

First Wesleyan Church, alter, 104-106 Belmont Avenue.

S. Stabb, lessee, alter, 183 Newark Avenue.

The City Clerk read each notice of hearing and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against any of the above described applications. No one appeared to protest, and no written protests were received against any of the above described applications.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to the Newman Music Stores, to erect metal electric sign to extend 7 feet, 6 inches, from building line at No. 209 Newark Avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to First Wesleyan Methodist Church, to remove partitions on first floor and put in beams, cut in windows, and build closets on second and third floors of No. 104-106 Belmont Avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to S. Stabb, lessee, to remove present store front, build new plate glass store front, replace present stairs with new stairs and make other alterations in two-story frame building, No. 183 Newark

Avenue, all as shown on blue print attached to application;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From M. W. Kellogg Company, requesting permission to lay and construct pipe for transporting oil and water across the lands purchased from Jersey City, situated at Droyer's Point.

Received.

From M. W. Kellogg Company, requesting permission to lay and maintain spur track across lands and streets to be dedicated to Jersey City, situated at Droyer's Point.

Received.

AUDITING CLAIMS:

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$6.00, Fred Allen, refund.

$21.84, The Evening Journal Assn., advertising.

$367.50, James P. Hall, Inc., supplies.

$15.75, Charles F. Hansen, supplies.

$20.80, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$9.75, Union Towel Supply Company, service.

$8.28, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$8.64, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$9.12, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$24.44, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$8.88, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$3.36, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

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$7.56, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$9.36, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$23.92, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$8.28, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$9.00, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$3.24, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$9.12, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$24.44, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$8.88, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$8.64, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$8.28, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$8.52, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$9.00, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$23.40, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$8.52, Evening Journal Advertising, advertising.

$9.24, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$3.48, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$24,96, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$8.52, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$9.00, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$8.52, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$8.16, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$250.00, Flockhart Foundry Company, supplies.

$8.16, Hudson Observer, advertising.
$8.64, Hudson Observer, advertising.
$8.16, Hudson Observer, advertising.
$27.04, Hudson Observer, advertising.
$3.36, Hudson Observer, advertising.
$8.64, Hudson Observer, advertising,
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$22.36, Hudson Observer, advertising.
$8.64, Hudson Observer, advertising.
$8.16, Hudson Observer, advertising.
$8.88, Hudson Observer, advertising.
$8.76, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$22.28, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$8.40, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$3.24, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$9.12, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$8.40, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$22.88, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$8.88, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$8.52, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$3.36, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$3.12, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$9.12, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$22.36, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$8.88, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$8.40, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$8.52, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$8.16, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$10.00, Fred Allen, refund.

22.99, Boonton Automobile Garage, supplies.

$16.50, Boonton Automobile Garage, supplies.

$28.05, Adam Black, repairs.

$33.75, Chester De Puy, feed.

$77.06, James P. Hall, Inc., sand and cement.

$14.80, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$40.45, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$33.56, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$437.50, The Leadite Company, leadite.

$82.50, A. P. Smith, Mfg., Co., valves.

$8.25, The Texas Company, supplies.

$85.50, The Texas Company, gas.

$90.00, Water Works Equipment Company, leak finder.

$6.50, Joseph Weston, shoes.

$450.00, Keegan Garage, 1 Ford truck chasis.

$134.69, Keegan's Garage, supplies.

$65.00, Pease Laboratories, Inc., samples.

$218.02, The Texas Company, gasoline.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes.

$6.72, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$357.16, Gross & Gross, cost of court.

$19.11, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., supplies.

$466.00, Belle Meade Auto Sales, sedan body Ford car.

$16.70, New York Telephone Co., services.

$42.35, Albert Kuntz, oscillating fan.

$3.75, Western Union Tel. Co., clock in Law Department.

$1.85, Underwood Typewriter Co., repairs to typewriter.

$74.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$72.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$72.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$157.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$123.00, Union Printing Co, printing.

$99.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$12.35, Peter Jocham Co., repair and weld tire bracket.

$78.00, Belle Meade Auto Sales, electric starter.

$125.00, James E. Pope, rent.

$190.20, Lexington Auto Tire Co., supplies.

$4.62, MacCrellish & Quigley Co., two copies New Jersey Laws.

$10.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$150.00, Joseph Spingarn, rental for office.

$41.79, New York Telephone Co., services.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

$287.28, McConnell Coal Co., pea coal.

$196.67, McConnell Coal Co., pea coal.

$8.00, Expert Auto Tire Repair, tube repair.

$107.78, New York Telephone Co., services.

$5.50, James P. Hall, lime.

$12.50, Albert Datz, card printing.

$9.97, Herman Sethman, roof repair.

$12.00, Marcy Stove Repair Co., grate bar.

$30.00, Interstate Chemical Co., alum.

$87.50, Union Printing Co., letter heads engraved.

$22.88, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$6.00, Architectural Forum, subscription.

$4.20, H. J. Hush, cup leathers.

$12.45, John P. Landrine, cord and hasps.

85 cents, Thos. L. Higgins, grass basket.

$6.60, Thos. L. Higgins, brooms.

$21.00, Thos. L. Higgins, lawn mower.

$24.20, Thos. L. Higgins, axe, saw and rope.

$12.40, Thos. L. Higgins, tar paper.

$9.05, Thos. L. Higgins, paper and polish.

$9.55, Thos. L. Higgins, wire cloth.

$5.80, Thos. L. Higgins, scoop shovels.

$39.61, Public Service Gas Co., gas service.

98 cents, Public Service Gas Co., gas service.

$2.38, Public Service Gas Co., gas service.

56 cents, Public Service Gas Co., gas service.

$4.00, Public Service Electric Co., electric service.

$13. 70, Public Service Electric Co., electric service.

$4.30, Public Service Electric Co., electric service.

$1.00, Public Service Electric Co., electric service.

$138.50, Public Service Electric Co., electric service.

$8.90, Public Service Electric Co., electric service.

$15.80, Public Service Electric Co., electric service.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named parties, for the following amounts and purposes as hereinafter set forth:

$22.40, Garfunkel Brothers.

$14.10, Charles H. Engler Lumber Company.

$6.63, Whipple Hardware Company.

$11.94, Joseph T. Sack.

$275.00, Smith & Kelleher.

$33.08, Joseph E. Browne.

$13.60, Interstate Chemical Company.

$30.00, James Carroll.

$40.00, Philip Gogarty.

$12.05, Expert Auto Tire & Repair Company.

$21.77, Keegan's Garage.

$25.16, Keegan's Garage.

$352.76, The Peter Jocham Company.

$4.00, Boyle-Loewus Motor Company.

$10.12, S. F. Hayward & Co.

$50.95, Jersey City Storage Battery Company.

$10.82, Whipple Hardware Company.

$29.60, J. Dixon Crucible Company, grease.

$90.75, Mrs. M. Dougherty, meals for prisoners.

$19.50, T. T. Finnerty, ice.

$39.20, Garfunkle Bros., batteries.

$247.96, Gulf Refining Company, gasoline.

$477.40, Gulf Refining Company, gasoline.

$45.75, W. R. Harrison, prisoners' photos.

$84.00, Charles Hayes, horseshoeing.

$6.93, Hudson Co., Buick Co., parts.

$163.49, F. R. Lyman, wiping cloths.

$309.68, Thomas J. Murphy, tires.

$22.00, Phinotas Chemical Company, disenfectant.

$10.50, Standard Oil Company, oil.

$401.80, Whipple Hardware Company, zincs.

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$300.00, John Daly, rent Seventh Precinct.

$10.45, Expert Auto Tire Repair Company, repairs.

$10.70, C. F. Hensen, stationery.

$134.75, Mrs. M. Heitzman, meals for prisoners.

$149.16, J. Jocham Company, repairs.

$8.91, Keegan's Garage, parts.

$112.50, J. Kirkpatrick, horseshoeing.

$23.00, Benjamin Kuperman, glass.

$12.00, National Gas Governor Company, rental regulators.

$101.34, Public Service Gas Company, service.

$216.17, Public Service Electric Company, service.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following named claimants for the following amounts and purposes:

$96.20, Hamilton Meat Market, beef.

$116.62, Lewis Manufacturing Co., cotton.

$32.14, Charles F. Hansen, office supplies.

$2.58, Parke, Davis & Co., bacillus.

$11.10, Parke, Davis & Co., drugs.

$37.73, Charles F. Hansen, paper.

$6.00, Joseph T. Sack, ladles.

$46.94, Joseph H. Browne, soap powder.

$179.63, Hamilton Meat Market, beef.

$246.71, P. Loffredo & Bro., lamb.

$41.45, Joseph H. Browne, paper bags.

$59.68, W. H. Walthery, meats.

$308.26, General Baking Co., bread.

$17.73, William C. Hagen, fowl.

$177.55, D. C. Markus, lamb.

$27.68, William C. Hagen, fowl.

$195.69, Hamilton Meat Market, beef.

$203.57, P. Loffredo & Bro., meats.

$190.84, Hamilton Meat Market, beef.

$116.98, P. Loffredo & Bro., meats.

$153.20, Henry J. McDermott, ice.

$3.00, Whipple Hardware Co., shovel.

$160.50, American Disinfecting Co., apparatus.

$276.82, Frederick Bugasch, insurance.

$13.06, John P. Landrine, miscellaneous supplies.

$14.50, J. W. Greene, Inc., chair.

$78.30, E. Machlett & Son., &tubes

$8.50, Charles F. Hansen, office supplies.

$8.85, McCloskey Drug Co., drugs, etc.

$20.58, Albert Datz Co., printing.

$143.04, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

$9.20, Joseph Dixon Crucible Co., brushes.

$341.51, Pettit & Reed, butter.

$15.00, Nash Sales Corp., storage.

$150.00, N. J. Window Cleaning Co., cleaning windows.

$125.84, Joseph T. Sack, utensils, etc.

$10.50, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., tube repairs.

$92.65, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., tubes.

$30.00, Standard Oxygen Co., oxygen.

$9.50, Hudson Surgical Co., apparatus repaired.

$118.48, Pettit & Reed, butter.

$195.65, New York Telephone Co., serive.

$18.05, Charles F. Hansen, office supplies.

$29.00, Lewis Max, glass.

$9.00, John J. Mooney, alcohol.

$4.68, E. Walters, ham.

$39.72, Hamilton Meat Market, meats.

$7.43, Whipple Hardware Co., hardware.

$45.52, J. V. Calley, vegetables, etc.

$13.52, Joseph T. Sack, supplies.

$81.71, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$28.80, Meinecke Co., tape, etc.

$60.60, Charles V. Finch, ice.

$5.30, Department of Commerce, tests.

$21.20, Thomas Finnerty, ice.

$1.25, Dobke Typewriter Exchange, repairing typewriter.

$47.00, A. Ziperstein, drugs.

$20.00, Alex. Scott, auto storage.

$21.40, John Gorman, ice.

50 cents, James J. Hagan, postage stamps.

$21.40, Thomas Sheridan, ice.

$300.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$15.00, Albert E. Pellinger, stress charts.

$2.45, Morris Motor Car Company, auto repairs.

$6.50, D. Pollio, oranges.

$33.06, W. H. Walthery, meats.

$232.58, Keystone Dairy Company, milk and cream.

$77.17, Ammon & Person, butter.

$8.48, I. Britten, fish.

$3.63, William Bill, meat.

$27.45, Colgate & Co., soap.

$98.49, William Bill, fruits and vegetables.

$10.50, Jewett Pharmacy, cotton.

$3.17, Charles F. Hansen, office supplies.

$163.32, William C. Hagen, meats.

$45.90, Swift & Co., tongues.

$116.10, William Bill, groceries.

$227.47, D. C. Markus, beef.

$25.30, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$95.55, William Bill, groceries.

$247.05, General Baking Co., bread.

$66.65, Valvoline Oil Co., oil.

$452.41, Lewis Manufacturing Company, bandages, etc.

$25.00, Eimer & Amend, chemicals.

$61.40, Hanna & Eisman, vegetables, etc.

$40.00, Benjamin Kuperman, automobile repairs.

$203.90, Morris Weisman, butter and eggs.

$250.73, Public Service Gas Company, service.

$102.13, Mountain Ice Co., ice.

$280.71, Morris Weisman, butter.

$8.85, Public Service Electric Company, power.

$237.40, Morris Weisman, eggs.

$25.00, George J. Boland, auto repairs.

$100.41, Blakeslee-Cadillac Company, auto repairs.

$103.38, Mountain Ice Co., ice.

$273.47, L. L. Croner, sugar.

$21.00, Holland Butterine Company, oleomargarine.

$332.30, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$28.80, Parke, Davis & Co., valerinate.

$279.30, Morris Weisman, eggs.

$13.83, W. H. Walthery, bacon.

$307.56, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$213.00, Morris Weisman, butter.

$290.47, Morris Weisman, eggs.

$316.79, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$368.87, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$135.87, Hamilton Meat Market, beef.

$23.09, W. H. Walthery, ham.

$3.95, John F. Crosby, onions.

$10.45, McCloskey Drug Company, apparatus.

$29.40, Whipple Hardware Company, soup plates.

$195.51, Morris Weisman, eggs.

$33.00, L. L. Croner, groceries.

$239.37, Lewis Manufacturing Company, bandages.

$73.68, American Oil & Supply Company, soda.

$24.05, Mallinkrodt Chemical Works, chemicals.

$31.60, D. E. Clery Company, groceries.

$74.97, Otto Wilkens, drugs, etc.

$34.63, D. E. Cleary Company, groceries.

$55.95, L. D. Croner, groceries.

$44.71, General Baking Company, bread.

$16.35, New York Telephone Company, service.

$37.60, E. Walter, meats.

$9.82, Hudson Surgical Company, apparatus.

$15.36, Johnson & Johnson, bandage.

$122.25, Ganz & Goodman, dry goods.

$3.80, W. H. Holmes, coffee.

$21.56, Adolph Koment, Inc., bread.

$26.70, William C. Hagen, meats.

$95.48, D. C. Markus, meats.

$111.08, William Bill, vegetables, etc.

$45.70, Henry McDermott, ice.

$11.96, Public Service Gas Company, gas.

$41.50, Public Service Electric Company, light.

$24.55, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$96.41, Jerome O'Keefe, flannel.

$2.10, Public Service Electric Company, light.

$376.50, A. McDonough, groceries.

$41.23, J. Decker, milk.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

PAYROLLS.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached payrolls, for the amounts set opposite their names, being for services rendered during the periods specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS.

From Commissioner Fagen, advising the Board that the Pennsylvania Railroad Company had filed with him a plan for replacing Tonnele Avenue Bridge over the Pennsylvania Railroad cut at Marion, revised to meet the objections of the Chief Engineer of the Dept. of Streets and Public Improvements, namely to increase the width of the bridge from 35 feet 6 inches to 50 feet and also provide a water pipe line, and recommending that in view of the proposed improvement of Tonnele Avenue from the Boulevard to Newark Avenue, that permission be granted to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to make the change.

Received.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the contract for the furnishing and delivering of a Federal Truck Chassis, with all the necessary attachments and equipments, be and is hereby awarded to Morris Motor Car Company at the price named in its bid, namely, three thousand three hundred twenty dollars and eighty-eight cents, ($3,320.88) there being no lower bidder; and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby requested and directed to have prepared and executed a contract upon the part of the City for said chassis, when the bidder shall have furnished the security required, and the bond shall have been approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, On the 13th' day of April, 1920, a hearing was held in the matter of the construction of an 18 inch vitrified pipe sewer in Summit Avenue from a point 20 feet south of Cottage Street, also Sip Avenue from a point 50 feet west of Summit Avenue to the westerly line of Jones Street; and

Whereas, At said hearing several objections were presented; and

Whereas, Said objections, in the opinion of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, are well founded; therefore be it

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of said Director all proceedings heretofore taken in the matter of construction of an 18 in vitrified pipe sewer in Summit Avenue from a point 20 feet south of Cottage Street, also Sip Avenue from a point 50 feet west of Summit Avenue to the westerly block line of Jones Street, be and are hereby reconsidered and rescinded, and that all further proceedings on basis of said petition cease.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements the findings as shown on report of the Water Assessor for month of August, 1920, presented to this Commission at its meeting held this day, be and are hereby confirmed and the said officer be and is hereby authorized to make such charges on his books:

Additions to reg. water, $302.45.

Cancellation to reg. water, $78.15.

Cancellation to metered water $117.90.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commsisioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the work under contract No. 2,293, for the paving of Hutton Street, from Liberty Avenue to Hudson Boulevard with bituminous concrete pavement, by W. T. S. Crichfield, Contractor, be and the same is hereby accepted as completed and the Chief Engineer be, and he is hereby directed to file with the Commissioners of Assessment, a statement showing the entire cost of said improvement, and that thereupon the said Commissioners of Assessment shall proceed to make a proper assessment on any lands or real estate that may have been benefitted or increased in value by such improvement, conformably to the provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the report of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, upon the application of the Pennsylvania Railroad

Company, for the approval of plan No. 14,824 August 1916, revised July, 1920 (water main) for replacing of Tonnele Avenue Overhead Bridge at Marion, be approved; and be it

Further Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the said Director, permission be and is hereby given to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company to replace the bridge at Tonnele Avenue, in accordance with the plan referred to in said report, provided, however, that the said railroad company shall not close more than one-half of the street to vehicular or pedestrian traffic while said renewal is taking place, and further provided, that all work is done in connection therewith, under the direction and supervision of the authorized agent of the Director of the Department of Streets.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements be and are hereby requested to sign, and the City Clerk to attest, an agreement between the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, a municipal corporation of the State of New Jersey, party of the first part, hereinafter called "the City", and F. Wm. Barthmann and Henry C. Barthmann of Nutley, New Jersey, and Brighton Mills, a New Jersey corporation parties of the second part.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City did adopt a resolution at the meeting held March 23, 1920, authorizing the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and the Law Department to acquire by condemnation or purchase the lands lying at Jersey Avenue and Maxwell Street, in the City of Jersey City, for the purpose of establishing a permanent public market for the benefit of the people of Jersey City; and

Whereas, Said lands have been acquired and are now the property of the City of Jersey City; therefore be it

Resolved, That Christian Ziegler, be and he is hereby engaged as Architect to draw plans and specifications for the erection of the permanent public market at Jersey Avenue and Maxwell Streets, Jersey City;

Further Resolved, That the compensation of said Christian Ziegler be and the same is hereby fixed at six (6) per cent of the total cost of the work, to be paid him as follows: One half on completion of plans; one quarter when roof is on; one quarter when work is completed and accepted.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and requested to fix a date for public hearing as required by law on the application filed with the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City by M. W. Kellogg Company for permission to construct and lay spur track across street to be dedicated and laid out by Jersey City situated at Droyers Point.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and requested to fix a date for public hearing as required by law, on the application filed with the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City by M. W. Kellogg Company for permission to lay and maintain pipes for transporting oil and water across street to be dedicated and laid out by Jersey City situated at Droyers' Point.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The following named persons, clerks in the Tax Bureau, Department of Revenue and Finance have passed promotion examinations and are eligible for appointment at salaries ranging from $1,800 to $3,000 per annum; therefore be it

Resolved, That John F. Spring, Daniel F. Gallagher, Edward C. Kiernan, Michael J. Rochford, Herman Gluckman and Robert Ambry are hereby appointed as clerks in the Tax Bureau, each at a salary of $2,100, per annum, payable in equal semi monthly installments, to take effect September 15, 1920; and be it

Further Resolved, That Clarence R. Miller be and he is hereby appointed as Clerk in the Tax Bureau at a salary of $2,500, per annum, payable in equal semi-monthly installments, to take effect September 15, 1920; and be it

Further Resolved, That Edward J. Holland and Joseph E. Colford are hereby appointed as clerks in the Tax Bureau, each at a salary of $3,000 per annum, payable in equal semi-monthly installments to take effect September 15, 1920

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, Miss Evelyn O'Keefe, has been certified by the Civil Service Commission for the position of Senior Clerk Stenographer in the Department of Revenue and Finance, therefore be it

Resolved, That Miss Evelyn O'Keefe, is hereby appointed Senior Clerk Stenographer in the Department of Revenue and Finance, at an annual salary of fifteen hundred dollars ($1,500), payable in semi-monthly installments, this resolution to take effect immediately

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, There was issued out of the New Jersey Supreme Court on August 18, 1920, an alternative writ of mandamus directed to Jersey City and the members of this board on behalf of Robert A. Ambrey, Clerk in the Tax Department of this city, and directing, after the receipt of said writ, that the said Ambry be put on the payroll of the aforesaid Tax Department at the maximum salary paid to other clerks in the Tax Department of said City and pay to him the sum of $1,016.65, or such other sum as is the difference between the salary said Robert A. Ambry received from May 1, 1918, to the date of said writ and the salary which he would have received if the statutes and rules of the Civil Service Commission referred to in said writ had been complied with and had given to the said Robert A. Ambry the preference to which he claims to have been entitled, and pay to him the highest salary that has been paid during said period of time to other clerks in said Department, or that cause should be shown by this board to the contrary; and

Whereas, This Board has been advised by the Corporation Counsel that said writ and the directions therein contained should be complied with insofar as the placing of Robert A. Ambry on the same standard or basis of other clerks in the said Tax Department is concerned, but that the said Ambry is not entitled to receive the maximum salary of any clerk in such department, and that the said Ambry is entitled to receive the difference in amount between what was actually paid him and what was the general or average salary paid to clerks in such department from May 1, 1918, to September 15, 1920; therefore be it

Resolved, That warrant be ordered drawn in the sum of one thousand two hundred sixty and 41-100 dollars ($1,260.41), which represents the difference in salary so paid the said Robert A. Ambry from May 1, 1918, to September 15, 1920, and what would have been due him had he been receiving the same salary paid to other general clerks in such department;

Further Resolved, That the said Robert A. Ambry be and he hereby is ordered placed on the salary basis of tweny-one hundred dollars per annum, payable in equal semi-monthly installments from and after the fifteenth day of September, 1920;

Further Resolved, That the warrant hereinabove ordered drawn be drawn to the order of John Warren, attorney for the said Robert A. Ambry.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Joseph B. Harris & Son of Jersey City have applied for a lease of one acre of ground in the South Cove; be it

Resolved, That one acre of ground be leased to the said Joseph B. Harris & Son at three cents per square foot, for $1,306.80 per year, and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized to execute the attached contracts, which provide for a year's lease at $1,306.80 per year with ninety day revocable clause.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, The Hudson Material Company has been given a lease for a temporary period on property at Howell Street, for conducting a Builders' Material Yard and in connection therewith it is necessary for them to build an office building and a cement shed; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Hudson Material Company be and are hereby granted permission to errect a frame office building and a frame cement shed, as per plans filed with the Building Department, and the Building Inspector be and he is hereby authorized to issue the necessary permit.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That contract for painting fence, etc. at Pershing Field be and the same is hereby awarded to J. I. Hass, Inc., at the price named in their bid, $1,910, theirs being the lowest responsible bid; and be it

Further Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby directed to have the proper contract executed.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, The M. W. Kellogg Company desire to reclaim certain portions of their property at Droyer's Point, by dredging in Newark Bay; and

Whereas, On August 10, 1920, a resolution was passed by this Board granting permission to the M. W. Kellogg Company to dredge an area of 1,200 feet by 450 feet to a depth of eight feet below mean low water, in that portion of Newark Bay comprehended in the riparian rights owned by Jersey City and to place the dredged material upon the property of the M. W. Kellogg Company, the said Company to provide necessary bulkhead, all as indicated on the attached print; and

Whereas, It appears that the present depth of water in the area indicated, is already approximately eight feet it is necessary to grant permission to dredge to a depth of sixteen feet below mean low water; therefore be it

Resolved, That the permission granted in the resolution above referred to be and is hereby extended to sixteen feet below mean low water.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That the specifications presented by the Director of the Department of Public Safety, for furnishing and delivering one seven-passenger automobile to the Department of Public Safety, be and the same are hereby approved and ordered filed, and the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That the act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey being known as "An Act to enable Cities to regulate and limit the height and bulk of buildings, to regulate and determine the area of yards, courts and other spaces, and to regulate and restrict the location of buildings for trades or industries," approved April 20, 1920, being Chapter 229 of the Laws of 1920, be submitted to the voters of Jersey City, on the official ballot to be used at the General Election, on the second day of November, 1920;

Further Resolved, That such notice of the passage of this resolution and of the intention to submit such question at the said election shall be given by the publication of a copy of this resolution in the Jersey Journal and Hudson Observer at least once a week for four successive weeks;

Further Resolved, That the City Clerk be directed to notify the County Clerk of Hudson County to place upon the ballot in the place designated on said ballot for the printing of public questions to be voted upon, the following words:

"PUBLIC QUESTIONS TO BE VOTED UPON."

To vote upon the Public Questions printed below, if in favor thereof mark a cross (X) or plus (+) in the square at the left of the word YES, and if opposed thereto mark a cross (X) or plus (+) in the square at the left of the word NO.

☐ YES	Shall an act entitled: "An Act to enable Cities to regulate and limit the height and bulk of buildings, to regulate and determine the area of yards, courts and other spaces and to regulate and restrict the location of buildings for trades or industries" approved April 20, 1920, being Chapter 229 of the Laws of 1920, be adopted?
☐ NO	

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That J. Harry Ertle be and he is hereby appointed City Marshal at an annual salary of $2,500.00 to be paid in equal semi-monthly instalments, said appointment to take effect September 1st, 1920. This appointment is made in conformity with the Charter of 1871, Pamphlet Laws of 1871, Section 26, in page 1094, and to fill the unexpired term until the third day of May, 1921.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, Rounds Sergeant Dennis Mullins, has made application to be retired; and

Whereas, under the law he is qualified to be retire having served more than twenty years and having passed the age of fifty years; therefore be it

Resolved, that Rounds Sergeant Dennis Mullins be retired upon half pay to take effect Sept. 15, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, Patrolman Michael Dundon, Seventh Precinct, has made aplication to be retired; and

Whereas, Under the law he is qualfied to be retired having served more than twenty years; therefore be it

Resolved, That Patrolman Michael Dundon be retired upon half pay to take effect Sept. 30, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioner Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nayes: None.

On motion of Commissioner Moore the Board adjourned.

Approved.

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
CHARLES F. X. O'BRIEN,
Commissioners.

FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF SEPTEMBER 21, 1920

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, September 21st, 1920, at 2 P. M.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

RECEPTION OF BIDS

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for repaving Tonnele Avenue from the Boulevard to Newark Avenue, the City Clerk called for bids with the following result:

1. Uvalde Contg. Co., 117% of standard, with surety company bond.
2. W. T. S. Critchfield, 112 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received, opened and read and referred to the Director of the Dept. of Streets and Public Improvements for investigation and recommendation.

FRANCHISE HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the application of the Vulcan Iron Works, Ins., for permission to construct and maintain a railroad track or siding along Hudson Street and into their property, the City Clerk read the public notice of hearing, and then called for anyone who might desire to be heard in the matter.

A written protest was received by the Board from the Lembeck & Betz Eagle Brewing Co., in which they stated that they owned property at the southwesterly corner of Hudson and Essex Streets now occupied as dwellings; that the Vulcan Iron Works is already served by three railroad tracks running into their property; that if the new track is constructed, the Lembeck & Betz property would be entirely surrounded by railroad tracks so as to completely isolate this property and the value of the present buildings as residences would be destroyed; that the Vulcan Iron Works can secure ample trackage facilities by the extensions of their present tracks running into their plant.

Counsellor D. Eugene Blankenhorn appeared in behalf of the Lembeck & Betz Company and reiterated the facts stated in the written protest.

Commissioner Fagen advised Mr. Blankenhorn that eventually the property in that section now utilized as residences, will be converted into industrial purposes and trackage facilities would benefit such property.

Counsellor Joseph Autenreith appeared with Mr. Schwartz, Engineer of the Vulcan Iron Works. Mr. Schwartz stated that his company had made an offer to Mr. Blankenhorn that they would permit the Lembeck & Betz Company to connect with the proposed spur track and that his offer had not been accepted. Counsellor Blankenhorn stated that he had not received any such offer and that the only facts he was acquainted with, was what he had learned from the newspapers.

The Board discussed the matter at length and in conclusion Commissioner Fagen suggested that the matter be continued until Monday, Sept. 27th, 1920, and that in the meantime counsel for both sides should prepare an ordinance which would meet with the approval of both which ordinances can be taken up at said time.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, that the hearing on the application of the Vulcan Iron Works, Inc., for permission to contsruct and maintain a railroad track or siding along Hudson Street and into their property, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to Monday, September 27th, 1920, at 2 P. M. in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

This time and place having been advertised as required by law, for public hearing in the matter of the vacation of Eleventh Street from Provost Street to Monmouth Street and Provost Street from a point approximately one hundred feet north of the northerly line of 11th Street, the City Clerk read the public notice and then called for anyone who might desire to be heard in the matter.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Drum, Mrs. Clarke, Mr. Tumulty, Mr. Ditmar and Counsellor Louis Eichenbaum representing several property owners on Twelfth Street, appeared before the Board. They stated that the Erie Railroad Company had not made any offers to them for their property and requested the Board to advise them what action would be taken.

The Mayor advised the property owners present, that the matter will be held open until the Erie Railroad Company makes some effort to satisfy the property owners on 12th Street, and that if such action is not taken 11th Street will not be vacated. He also requested the people not to demand any unreasonable prices for their property but to accept a fair profit, because this proposed improvement means much to Jersey City and nothing should stand in the way.

No one appeared to represent the Tunnel Commission and no written communications were received from them.

The Mayor suggested that the City Clerk advise the Tunnel Commission what action had been taken today and also that the hearing be continued for a period of two weeks.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the hearing in the matter of the vacation of Eleventh Street and Provost Street in connection with the widening of Twelfth Street for the proposed entrance and exit for Vehicular Hudson River Tunnel, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued for a period of two weeks, to Tuesday, October 5th, 1920, at 2 P. M. in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, and further

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and directed to notify the Interstate Tunnel Commission as to what action the Board took today regarding the matter.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PETITION AND COMMUNICATION.

From C. Rubino, requesting permission to erect electric sign at 685 Summit Avenue.

Received.

From George Schmitt, requesting permission to alter basement and erect garage therein at No. 183 Hutton Street.

Received and referred to Commissioner Fagen for investigation and recommendation.

From Property Owners on Hancock Avenue between Hutton and Griffith Streets, protesting against the proposed erection of a garage at No. 56 Hancock Avenue.

Received and referred to Commissioner Fagen for investigation and recommendation.

From Albert L. Quinn Post, American Legion, submitting resolution adopted by them thanking the Board for furnishing a football field for their use at Bergen Avenue and Stegman Street.

Received and referred to Commissioner Moore.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$315.68, American Creosoting Co., supplies.

$729.41, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$747.42, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$48.65, Louis Frey, blue prints.

$29.00, Charles Hayes, horseshoeing.

$19.76, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$5.65 New York Telephone Co., service.

$10.65 New York Telephone Co., service.

$2.50, New York Telephone Co., service.

$1,643.92 Public Service Gas Co., service.

$12,745.04, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$35.60, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$2.24, Public Service Gas Co., service.

$8.25, W. H. Stewart, supplies.

$220.00, Stillman & Van Siclen Chemical Co.

$200.00, Stillman & Van Siclen Chemical Co.

$69.00, Union Printing Company, supplies.

$82.50, Union Printing Company, supplies.

$65.50, J. H. Walton, horseshoeing.

$21.92, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$75.00, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$315.68, American Creosoting Company, supplies.

$7.92, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$70.00, Stillman & Van Siclen Chemical Co.

$366.02, Auto Economic Co., supplies.

$4.29, Boonton Auto Garage Co., gasoline.

$8.75, L. Clark, repairs.

$3.42, E. B. Dawson Company, supplies.

$7.20, Louis Frey, blue prints.

$250.52, Keegan's Garage, supplies.

$7.50, Lewis Max & Sons, supplies.

$46.45, Pennsylvania Salt Mfg. Co., supplies.

$1.90, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$300.00, Palace Garage, supplies.

$148.00, Union Printing Company, supplies.

$301.88, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., supplies.

$13.194.00, East Jersey Water Company, emergency supply.

$21.25, Union Printing Co., supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

$315.39, Cyclone Fence Co., back stop.

$1.80, New York Telephone Co., telephone service.

$9.70, Otis Elevator Co., lubricant.

$10.00, Benj. Kuperman, windows reputtied.

$1.25, Dobke Typewriter Exchange, repairing.

$12.50, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$5.00, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$15.00, Public Service Electric Co., electric service.

$14.28, New York Telephone Co., telephone service.

$1.26, Public Service Gas Co., gas service.

$21.84, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$79.38, Washburn Bros., pipe.

$6.00, James P. Hall, sand.

$2.50, Edward Ehrbar, mower parts.

$8.23, New York Telephone Co., telephone service.

$2.50, New York Telephone Co., telephone service.

$29.70, James P. Hall, brick and clay.

$38.74, James P. Hall, cement and pipe.

$307.81, McConnell Coal Co., coal.

$36.40, New York Telephone Co., telephone service.

$11.40, W. L. Ellis, paper.

$48.00, Max Sash & Door Co., sashes.

$147.84, Murphy Bros., auto tires.

$88.15, James P. Hall, brick and lath.

$18.90, Patton Paint Co., half barrel of leptyne.

$73.25, Patton Paint Co., half barrel of velumina.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

September 21, 1920.

By Director O'Brien:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named for the following amounts and purposes:

Police:

$18.50, C. L. Cast, insurance.

$24.85, Expert Auto Tire Repair Company, repairs.

$263.65, Gulf Refining Company, gasoline 5th Precinct.

$9.65, C. F. Hansen, stationery.

$230.34, P. Joacham Company, repairs.

$22.00, Marasca Safe Company, opening safe.

$33.00, Phintas Chemical Company, disinfectant.

$43.51, J. T. Sack, supplies.

$45.90, J. J. Tonnele, tire adjustment.

$0.80, Whipple Hardware Company, twine.

$108.78, Public Service Gas Company.

$4.00, Public Service Electric Company.

$26.79, Public Service Electric Company.

$3.00, Public Service Electric Company.

$91.00, Public Service Electric Company.

$32.30, New York Telephone Company.

$200.00, American-La France Fire Engine Company.

$12.00, United States Rubber Co.

$23.60, Garfunkel Brothers.

$42.00, Oscar L. Hordine.

$116.00, William McKittrick.

$67.50, John Kirkpatrick.

$2.00, Richard Stanton.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

PAY ROLLS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the the attached pay rolls for the amount set opposite their names, being for services rendered at the Boonton water plant for the periods specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, There was on the 13th day of March, 1919, a contract entered into between the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City and Joseph L. Sigretto & Co., a corporation of the State of New York, to furnish all the material and do all the work necessary for the construction and laying of 72-inch steel water pipe under the Hackensack and Passaic rivers, in Hudson County, New Jersey, and provisions of the specifications and addenda attached to said contract provides that five per cent. (5%) of the value of the entire work be retained for a period of twelve months after the acceptance of the work by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements and the City and that final payment thereof to be made within thirty (30) days after the expiration of said twelve (12) months; provided the pipes, joints, valves, etc., shall at that time be in good condition; and provided further that any defects which may develop shall have been remedied, that the City may, upon the certification of the Engineer, and approved by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, that the terms of the contract have been complied with, will pay the whole of the sum retained, or such part thereof as may remain after the expense of making repairs in the manner aforesaid shall have been paid therefrom; and

Whereas, Said contractor has requested that he be permitted to substitute for the five per cent. (5%) of the value of the contract, a maintenance bond of the National Surety Company in the full amount of the percentage so retained; and

Whereas, The Corporation Counsel, to whom the request was referred, has given his opinion that while the contract provides for the retaining by the City of five per cent. (5%) he can see no legal or business objection to the substitution; therefore be it

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, that the bond filed by said Joseph L. Sigretto & Co., this day in the sum of thirty-two thousand dollars ($32,000.00), representing the five per cent. (5%) retained on account of said contract, which bond bears the approval of the Corporation Counsel, be received and ordered filed with the City Clerk; and be it

Further resolved, That the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements be and he is hereby requested to file with this Board for adoption an estimate in the sum of thirty-one thousand nine hundred twelve dollars and forty-three cents ($31,912.43) in favor of Joseph L. Sigretto & Co.; and be it

Further Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be certified to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, and the City Comptroller.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, contract for regulating and repaving on present stone and concrete foundation the roadway of Communipaw Avenue, between Morris Canal and the easterly line of Suydam Avenue with asphalt pavement, excluding such portion as lies between the tracks and that portion now paved with asphalt blocks; also the portion outside of rails for a width of six (6) inches, which shall be paved with wooden blocks, be and the same is hereby awarded to W. T. S. Crichfield at the price named in his proposal, namely, one hundred fifteen per cent. of the standard, his being the lowest bid received, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks, for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer, and approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form, for the repaving of Terrace Avenue, from Zabriskie Street to Lincoln Street, with bituminous concrete on concrete foundation, be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed, and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications prepared by the Assistant Chief Engineer, and approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, for the improvement of Stegman Street, between Bergen Avenue and Hudson Boulevard with sheet asphalt on concrete foundation, be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed, and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, contract for furnishing and delivering fifteen (15) tons each water gate boxes and covers, and sewer manhole frames and covers, be and the same is hereby awarded to Fagan Iron Works at the price named in their proposal, namely, nine and three quarter cents per pound ($0.09¾), there being no lower bid; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, In anticipation of the receipt of taxes to be levied or of taxes levied and not delinquent, this municipality may borrow and have obligations outstanding to provide such moneys as may be necessary to meet its lawful expenditures under the appropriations for the year for which such taxes are levied or are to be levied, to wit, the fiscal year 1920; therefore be it

Resolved, That in pursuance of Chapter 192, P. L., 1917, approved March 28, 1917, and Chapter 242, P. L., 1918, approved March 4, 1918, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do and they hereby authorize and direct that Tax Anticipation Notes of the City of Jersey City be issued to the amount of $180,000,000 bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum, payable at maturity; said Notes to be dated September 22, 1920, to become due and payable December 31, 1920, or sooner if called by the City, and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, Miss Mary B. Lally has been certified by the Civil Service Commission for the position of Clerk Stenographer in the Department of Revenue and Finance; therefore be it

Resolved, That Miss Lally be and she is hereby appointed Clerk Stenographer in the Bureau of Control, Department of Revenue and Finance, at an annual salary of Fifteen Hundred ($1,500) Dollars, payable in equal semi-monthly installments. This resolution to take effect October 1, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, Under the provisions of Chapter 349, P. L., 1920, it is made the duty of the City Clerk to furnish and provide the ballots to be voted and cast at the Primary Election to be held in this City, and, further, to mail to each of the registered voters at a stated time prior to the Primary Election a sample copy of the official ballot for the information and guidance of the voters, and it is further made the duty of the City Clerk to provide sufficient number of booths in each election district so that the people of the City may conveniently and expeditiously cast their votes at said Primary Election, and also at the General Election; and

Whereas, Owing to the shortness of time elapsing between the date when petitions for nominations are to be filed and finally adjudicated upon the event of objections thereto and the date of the Primary Election, it is impossible for the City Clerk to advertise and receive bids for the furnishing of such ballots so to be mailed; and

Whereas, It is not known by him until shortly before Primary Day how many envelopes will be required and information is not available as to the number of booths required until after the registration is completed;

Therefore, be it Resolved, That in the opinion of this Board, an emergency exists within the meaning of the law with respect to the purchasing or acquiring of said ballots, stamped envelopes and booths, and any other paraphernalia necessarily incident to the carrying on of said Primary Election or necessarily incident to the General Election, required furnished by the City Clerk; and be it further

Resolved, That there be appropriated the sum of Twenty-seven Thousand Dollars ($27,000), to defray the expenses of the City Clerk in connection with furnishing the materials required by the Election Law, and the City Clerk be and he hereby is authorized to purchase such materials and supplies at and for the best price for which they may be obtainable.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners on August 24, 1920, for the furnishing and delivering of trees and shrubs for the Department of Parks and Public Property; and

Whereas, Hartung Bros. bid low on the items as per annexed list; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for the furnishing and delivering of trees and shubs as per annexed list, be and is hereby awarded to Hartung Bros. at the price named in their bid, and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for the same.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks, for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners on August 24, 1920, for the furnishing and delivering of trees and shrubs for the Department of Parks and Public Property; and

Whereas, William Gotthardt bid low on the items as per annexed list; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for the furnishing and delivering of trees and shrubs as per annexed list, be and is hereby awarded to Wm. Gotthardt, at the price named in his bid, and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for the same.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks, for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Bids were received on August 31, 1920, by the Board of Commissioners, for the furnishing and installation of one new low pressure steam boiler in No. 5 Fire Engine Building, located at 278 Sixth Street, Jersey City; and

Whereas, The bid of S. J. Crawford Company was the only bid received; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for the furnishing and installing of a new low pressure steam boiler in No. 5 Engine Building, be and is hereby awarded to the S. J. Crawford Company, at the price named in their bid and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for the same.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks, for the purpose of public inspection.

Resolution by Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, The Director of Parks and Public Property has reported to this board that the pump in the engine room of the City Hall, operating the elevators has been in constant use since the hall was constructed, and has been repaired so many times that it has now become useless, and a new pump will have to be installed to keep the elevators running, now therefore be it

Resolved, That pursuant to Chapter 319, P. L. 1920, approved April 20, 1920, this board does declare an emergency to exist and the exigency of the public service will not admit of advertising for bids to install a new pump, and be it further

Resolved, That the Directors of Parks and Public Property be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to purchase forthwith and have installed in the engine room of the City Hall, and without advertising and receiving proposals for same, and at the approximate sum of $2,500, one (1) 14 x 12 Worthington pump, fully brass lined and fitted, turret type with air chamber, Ford automatic governor, Detroit 1 quart lubricator.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, The following named

patrolmen have tendered their resignations as members of the Jersey City Police Department: Carmine Priore, Fred Hauser, A. J. Morrisey, Frank Lynch, Fred Nolting, Frank Plain, James Devlin, Raymond Stanton, Timothy Clossey, Michael McGreevy, David Newkirk, Lawrence Smith and John V. McCabe; therefore be it,

Resolved, That the resignations of the above named men be and the same are hereby accepted, effective from this date.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, There was appointed some two years ago a By-State Commission known as the New York and New Jersey Port Development Commission, whose duty it was to prepare a development plan for the entire area included within the Port of New York; and

Whereas, This Commission as a part of their program for the development of this Port Area have prepared and presented to the Legislatures of New York and New Jersey a so-called Port Treaty Bill, creating a Port Authority to carry out the development they have planned; and

Whereas, This Port Treaty Bill passed the last session of the New Jersey Legislature and was subsequently vetoed by the Governor on the grounds that a plan for the development of the port should be submitted by the commission prior to the granting of any authority to carry out this plan; and

Whereas, At the hearing on this bill in the Governor's office in which its passage was opposed by the City of Jersey City, through its harbor engineer, Mr. Fred Dunham, the members of the By-State Commission assured the Governor that their plans would be ready for publication on July 1; and

Whereas, It is now nearly October 1 and despite repeated requests by the Jersey City Chamber of Commerce and the Jersey City Development Plan Board of Engineers the Engineering Staff of the By-State Commission have still refused to make public their findings; and

Whereas, This matter of a port treaty is of the utmost importance to the public of Jersey City and particularly to the business interests of the city since the ultimate carrying out of any port improvements must materially affect this city; and

Whereas, The so-called Port Treaty Bills will undoubtedly again be an issue in the next session of the Legislature; therefore

Resolved, That the Jersey City Chamber of Commerce representing the commercial and industrial interests of Jersey City respectfully petition the Honorable Board of City Commissioners of Jersey City to request the Governor of New Jersey to call upon the New Jersey members of the By-State Commission for an immediate report, so that the citizens of Jersey City may have an opportunity to study the development plans as they affect this city prior to the next session of the Legislature.

In connection with the foregoing resolution, Corporation Counsel Milton advised the Board that he was in Trenton on Monday, conferring with the Riparian Commission, and during his stay, he met Mr. Smith, President of the Port Development Commission, and asked him for a copy of the report on the development plan within the Port of New York, affecting New Jersey and New Jersey, and that Mr. Smith advised him that the report was prepared and is now in the hands of the printer, who is preparing proofs, and that in the course of two or three weeks the report will be ready for distribution.

Mr. Willard Stanton, Manager of the Jersey City Chamber of Commerce, appeared and advised the Board that information similar to that given to Mr. Milton was given to the Chamber of Commerce some time ago at which time they were informed that they would receive a copy of the report by August 1st, and this report has not been received to date. He stated that the engineers of the Chamber of Commerce are desirous of making a study of the report and must have a copy very soon. He suggested that the engineers would be able to use a typewritten copy instead of waiting for the printed copies.

Commissioner Fagen stated that this matter was important, as it may become an issue in the coming election for legislators.

In view of the statement made by Mr. Stanton, Mr. Milton agreed that the resolution should be adopted.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the foregoing resolution was read and adopted by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, The next regular meeting day of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City is Tuesday, September 28, 1920, on which day the Primary Elections are conducted; therefore be it

Resolved, That the next regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, be held on Monday, September 27, 1920, for the purpose of transacting routine City business.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner O'Brien the Board adjourned.

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
CHARLES F. X. O'BRIEN,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commisioners.

Approved,
FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF SEPTEMBER 27, 1920

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Monday, September 27, 1920, at 2 P. M.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

FRANCHISE HEARINGS:

This time and place having been advertised as required by law, for public hearing on the following described applications for franchise privileges:

M. W. Kellogg Co., permission to lay pipe lines across Droyer's Point property, which is owned by Jersey City.

M. W. Kellogg Co., permission to lay and maintain spur track across Droyer's Point property, which is owned by Jersey City.

The City Clerk read the public notice of hearing on each application, and then called for anyone who might desire to be heard either in favor of or against the applications above described:

Mr. M. W. Kellogg appeared before the Board and stated that the pipe lines and spur track are necessary for the development of their manufacturing plant, to be erected at Droyer's Point; that the improvements will not cause any expense to the City; but will be advantageous to the City.

No protests were received in writing and no one appeared to protest.

By Commissioner Moore:

Introducing an ordinance, entitled "An ordinance for the relief of the M. W. Kellogg Company in the laying and construction of pipe lines under and across certain lands owned by Jersey City, situated at Droyer's Point."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks, for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore:

Introducing "An ordinance for the relief of the M. W. Kellogg Company in the laying and maintaining of a spur track across property owned by Jersey City, situated at Droyer's Point."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks, for the purpose of public inspection.

This time and place having been advertised as required by law for public hearing on the application of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company for permission to construct, lay and maintain a railroad track across certain lands owned by Jersey City, situated in the vicinity of Droyer's Point, the City Clerk read the public notice of hearing and then called for anyone who might desire to be heard either in favor or against the application.

Counsellor Bayne, and Mr. E. H. Boles appeared for the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, and requested the Board to grant the permission requested, stating that this track was essential in connection with the development of the M. W. Kellogg Company plant to be erected at Droyer's Point.

Commissioner Fagen asked Mr. Boles if this proposed track would cross any City property. Mr. Boles replied that it would not. Commissioner Fagen advised Mr. Boles that the blue print filed by him did not clearly show all the necessary details, such as the exact lay of the land, the various streets to be crossed by the track, the sewers over which the track will run, where the various branches come in, etc. He stated that the residents of the Greenville section were interested in this project inasmuch as it would probably affect their property and for this reason he desired everything defined as clearly as possible so that the interested persons may be acquainted with all the facts in the matter.

Commissioner Moore advised Mr. Boles that the City had taken up various improvements in the vicinity of Droyer's Point, such as the construction of a belt line railroad, new bulkheads, etc., and that streets had also been laid out there. In view of these improvements he suggested that it would be for the best interests of all concerned to go over the matter very thoroughly to see if this proposed track of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Co. would interfere with the City plans, and if so, to arrange matters that will be satisfactory to the City and the railroad company.

Commissioner Fagen suggested that Mr. Boles file an amended map showing the various details he had outlined.

Mr. Boles advised the Board that he will gladly prepare an amended map along the lines suggested by Commissioner Fagen.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the application of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company for permission to lay, maintain and use a railroad track across certain lands owned by Jersey City, situated at Droyer's Point, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to Monday, October 11, 1920, at 2 P. M. in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

The hearing on the application of the Vulcan Iron Works for permission to lay and maintain a spur track along Hudson Street and Essex Street, having been adjourned and continued to this time and place, so that counsel for the petitioner and counsel for the objectors (the Lembeck & Betz Eagle Brewing Co.), could arrange for the introduction of an ordinance satisfactory to both parties, the City Clerk called for anyone who might desire to be heard regarding the application.

Counsellor Joseph Autenreith appeared for the Vulcan Iron Works, Inc., and Counsellor D. Eugene Blankenhorn appeared for the Lembeck & Betz Eagle Brewing Company. They advised the Board that an ordinance had been prepared containing a clause permitting the Lembeck & Betz Company to connect a spur track with the track of the Vulcan Iron Works when they shall file an application with the Board of Commissioners requesting such privilege, and that in view of this fact, Counsellor Blankenhorn withdrew the protest.

No other persons appeared to protest and no written protests were received.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance, entitled "An ordinance granting permission to The United New Jersey Railroad and Canal Company and Vulcan Iron Works, Inc., a corporation, to lay and maintain a certain track or siding along a certain street in Jersey City, known as Hudson Street."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks, for the purpose of public inspection.

ALTERATION HEARINGS:

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the application of C. Rubino, for permission to erect electric sign to extend five feet beyond building line at No. 685 Summit Avenue, the City Clerk called for anyone who might desire to protest against the application. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to C. Rubino to erect electric sign to extend five feet beyond building line at No. 685 Summit Avenue, as shown on plans attached to application;

Further Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

From Peter J. Tuite, protesting against the removal of one frame building situated at the corner of Merseles Street and Montgomery Street and placing same on Merseles Street, about sixteen feet back of the present location, for the reason that the buildings on the new location will extend two feet on the building line of Merseles Street, and will be detrimental to the surrounding property.

Received and referred to Commissioner Fagen.

From United Retail Chemists, requesting permission to erect electric sign at No. 376 Central Avenue.

Received.

From Patrick Murphy, requesting permission to altar front part of cellar and build garage at No. 28 Bidwell Avenue.

Received.

From Miles Burke, requesting permission to alter front part of cellar and build garage at No. 40 Bidwell Avenue.

Received.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$371.83, American Creosoting Company, supplies.

$370.00, American Creosoting Company, supplies.

$54.40, Blakeslee Cadillac Company, supplies.

$37.95, Blakeslee Cadillac Company, supplies.

$853.94, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$19.76, The Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$7.44, The Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$6.84, The Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$22.68, The Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$3.72, The Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$228.00, Flockhart Foundry Company, supplies.

$120.00, General Machine & Iron Works, supplies.

$55.00, General Machine & Iron Works, supplies.

$330.00, James P. Hall, Inc., supplies.

$103.12, James P. Hall, Inc., supplies.

$91.75, James P. Hall, Inc., supplies.

$7.68, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$6.96, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$21.00, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$3.72, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$12.15, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$388.00, Morris Motor Car Company, supplies.

$266.00, Morris Motor Car Company, supplies.

$61.50, Thomas J. Miskell, horseshoeing.

$5.49, New York Telephone Company, service.

$30.76, New York Telephone Company, service.

$79.00, Richard Stanton, horseshoeing.

$67.00, James Sweeney, horseshoeing.

$89.50, J. F. Sullivan, horseshoeing.

$207.68, Stillman & Van Siclen Chemical Laboratory Company, Inc.

$23.10, Adam Black, repairs.

$36.60, Adam Black, repairs.

$61.45, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$176.40, Conlon & Co., supplies.

$59.81, Crandall Packing Company, supplies.

$61.70, Walter J. Coleman, supplies.

$29.40, E. B. Dawson Company, supplies.

$380.89, Dodge & Bliss Company, supplies.

$403.91, The F. N. Du Bois Company, Inc., supplies.

$123.00, Digestive Ferments Company, supplies.

$100.25, Charles H. Engle Lumber Company, supplies.

$12.75, Massimo Fiore, ice.

$26.37, Hersey Manufacturing Company, supplies.

$128.00, William R. Harrison, supplies.

$16.43, Charles F. Hanson, supplies.

$20.15, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$10.80, Initial Towel Supply Company, service.

$237.60, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$385.50, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$30.50, E. Kelly, horseshoeing.

$5.50, John Kirkpatrick, shoes.

$82.32, George C. Lavery & Co., wood.

$8.00, New York Telephone Company, service.

$3.25, New York Telephone Company, service.

$8.23, New York Telephone Company, service.

$92.16, New York Telephone Company, service.

$9.45, John H. Paul, supplies.

$31.10, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$28.70, Public Service Gas Company, service.

$10.00, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$1.56, H. F. Trautman, newspapers.

$32.19, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

$300.00, New Jersey Title Guarantee & Trust Company, searches—capital account.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

$111.12, Sears & Osmond, insurance.

$21.84, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$2.25, A. Kuntz, batteries.

$4.85, Thomas L. Higgins, tar paper and cement.

$3.60, Henry J. Reitze, shade holders.

$3.00, Henry J. Reitze, electric wire.

$5.75, Thomas L. Higgins, pipe and hinges.

$9.00, Marcy Stove Repair Company, grate bars.

$24.00, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$96.00, R. Hoffman, ceiling repairs.

$24.75, Jersey City Supply Company, fittings.

$6.92, Jersey City Supply Company, valves.

$18.52, Thomas L. Higgins, sash cord.

$13.20, Thomas L. Higgins, sash weights.

$20.02, Jersey City Lumber Company, spruce.

$169.93, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$17.75, Jersey City Lumber Company, spruce.

$25.40, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$18.60, Jersey City Lumber Company, spruce.

$1.75, Dobke Typewriter Exchange, repairs.

$111.13, Dana Putman, insurance.

$160.00, Nathan & Co., playground apparatus.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named parties, for the following amounts and purposes as hereinafter set forth.

$24.50, Manhattan Electric Supply Co.

$24.20, A. Kuntz.

$23.25, A. Kuntz.

$110.25, S. Miller.

$21.35, Garfunkel Bros.

$110.00, C. J. Lutton.

$41.60, Valvoline Oil Co.

$5.25, Standard Oil Co.

$584.83, Standard Oil Co.

$120.50, Wm. Eckel.

$12.75, Thos. L. Higgins.

$40.00, The Duro Co.

$2.50, The Linde Air Products Co.

$33.85, Fleischman Bros.

$352.42, The Peter Jocham Co.

$3.77, S. F. Hayward & Co.

$6.50, S. F. Hayward & Co.

$75.00, S. F. Hayward & Co.

$12.00, S. F. Hayward & Co.

$56.00, Cartaret Garage Co., care of car.

$4.00, G. D. Davidson Co., clock repair.

$19.70, Fleischman Bros., repairs.

$12.95, C. F. Hansen, stationery.

$14.25, C. F. Hansen, stationery.

$204.55, P. Jocham Co., repairs.

$327.60, P. Jocham Co., repairs.

$235.00, P. Jocham Co., repairs.

$50.90, Lee Tire Sales Co., adjustment.

$119.58, L. J. Tonnele, shoes and tubes.

$41.60, Valvoline Oil Co., motor oil.

$2.35, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., repairs.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following named claimants for the following amounts and purposes:

$90.30, Garfunkel Bros., electric supplies.

$54.64, The Kleinhaus Store, supplies.

$82.00, The Watters Laboratories, thermometers.

$19.92, The Meincke Co., tubes and wires.

$287.28, The Meincke Co., hot water bags, etc.

$11.88, E. R. Squibb & Sons, magnesia.

$17.64, Thos. L. Higgins, supplies.

$469.00, John Mooney, gauze.

$171.23, Ganz & Goodman, dry goods.

$242.55, Morris Weismann, eggs.

$71.05, Wm. C. Hagen, meat.

$22.79, L. L. Croner, groceries.

$40.28, E. J. O'Brien, brooms.

$105.89, D. Pollio, fruit.

$9.41, James T. Dougherty, office supplies.

$15.00, Louis Goldberg, blouse.

$8.50, Otto Wilkens, chemicals.

$349.72, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$8.07, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$6.59, John P. Landrine, supplies.

$14.10, Ganz & Goodman, muslin.

$45.00, Benjamin Kuperman, glass.

$24.05, Mallinckrodt Chemical Works, chemicals.

$10.50, The Kleinhaus Store, uniforms.

$30.00, George J. Boland, repairing typewriter.

$210.09, Edward M. Dixon, fish and clams.

$9.50, Otto Wilkens, chemicals.

$2.95, New York Telephone Co., service.

$119.54, Morris Motor Car Co., auto sundries.

$70.85, Expert Auto Tire Repairs Co., auto repairs.

$1.90, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$366.00, A. McDonough, groceries.

$5.25, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., tires repaired.

$205.00, John J. Maguire, burials.

$9.35, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$12.55, W. R. Holmes, cocoa and coffee.

$95.33, Jerome O'Keefe, dry goods.

$2.35, Charles F. Hansen, office supplies.

$56.97, Thomas Finnerty, ice.

$25.68, Johnson & Johnson, cotton.

$8.55, Loori Bros., drugs.

$16.30, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$11.43, New York Telephone Co., service.

$20.00, Metropolitan Building & W. C. Co., cleaning windows.

$18.30, Joseph H. Brown, soap and oil.

$81.68, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$22.12, Public Service Gas Co., gas.

$11.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$29.40, Thomas L. Higgins, hardware.

$52.20, Jerome O'Keefe, bedspreads.

$79.30, Wm. Kuntz, fans.

$325.00, Heywood Bros., folding chairs.

$44.70, Loori Bros., drugs.

$38.00, Loori Bros., drugs.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

PAY ROLLS.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached pay rolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being for services rendered during the periods specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS

From Commissioner Fagen, advising the Board that Vice-Chancellor Lewis handed down an opinion adverse to the City at the instance of the Central Railroad of New Jersey in an injunction suit to compel the City to continue the Jackson Avenue and the Pine Street sewer to the exterior line for the solid filling near Black Tom on the Communipaw shores, setting forth all the facts in the matter, and recommending that the Corporation Counsel take an appeal from the decision.

Received and recommendations adopted.

From Commissioner Fagen, submitting report of Clyde Potts, Engineer, for extra work removing obstructions on the right-of-way at Croxton, Erie Railroad Yards, for section 2 of the 72-inch pipeline which will cost about $1,000, and which the Erie Railroad Company will be charged with, advising the Board that he approves the report of the Engineer, and recommending that a resolution be adopted authorizing this work to be done.

Received.

From Commissioner Fagen, recommending the adoption of a resolution authorizing extra work of installing a 16-inch connection in section 2 of the pipeline being constructed by Patrick McGovern on Tonnele Avenue at or near Manhattan Avenue.

Received.

From Commissioner Fagen, recommending the adoption of a resolution authorizing extra work of installing a 16-inch connection in section 2 of the pipeline being constructed by Patrick McGovern at the Croxton yards of the Erie Railroad Company.

Received.

From Commissioner Gannon, submitting supplemental debt statement.

Received and ordered filed.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, It appears from communication addressed to the Board by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, dated September 27, 1920, that certain changes in the contract between the City and Patrick McGovern are necessary and advisable, which changes are as follows:

EXTRA WORK ORDER NO. J.

Installation of 16-inch connection, consisting of cutting of the hole, and furnishing and installing of the saddle in place, complete, inserted in the main line, covered by contract for installing duplicate 72-inch steel pipeline, in Tonnele Avenue, at or near Manhattan Avenue, the exact location of which to be as determined by the Consulting Engineer. The expense of providing connection, cutting of the hole, and furnishing and installing of the saddle in place, will be paid for in accordance with the letter of Patrick McGovern to Consulting Engineer Potts under date of September 17, 1920, in which was quoted the total price of two hundred seventy-four dollars ($274.00).

All other work in connection with the installation of said connection, cutting of the hole, and furnishing and installing of the saddle in place complete, will be paid for as extra work in accordance with Section M of said contract. All work shall be done in accordance with the instructions of the Engineer in Charge, and subject to his approval. Now, therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract be and the same is hereby changed and amended accordingly, and the contractor be and he is hereby authorized to proceed to make such changes; further

Resolved, That a certified copy of this resolution be signed by the contractor and filed with the City Clerk, as evidence of its assent thereto.

Adopted.

September 27, 1920.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, It appears from communication addressed to this Board by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, dated September 27, 1920, that certain changes in the contract between the City and Patrick McGovern are necessary and advisable, which changes are as follows:

EXTRA WORK ORDER NO. I.

Removal of considerable quantity of coal west of the main line of the Erie Railroad Company passenger tracks across the Erie yards at Croxton, and also removal of several temporary buildings near the point where the pipe line passes the round house in said yard. All work shall be done in strict **accordance with the** directions of the engineer in charge and payment for same will be made in accordance with Section M of said contract. The cost of this extra work is not to exceed the sum of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000.00), now therefore, be it

Resolved, That the contract be and the same is hereby changed and amended accordingly, and the contractor be and he is hereby authorized to proceed and make such changes;

Further Resolved, That a certified copy of this resolution be signed by the contractor and filed with the City Clerk as evidence of its assent thereto.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagan, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, it appears from communication addressed to the Board by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, dated September 27, 1920, that certain changes in the contract between the City and Patrick McGovern are necessary and advisable, which changes are as follows:

EXTRA WORK ORDER NO. K.

Installation of 16-inch connection, consisting of cutting of the hole, and furnishing and installing of the saddle in place, complete, inserted in the main line, covered by contract for installing duplicate 72-inch steel pipe line, at the Croxton Yard of the Erie Railroad Company, the exact location of which to be as determined by the Consulting Engineer. The expense of providing connection, cutting of the hole, and furnishing and installing of the saddle in place, complete, will be paid for in accordance with the letter from Patrick McGovern to Consulting Engineer Potts under date of September 17, 1920, in which was quoted the price of $274.00 (two hundred seventy-four dollars).

All other work in connection with the installation of said connection, cutting of the hole, and furnishing and installing saddle in place complete will be paid for as extra work in accordance with Section M of said contract. All work shall be done in accordance with the instructions of the engineer in charge, and subject to his approval.

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, that the contract be and the same is hereby changed and amended accordingly, and the contractor be and he is hereby authorized to proceed to make such changes.

Further Resolved, That a certified copy of this resolution be signed by the contractor and filed with the City Clerk, as evidence of its assent thereto.

September 27, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

Resolved, That the contract for the regulating and repaving with sheet asphalt on present stone foundation the roadway of Tonnels Avenue from Hudson Boulevard to Newark Avenue, excepting such portion occupied by the Pennsylvania Railroad Bridge, be and is hereby awarded to W. T. S. Crichfield at the price named in his proposal; namely, 112% of the Chief Engineer's Standard, there being no lower bidder, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare and have executed necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, At meeting held August 17, 1920, resolution was introduced by Director Fagen rejecting the proposals, two (2) in number, received at the meeting of the Board of Commissioners August 10, 1920, for the construction of a system of sewers in the Fisk Street Drainage Area, and the City Clerk directed to readvertise for bids; and

Whereas, The City Clerk caused to be inserted in the official newspapers a notice to contractors soliciting bids at 2 P. M., Tuesday, September 7, 1920; and

Whereas, Previous to the reception of said bids, the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, upon information received from the Chief Engineer of the Department that more favorable prices could be secured for the doing of this work providing the plans and specifications were revised, requested the City Clerk to announce that no bids would be received at the meeting at which said bids were called for; therefore be it

Resolved, That the resolution heretofore adopted at meeting held August 17, 1920, and the resolutions heretofore passed adopting plans and specifications upon which said bids were solicited, be and they are hereby rescinded and reconsidered, and be it further

Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements be and is hereby requested to prepare and file revised specifications and plans for this work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements proposals, two (2) in number, received at the meeting of the Board of Commissioners, August 10, 1920, for the construction of a system of sewers in the Fisk Street Drainage Area, be and the same are hereby rejected.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements the revised plans and specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer, and approved by the Corporation Counsel filed this day, for the construction of a system of sewers in the Fisk Street Drainage Area, be and they are hereby adopted and ordered filed, and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in the official newspapers, the Engineering News and Record, and The Iron Age, in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That in accordance with report submitted this day by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby authorized and instructed to take an appeal from the decision handed down by Vice-Chancellor Lewis adverse to the City, at the instance of the Central Railroad Company of New Jersey, in an injunction suit to compel the City to continue the Jackson Avenue and the Pine Street sewer to the exterior line for solid filling nearer Black Tom and the Communipaw Shores.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer, and approved by the

Corporation Counsel as to form, for repairs to Bituminous Concrete Pavements which are not under Guarantee, to December 31, 1920, be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed, and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications prepared by the Assistant Chief Engineer, and approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form, for regulating and repaving with sheet asphalt on present stone foundation the roadway of Whiton Street between Johnston Avenue and the Terminus of the present stone pavement south of Communipaw Avenue; and Pine Street between Johnson Avenue and the Newark and New York Railroad (excepting such portion as lies between the tracks and portion now paved with asphalt and asphalt block pavement), be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed, and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission of the State of New Jersey has certified the name of Robert E. Lee as being eligible for appointment as Senior Clerk-Stenographer;

Resolved That Robert E. Lee be, and he is hereby appointed, Senior Clerk-Stenographer in the office of the City Clerk, at an annual salary of $1,850.00, payable in equal semi-monthly installments, to take effect October 1, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Authorizing $1,100.00 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance authorizing $34,000.00 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance authorizing $171,000 School Notes of the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, The State Civil Service Commission has certified the name of John J. Bott, as being eligible for appointment to the position of patrolman in the Jersey City Police Department; therefore

Resolved, That John J. Bott is hereby appointed a patrolman in the Jersey City Police Department with the title and salary attached to the position; salary to be effective from the date of his temporary reinstatement.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, The following named Firemen have tendered their resignations as members of the Jersey City Fire Department: Frank Motzer, Ralph Speer, Hugh McDonald, Joseph A. Gogan, Max F. Kloeblein, Harry C. Caufield;

Resolved, That the resignations of the

above named men be and the same are hereby accepted, effective from this date.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner Moore the Board adjourned.

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
CHARLES F. X. O'BRIEN,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

Approved,
FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

Minutes of Meetings

of

Board of Commissioners

October, 1920

MEETING OF OCTOBER 5, 1920

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, October 5, 1920, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Absent: Mayor Hague (excused).

In the absence of the Mayor, Commissioner Gannon, Director of Revenue and Finance and Vice-Mayor, presided.

RECEPTION OF BIDS.

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for furnishing various supplies and performing certain work, the City Clerk called for bids with the following result:

Improvement of Stegman Street.

1. W. T. S. Crichfield, 110 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

2. Uvalde Contracting Co., 118 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

Repaving Terrace Avenue.

1. T. V. Ryan, 162½ per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

2. Uvalde Contracting Co., 135 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

3. W. T. S. Crichfield, 130 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

Auto, public safety.

1. Nash Sales Corp., $2,026.00, with freeholders surety bond.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received, opened and read, and referred to the director of the department from which the specifications eminated, for investigation and recommendation.

FRANCHISE HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised, as required by law, for public hearing on the application of the Public Service Electric Co. for the vacation and dedication of certain portions of Duffield and Van Keuren Avenues, as shown on blue print attached to application and now on file in the City Clerk's Office, City Hall, Jersey City, the City Clerk read the public notice of hearing and then called for anyone who might desire to be heard either in favor of or against the application.

No one appeared to protest and no

written protests were received against the application.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance changing the location of a part of Duffield and Van Keuren Avenues, in Jersey City, and vacating the same upon the opening and improvement of portions in lieu thereof, which are hereby accepted."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

At this time Mr. Walter Gimbert, No. 305 Lembeck Avenue, Mr. Dudley Uldrich, foot of Linden Avenue, and Mr. F. J. Denning, Superintendent of Columbia Refining Co., all of whom own property in the vicinity where the Lehigh Valley Railroad Co. proposes laying a spur track at Droyer's Point, appeared before the Board and protested against the action of the railroad company in removing a bridge and laying tracks in preparation for the proposed spur track. They stated that the removal of the bridge prevented the various industries in the section from moving their material and supplies.

Commissioner Fagen advised the Board that the Lehigh Valley Railroad Co. had filed with him on last Saturday maps which were supposed to show all the details in connection with the laying of the track, as requested by the Board at the meeting held September 27, 1920, and that the time has been too short for him and Commissioner Moore to go over these maps. He also stated that the Lehigh Valley Railroad Co. was instructed not to commence any work until all details were made clear and notwithstanding this order, they had proceeded to lay tracks and tear down this bridge. He suggested that Commissioner O'Brien detail one or more policemen in that section, to prevent the railroad company from doing any more work until the matter has been finally disposed of by the Board.

Commissioner O'Brien agreed to station policemen there in accordance with Commissioner Fagen's suggestion.

The hearing on the application having been adjourned from September 27, 1920, to October 11, 1920, Commissioner Fagen suggested that the protestants appear before the Board at that time and they will be given an opportunity to be heard.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications for alteration privileges:

Patrick Murphy, alter and build garage in cellar, 28 Bidwell Ave.

Miles Burke, alter and build garage in cellar, 40 Bidwell Ave.

Geo. Schmitt, alter and build garage in cellar, 183 Hutton St.

United Retail Chemists, elec. sign, 376 Central Ave.

The City Clerk called for any one who might desire to protest against the granting of any of the above described applications. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against any of the above described applications.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the application of Patrick Murphy for permission to alter front part of cellar and build new brick walls and garage therein, in dwelling No. 28 Bidwell Avenue, be and the same is hereby referred to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements for investigation and recommendation.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the application of Miles Burke for permission to alter front part of cellar, build new brick walls and garage therein at No. 40 Bidwell Avenue, be and the same is hereby referred to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements for investigation and recommendation.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the application of George Schmidt, for permission to alter basement and construct garage therein at No. 183 Hutton Street, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to Monday, October 11, 1920, at 2 P. M., in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to the United Retail Chemists to erect glass electric sign to extend eight feet from building line at No. 376 Central Avenue, Jersey City, as shown on plans attached to application;

Further Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From Colgate & Company, requesting the Board to cancel an ordinance granting them permission to connect its buildings on Grand Street with a bridge across such street, which was passed by the Board on March 13th, 1917, for the reason that they have abandoned the idea of building such bridge.

Received and referred to Commissioners Fagen and Gannon.

From Margaret Barry, requesting permission to alter building and build garage in basement of No. 244 Fowler Avenue.

Received.

From M. Weinstein, requesting permission to erect electric sign at No. 452 Bergen Avenue.

Received.

From Frank Scala, requesting permission to alter building and convert into store purposes at No. 200 Jackson Avenue.

Received.

From Nathan Scher, requesting permission to alter building for store purposes and build brick extension at No. 783 Newark Avenue.

Received.

From District Court Judge Charles L. Carrick, advising the Board that Wm. J. Dooley, Sergeant-at-Arms of the 1st Dist. Court had requested that his name be taken off the payroll after Sept. 15th, 1920, as he had received another appointment effective at that time, and the reason for his request that his resignation be accepted as of October 1, 1920, is that he desired to finish up officially any business which might remain to be disposed of.

Received and referred to Commissioner Gannon.

From District Court Judge Charles L. Carrick, advising the Board that he had appointed Henry A. Boesch, 73 Collard Street, Jersey City, N. J., Sergeant-at-Arms of the First District Court of Jersey City, to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of William J. Dooley, said appointment to take effect October 1st, 1920.

Received and referred to Commissioner Gannon.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$440.00, A. Alcott, supplies.

$85.95, Ahlmeyer Bros., supplies.

$15.39, Ahlmeyer Bros., repairs.

$111.54, Ahlmeyer Bros., repairs.

$370.00, American Creosoting Co., wood block.

$23.50, Jos. N. Early, signs.

$176.00, James P. Hall, supplies.

$143.55, Peter Jocham Co., supplies.

$405.00, Peter Jocham Co., supplies.

$46.80, Jersey City Lumber Co., supplies.

$77.10, Jersey City Lumber Co, supplies.

$215.00, C. J. Lutton, shoes.

$230.00, Littleford Bros., tar kettle.

$14.75, Union Printing Co, supplies.

$370.00, American Creosoting Co., wood block.

$9.84, Evening Journal Ass'n, advertisement.

$21.70, Chas. Cooper & Co., chemicals.

$6.96, Walter J. Coleman, repairs.

$9.00, W. L. Doremus, shoes.

$100.00, Five Corners Paint Co, painting Ford.

$7.09, Gamon Meter Co., supplies.

$24.00, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$19.60, Chas. F. Hanson, supplies.

$23.55, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$93.44, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$172.47, Neptune Meter Co., discs.

$2.10, Oxweld Acetylene Co., service.

$6.65, Emma Stewart, rebate on water bill.

$17.70, The Texas Co., gasoline.

$207.68, The Texas Co., gasoline.

$228.08, The Texas Co., gasoline.

$8.50, Union Printing Co., rent notices.

$153.25, John C. Wolf, auto repairs and supplies.

$262.16, Joseph F. Hurley, insurance.

$262.16, Joseph F. Hurley, insurance.

$252.25, Ajax Insurance Co., insurance.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$7.50, Geo. J. Boland, repairs.

$14.56, Evening Journal Assn., Vac. 11th St. not.

$45.00, Union Printing Company, printing, etc.

$700.00, Union Printing Company, printing, etc.

$1,170.20, Union Printing Company, printing, etc.

$163.00, Union Printing Company, printing, etc.

$2,200.00, Union Printing Company, printing, etc.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

$425.00, William E. Boyce, moving pictures exhibition.

$425.00, William E. Boyce, moving pictures exhibitions.

$450.00, William E. Boyce, moving pictures exhibition.

$300.00, William E. Boyce, moving pictures exhibition.

$300.00, William E. Boyce, moving pictures exhibition.

$57.00, John A. Ward, plumbing repairs.

$355.00, Alf. Kuntz, electrical fixtures.

$203.00, James Casey, horse and wagon hire.

$154.00, James Casey, horse and wagon hire.

$6.50, James P. Hall, grit and sand.

$184.00, Tully Bros., wagon hire.

$213.75, Tully Bros., wagon hire.

$24.50, Tully Bros., wagon hire.

$41.35, John J. Corcoran, toilet repairs.

$64.15, John J. Corcoran, fountain repairs.

$7.55, John J. Corcoran, toilet repairs.

$14.85, Sam Levy, baseball bases.

$78.75, James P. Hall, cement.

$5.76, Jersey City Lumber Co., spruce.

$297.60, Henry J. Reitize, fixture repair.

$671.10, Nathan & Co., playground apparatus.

$13.50, Chas. H. Engler, spruce.

$64.00, Belle Meade Stable, horse hire.

$45.00, Tully Bros., wagon hire.

$6.66, Chas. H. Engler, lumber.

$150.00, S. J. Crawford, water box repair.

$50.00, J. E. Connors, rent shop.

$121.27, F. Russell Lyman, wiping cloth.

$125.00, William E. Boyce, moving pictures.

$51.50, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$77.75, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$80.90, S. J. Crawford, plumbing.

$23.00, William R. Harrison, photos.

$80.75, Geo. W. Irving, plumbing.

$1.26, Kolesch & Co., blue prints.

$18.75, Dana F. Putnam, insurance.

$2.84, Yale & Town Lock Co., keys.

$0.30, Thos. L. Higgins, tacks.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following named claimants for the following amounts and purposes:

$117.00, Bosquett Bros., groceries.

$7.05, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$39.80, J. Decker, milk.

$120.00, Flynn Bros., groceries.

$70.00, Criterion Advertising Co., rebates on sign permits.

$5.00, Charles F. Hansen, office supplies.

$98.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$76.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$61.00, A. Zipherstein, supplies.

$148.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$2.00, Charles F. Hansen, office supplies.

$290.76, Lederle Antitoxin Laboritories, antitoxin.

$7.00, Joseph T. Sack, pots.

$67.34, Palisade Auto Supply Co., auto supplies.

$27.50, Edward Mulvaney, removing dead animals.

$450.00, M. Miller, license plates.

$6.20, Initial Towel Supply Co., towel service.

$68.90, Palisades Auto Supply Co., auto supplies.

$86.59, New York Telephone Co., service.

$35.77, New York Telephone Co., service.

$78.47, New York Telephone Co., service.

$7.30, New York Telephone Co., service.

$332.28, Loori Bros., antitoxin.

$12.50, D. Eisenberg, fruit.

$25.85, J. V. Calley, vegetables.

$48.32, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$28.67, Austin, Nichols & Co., Inc., peas.

$12.25, W. H. Walthery, bacon.

$20.58, Archbold & Gallagher, tuna fish.

$7.50, D. Eisenberg, oranges.

$216.00, Pettit & Reed, butter.

$328.39, D. Eisenberg, vegetables.

$405.72, F. Russell Lyman, gauze.

$17.74, Loori Bros., drugs.

$64.93, Loori Bros., drugs.

$90.72, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., auto repairs.

$39.98, Joseph T. Sack, utensils, etc.

$7.30, Morris Motor Car Co., auto repairs.

$51.75, William Bill, groceries.

$28.47, Joseph M. Browne, supplies.

$110.40, Pettit & Reed, butter.

$117.38, Lewis Manufacturing Co., bandages, etc.

$115.20, Johnson & Johnson, catgut tubes.

$22.68, Meinecke & Co., thermometers.

$418.31, F. Russell Lyman, gauze.

$16.75, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

$7.55, Keegan's Garage, auto supplies.

$335.48, American Auto Tire Co., shoes and tubes.

$316.20, General Baking Co., bread.

$81.64, John F. Crosby, potatoes.

$355.60, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$152.09, Ganz & Goodman, dry goods.

$18.26, Meinecke & Co., apparatus.

$100.80, Johnson & Johnson, lint.

$495.00, Johnson & Johnson, gauze.

$15.30, William Bill, salmon.

$34.13, Colgate & Co., soap powder.

$78.65, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

$66.85, E. R. Squibbs & Sons, ether.

$21.00, E. B. Haskins, ink.

$17.09, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$40.45, N. Miller, supplies.

$122.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$67.00, A. Ziperstein, apparatus.

$22.00, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$77.00, M. Miller, hardware.

$7.50, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$231.50, Union Printing Co., stationery and printing.

$80.00, The Lederle Antitoxin Lab., vaccine.

$40.00, The Lederle Antitoxin Lab., vaccine.

$20.00, Alex. Scott, auto storage.

$42.20, Palisade Auto Supply Co., repairing ties, etc.

$50.75, Payton & Hoos, office furnishings.

$12.20, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$3.00, R. J. Fitzsimmons, intensifiers.

$16.15, H. D. Dougherty & Co., metal locker.

$9.75, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$126.00, The Crowell Publishing Co., ads for nurses.

$35.15, Charles R. Bard, caterers.

$29.00, Fleischman Bros., auto repairs.

$74.10, The Valvoline Oil Co., oils.

$291.70, W. R. Holmes Co., teas and coffees.

$29.80, Joseph T. Sack, napkins and towels.

$8.45, Export Auto Tire Repair Co., repairing tires.

$689.29, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$341.83, American Scrubbing Equipment Co., brushes, etc.

$338.34, American Scrubbing Equipment Co., mops, etc.

$340.08, American Srubbing Equipment Co., scrubbers, etc.

$82.70, Otto Wilkens, instruments, etc.

$390.04, J. Decker, milks and cream.

$282.24, Morris Weisman, eggs.

$281.65, Morris Weismann, butter.

$164.35, E. B. Skelton, sheets and cases.

$150.00, N. J. W. C. Co., cleaning windows.

$40.40, Public Service Elec. Co., service.

$170.09, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$34.80, William Bill, groceries.

$3.39, Ganz & Goodman, fine combs.

$15.19, Ganz & Goodman, towels.

$68.69, William Bill, groceries.

$6.82, I. Britten, fish.

$103.99, Ammon & Person, butter and eggs.

$19.25, Union Printing Co., printing.

$12.74, Public Service Gas Co., service

$50.60, H. J. McDermott, ice.

$18.38, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$21.56, E. Eisenberg, potatoes

$14.25, Morris Weismann, eggs.

$52.48, William Bill, groceries.

$7.00, R. F. Schneider, thermometers.

$442.75, Morris Weismann, eggs.

$9.03, Joheph H. Brown, supplies.

$75.32, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$220.63, Keystone Dairy Co., milk and cream.

$9.54, William C. Hagen, meats.

$123.52, David C. Markus, meats.

Adopted.

Yeas:—Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

PAY ROLLS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached payrolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being payment for services rendered during the period specified at the Dover and Boonton Plants of the Jersey City Water Company.

Adopted.

Yeas:—Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS.

From Commissioner Gannon, submitting supplemental debt statement.

Received and ordered filed.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements contract for regulating and repaving on present stone and concrete foundation the roadway of Communipaw Avenue, between Morris Canal and the easterly line of Suydam Avenue with asphalt pavement, excluding such portion as lies between the tracks and that portion now paved with asphalt blocks, also the portion outside of rails for a width of six (6) inches which shall be paved with wooden blocks, be and the same is hereby awarded to W. T. S. Crichfield at the price named in his proposal, namely, one hundred fifteen per cent. of the standard, his being the lowest bid received, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That an ordinance entitled "An ordinance granting permission to the United New Jersey Railroad and Canal Company and Vulcan Iron Works, Inc., a corporation, to lay and maintain a certain track or siding along a certain street in Jersey City, known as Hudson Street," which ordinance was introduced at the meeting of the Board of Commissioners held on September 27th 1920, and has not been finally passed, be and the same is hereby amended by striking out Section 2 of said ordinance and also by adding the following new sentence at the end of Section 4 of the ordinance:

"If at any time, Jersey City shall determine to repair, repave or improve in any manner, the pavement, foundations, etc., of Hudson Street, that the said Vulcan Iron Works Co. and the said United New Jersey Railway and Canal Company will, at their own expense, repave, repair, reconstruct and rebuild in the same style and manner the space between their track and eighteen inches outside of this spur, hereby granted, when ordered by the proper authority of Jersey City, under whose supervision such things are or may hereafter fall."

Adoptd.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 83, Laws of 1910; Chapter 242, Laws of 1912; Chapter 77, Laws of 1913; and Chapter 12, Laws of 1914; and upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, this Commission hereby approves of map entitled "Sketch of Property surveyed for P. L. Bergoff, situated in the City of Jersey City, N. J., Dec. 27, 1919" consisting of County Block 365, City Block 1,427; County Block 366, City Block 1,428; County Block 367, City Block 1,430; bounded by Gates Avenue, Garfield Avenue, Brown Place and Princeton Avenue, surveyed by Steiner & Jaeger, Civil Engineers and City Surveyors, 473 Broadway, Bayonne, N. J., and further

Resolved, That the City Clerk file two copies of said map, together with copy of this resolution, with the Register of Deeds of Hudson County as required by law.

Adoptd.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements the findings as shown on report of the Water Assessor for month of September, 1920, be presented to this Commission at its meeting held this day, be and are hereby confirmed, and that the said oficer be and is hereby authorized to make such charges on his books:

Additions to Reg. Water $479.65.

Cancellation to Reg. Water $601.05.

Cancellation to Metered Water $99.45.

Adoptd.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, In anticipation of the receipt of taxes to be levied or of taxes levied and not delinquent, this municipality may borrow and have obligations outstanding to provide such moneys as may be necessary to meet its lawful expenditures under the appropriations for the year for which such taxes are levied or are to be levied, to wit, the fiscal year 1920; therefore be it

Resolved, That in pursuance of Chapter 192, P. L. 1917, approved March 28, 1917, and Chapter 242, P. L. 1918, approved March 4, 1918, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do and they hereby authorize and direct that Tax Anticipation Notes of the City of Jersey City be issued to the amount of $180,000.00 bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum, payable at maturity; said Notes to be dated October 6th, 1920, to become due and payable December 31, 1920, or sooner if called by the City, and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the annexed vouchers for the amounts set opposite their names, being for supplies furnished and services rendered in connection with the First Registry and Primary Election of 1920, in the aggregate amount of $15,238.65.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, An assessment of $200,000 for the year 1920 was made by the Taxing District of Jersey City, in the name of Mary Winner, executrix of the estate of John Winner, deceased, against personal property in Block 1832 in said Taxing District;

Whereas, Mary Winner, executrix as aforesaid, appealed to the Hudson County Board of Taxation to have said assessment cancelled on the ground that there had been a distribution of all the personal estate of John Winner, deceased, prior to October 1, 1919 (the assessing date);

Whereas, It appeared before said County Board that said distribution had been made prior to said assessing date, and

Whereas, Said Hudson County Board of Taxation, on consent of said Mary Winner and said Taxing District of Jersey City, reduced said assessment to $100,000 in her name as said executrix, in lieu of an assessment against the distributees of said estate, upon condition that no interest be charged upon said taxes for 1920 against said property, provided the whole amount of said taxes were paid promptly (upon final confirmation to the Collector of said Taxing District; therefore be it

Resolved, By the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, that no interest shall be charged upon said taxes, and same is hereby waived, provided the whole amount of said taxes for the year 1920 on said assessment of $100,000 are paid forthwith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing $26,000 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City."

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing $27,000 Emergency Bonds of the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners on August 24, 1920, for the furnishing and delivering of trees and shrubs for the Department of Parks and Public Property, and

Whereas, William Gotthardt bid low on the items as per annexed list, therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for the furnishing and delivering of trees and shrubs, as per annexed list, be and is hereby awarded to Wm. Gotthardt, at the price named in his bid, and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for the same.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners on August 24, 1920, for the furnishing and delivering of trees and shrubs for the Department of Parks and Public Property; and

Whereas, Hartung Bros. bid low on the items as per annexed list, therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for the furnishing and delivering of trees and shrubs, as per annexed list, be and is hereby awarded to Hartung Bros. at the price named in their bid, and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for the same.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Bids were received on August 31, 1920, by the Board of Commissioners, for the furnishing and installation of one new low pressure steam boiler in No. 5 Fire Engine Building, located at No. 278 Sixth street, Jersey City; and

Whereas, The bid of S. J. Crawford Company was the only bid received; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for the furnishing and installing of a new low pressure steam boiler in No. 5 Engine Building, be and is hereby awarded to the S. J. Crawford Company, at the price named in their bid, and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for the same.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That contract for painting fence, etc., at Pershing Field be and the same is hereby awarded to J. I. Hass, Inc., at the price named in their bid, $1,910, theirs being the lowest responsible bid; and be it

Further Resolveed, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby directed to have the proper contract executed.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, William D. Mitchell has tendered his resignation as Assistant Inspector of Weights and Measures; therefore be it

Resolved, That the resignation of William D. Mitchell as Assistant Inspector of Weights and Measures be and the same is hereby accepted, effective from October 1.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, The State Civil Service Commission has certified the names of Thomas M. Devlin, Thomas A. Mahoney and John C. Irving, as being eligible for appointment to the position of Patrolman in the Jersey City Police Department;

Therefore Resolved, That Thomas M. Devlin, Thomas A. Mahoney and John C. Irving are hereby appointed Patrolmen in the Jersey City Police Department with the title and salary attached to the position; salary to be effective from the dates of their respective temporary reinstatements.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, On July 1, 1920, Augustus Buckingham, a fireman in the Jersey City Fire Department, was pensioned by the Municipal authorities of said city of Jersey City under the pensions law applicable to said Fire Department; and

Whereas, The said Augustus Buckingham is desirous of returning to active duty; and

Whereas, The said Augustus Buckingham has submitted himself to a physical examination and has been pronounced physically fit in accordance with the rules and regulations of the Civil Service Commission, and the said Civil Service Commission having assented to the return of the said Augustus Buckingham; therefore be it

Resolved, That Augustus Buckingham be and he is hereby ordered to return to active duty in the position which he formerly held up to July 1, 1920, that of Fireman in the Jersey City Fire Department, at a salary of two thousand dollars per annum, payable in semi-monthly installments, such restoration to duty to be effective from October 1, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Public Safety, contract for furnishing and delivering one automobile, complete with extra equipment, to the Department of Public Safety, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Nash Sales Corporation, at the price named in their bid, namely, $2,026.00, that being the only bid received, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract threfor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 54, P. L., 1917, of New Jersey, John E. Carlock and Thomas E. Jordan, be and they are hereby appointed members of the Commission on Building Districts and Restrictions of Jersey City, to take effect October 1, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the next regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City be held on Monday, October 11, 1920, at 2 P. M., in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, for the reason that the regular weekly meeting day, Tuesday, October 12, 1920, is a legal holiday, Columbus Day.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and O'Brien.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner Moore the Board adjourned.

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
CHARLES F. X. O'BRIEN,
Commissioners.

Approved,
FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF OCTOBER 11, 1920

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Monday, October 11, 1920, at 2 P. M.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

FRANCHISE HEARINGS:

The hearing on the application of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company for permission to construct and maintain a spur track at Droyer's Point across lands owned by the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, having been adjourned and continued to this time and place, the City Clerk called for anyone who might desire to be heard either for or against the application.

Mr. E. H. Boles, Counsellor Bayne and Mr. Ramsey appeared for the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company and urged the Board to grant the permission requested because the track was necessary in connection with the development of the M. W. Kellogg Company plant situate at Droyer's Point.

Mr. Walter Gimbert, 305 Lembeck Avenue, Mr. Dudley Uldrich, ft. of Linden Avenue and other property owners in the Greenvile Section appeared and presented to the Board a petition signed by a great many residents and property owners of the Greenville Section protesting against the removal of the bridge located at the foot of Lembeck Avenue, by the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company and asking that the bridge be replaced.

The Board discussed the matter at length and in conclusion Mr. Boles, for the Lehigh Valley Railroad Co., agreed to construct a foot bridge across the Morris Canal at the foot of Lembeck Avenue, and also to construct a good substantial vehicle bridge at or near the foot of Danforth Avenue.

Commissioner Fagen suggested that Counsellor Bayne and Corporation Counsel Milton prepare an agreement covering the construction of the bridges.

Commissioner Fagen advised Mr. Boles that care will have to be taken in the construction of the Lembeck Avenue bridge for the reason that two sewers run parallel with the canal at that point.

Mr. Boles requested permission to proceed with the construction, with the approval of the Board.

Commissioner Fagen stated that he did not object to the request provided that the bridges will be built in a good substantial manner so that the interested people in that section will be satisfied. Mr. Boles agreed to do this.

Whereupon the following ordinance was introduced:

By Commissioner Moore:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance giving and granting to the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company of New Jersey,, a corporation, the right to construct, maintain and use a railroad track upon and across certain lands owned by the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, a municipal corporation.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

CITY ORDINANCES.

This time and place having been advertised as required by law, for public hearing on the final passage of an ordinance entitled: "An ordinance authorizing $1,100.00 Temporary Improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City" (repav. Newark Ave.), the City Clerk read the ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of said ordinance. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the ordinance was referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

This time and place having been advertised as required by law, for public hearing on the final passage of the following described ordinances:

"An ordinance authorizing $171,000.00 School Notes of the City of Jersey City" (No. 6 and No. 23 Schools).

"An ordinance authorizing $34,000.00 Temp. Impvt. Bonds of the City of Jersey City" (Repav. Communipaw Ave.).

The City Clerk read each ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of each of the ordinances above described.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the final passage of the following described ordinances:

"An ordinance authorizing $171,000 School Notes of the City of Jersey City" (No. 6 and No. 23 Schools).

"An ordinance authorizing $34,000 Temp. Impvt. Bonds of the City of Jersey City" (Repav. Communipaw Ave.)

be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to Tuesday, October 19th 1920, at 2 p. m. in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

ADOPTED

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the application of M. Weinstein, for permission to erect electric sign to extend seven feet beyond building line at No. 452 Bergen Avenue, Jersey City, as shown on blueprint attached to application, the City Clerk read the public notice of hearing and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of the application.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the application.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to M. Weinstein, to erect metal electric sign to extend seven feet beyond building line at No. 452 Bergen Avenue, Jersey City, as shown on blueprint attached to application;

Further Resolved, That the Superintent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From V. Levin, requesting permission to raise building and put in new store front at No. 490 Central Ave.

Received.

From Emerson Richards, Counsel for Interstate Bridge and Tunnel Commission, advising the Board that the Erie Railroad Company and the Tunnel Commission will come to a final conclusion on Friday next in the matter of the Vehicular Tunnel under the Hudson River and after that conference he will advise what method has been adopted for settling with the property owners on Twelfth Street.

Received.

From New York Machinery Company, requesting the vacation by the City of the dead end of Pollock Avenue west of Mallory Avenue.

Received.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$7.00, Walter J. Coleman, repairs.

$63.50, Goodyear Rubber Co., supplies.

$53.00, Hudson Real Estate Co., insurance.

$5.15, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$15.05, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$423.06, Standard Oil Co., N. J., supplies.

$477.29, Standard Oil Co., N. J., supplies.

$200.00, Stillman & Van Siclen Chemical Co., Inc.

$21.92, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$24.00, Ahlemeyer Bros., repairs.

$23.30, Air Reduction Sales Co.

$54.35, Battery Service Company, supplies.

$147.09, Beacon Auto Supply Co., supplies.

$126.03, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$137.00, Boonton Feed and Supply Co., feed.

$9.72, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$138.00, Daniel F. Donovan, repairs and supplies.

$456.93, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., supplies.

$22.36, Eimer & Amend, supplies.

$37.50, Expert Radiator Repair Company, repairs.

$17.00, Tom Murray's Shoe Shop, supplies.

$57.62, Joseph T. Sack, supplies.

$27.50, Union Printing Co., supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$1.00, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$120.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$2,000.00, Mark Wolf, services, Hud. & Manh. rate case.

$15.00, West Publishing Co., Anot. reprs.

$7.50, Lawyers' Co-operative Pub. Co., reports.

$38.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$4.00, Dobke Typewriter Exch., repairs.

$205.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$53.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$25.20, Kelly's Garage, supplies.

$1.73, C. F Hansen, supplies.

$3,800.00, J. C. Brackenbridge, serv., Hud. & Manh. rate case.

$19.34, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$194.95, Lexington Auto Tire Co., supplies.

$2.00 Evening Journal Assn., Not. Sign Rubino.

$2.00 Evening Journal Assn., Not. Weinstein sign.

$4.00 Evening Journal Assn., Not. Murphy alter.

$2.00 Evening Journal Assn., Not. U. Ret. Drug. sign.

$22.88 Evening Journal Assn., Not. P. S. Ry. Co. hearing.

$22.88 Evening Journal Assn., Not. Kellogg. hearing.

$23.40 Evening Journal Assn., Not. Kellogg. hearing.

$31.72 Evening Journal Assn., Not. L. V. R. R. hearing.

$4.00 Evening Journal Assn., Not. Schmidt. garage.

$4.00 Evening Journal Assn., Not. M. E. Burke. alter.

$1.92 Hudson Observer, Not. Newman sign.

$3.74 Hudson Observer, Not. M. E. Church alter.

$1.92 Hudson Observer, Not. Rubino sign.

$26.00 Hudson Observer, Not. Kellogg hearing.

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$12.36 Hudson Observer, Not. Mfrs. Liab. ord.

$12.36 Hudson Observer, Not. P. R. R. ord.

$30.16 Hudson Observer, Not. L. V. R. R. hearing.

$22.26 Hudson Observer, Not. P. S. Ry. Co. hearing.

$11.52 Hudson Observer, Not. E. R. R. ord.

$11.76 Hudson Observer, Not. Marg. & Gerst. ord.

$9.96 Hudson Observer, Not. Southworth ord.

$2.16 Hudson Observer, Not. Stabb. alter.

$9.12 Evening Journal Assn., Not. Bond issue.

$21.00 Evening Journal Assn., Not. Auction sale.

$13.15 N. Y. Telephone, Montg. 56.

$10.85 Union Towel Supply Co., Towel service.

ADOPTED

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Mague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore, October 11th, 1920.

$240.00 Nathan & Co., See Saw Boards.

$81.76 Anderson Bros., Roof Repair.

$42.51 Washburn Bros., Sand.

$38.50 James P. Hall, Cement.

$21.20 James P. Hall, Lime

$3.75 Benj. Kuperman, Glass.

$10.00 Benj. Kuperman, Glass.

$2.50 Fleischman Bros., Radiator Repair.

$8.75 H. G. Coder, Lawn Mower Repair.

$144.00 Eve. Journal Assn., Adv.

$144.00 Hudson Observer, Adv.

$613.93 Jersey City Horse Manure Co., Manure

$67.84 John H. Cooney, Boiler Repair.

$61.92 John H. Cooney, Boiler Repair.

$108.73 N. Y. Telephone Co., Service.

$199.70 R. H. Perry Coal Co., Coal.

$52.03 R. H. Perry Coal Co., Coal.

$425.00 W. E. Boyce, Moving Pictures.

$450.00 W. E. Boyce, Moving Pictures.

$300.00 W. E. Boyce, Moving Pictures.

$427.64 William Gotthardt, Flowers and Shrubbery.

$4.85 Carl Luck, Door Check Repair.

$3.50 Whipple Hdw. Co., Shellac.

$220.00 Barnes Foundry Co., Grates and Bars.

$1.35 Whipple Hdw. Co., Wire Cloth.

$6.50 Julius Harris, Glass.

$30.00 Colgate & Co., Soap.

$3.00 Julius Harris, Glass.

$51.30 James P. Hall, Cement and Sand.

$151.91 W. A. Barclay, New Shower Baths.

$247.50 Whipple Hdw. Co., Fencing.

$70.75 W. H. & F. W. Cane, Roofers.

$149.75 Taylor I. Proud Co., Elec. Repairs.

$1.20 Whipple Hdw. Co., Screws.

By Commissioner Moore:

$62.50, Chas. Campbell, grass seed.

$180.00, Hartung Bros., grass seed.

$144.00, N. J. Carspring & Rubber Co., water hose.

$14.76, Thos. L. Higgins, hardware.

$30.00, Thos. L. Higgins, locks.

$3.50, Whipple Hardware Co., galvanized pipe.

$7.25, Thos. L. Higgins, wrench and miscellaneous hardware.

$3.30, Whipple Hardware Co., axe handles.

$4.98, Thos. L. Higgins, tar paper and cement.

$43.75, Carteret Renting Co., auto hire.

$6.00, Thos. L. Higgins, brooms.

$18.00, The Cudahy Packing Co., polish.

$96.00, Belle Meade Stables, horse hire.

$40.94, Belle Meade Garage, auto repair.

$9.53, Belle Meade Garage, auto repair.

$96.39, Belle Meade Garage, auto repair.

$15.73, Lexington Auto Tire Co., tube and tire repair.

$113.93, Lexington Auto Tire Co., tube and tire repair.

$71.93, Lexington Auto Tire Co., tire and tube.

$78.12, Lexington Auto Tire Co., tire and tube.

$4.60, Lexington Auto Tire Co., tire and tube repair.

$18.91, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., auto repair.

$45.31, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., auto repair.

$12.39, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., auto repair.

$130.82, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., auto repair.

$20.28, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

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$20.80, Evening Journal Association, advertisement.

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$273.45, W. A. Barclay, tower repair.

$50.00, Lafayette Window Cleaning Co., service.

$621.25, R. H. Perry Coal Co., coal.

$26.56, Elliott-Kiel Co., auto repair.

$18.75, Garfunkel Bros., electric lamps.

$30.00, Hartung Bros., grass seed.

$230.00, Chas. Campbell, sod.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Director O'Brien:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named for the following amounts and purposes

Police:

$8.15, Boller Bros., repairs.

$10.31, J. H Brown, soda.

$125.92, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed. meals.

$117.00, Mrs. E. Dougherty, prisoners'

$16.88, Gamewell Fire Alarm Teleg. Co., ribbons.

$450.34, Gulf Refining Co., gasoline.

$70.00, W. R. Harrison, prisoners' photos.

$48.00, W. R. Harrison, prisoners' photos.

$71.93, T. L. Higgins, supplies.

$98.00, Chas. Hayes, horseshoeing.

$70.90, J. C. Storage Battery Co., recharging battery.

$176.70, I. Judge, shoes.

$44.10, A. Kuntz, supplies.

$426.01, A. Kuntz, wire.

$118.42, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$33.00, Phinotas Chemical Co., disinfectant.

$27.50, R. H. Perry Co., coal.

$135.00, R. H. Perry Co., coal.

$330.00, R. H. Perry Co., coal.

$1,755.75, R. H. Perry Co., coal.

$43.51, J. T. Sack, supplies.

$20.00, Union Printing Co., postage stamps.

$147.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$12.45, J. A. Vill & Son, supplies.

$128.26, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$7.80, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$82.32, Goodwear Leather Mfg. Co., leggins.

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$58.31, Union Printing Company, printing.

$71.54, Union Printing Company, printing.

$81.34, J. A. Vill & Son, casing.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following-named parties, for the following amounts and purposes as hereinafter set forth:

$30.00, James Carroll.

$69.38, L. Bellazza.

$102.65, Whipple Hardware Company.

$11.10, Standard Oil Company.

$275.00, Smith & Kelleher.

$1,983.75, R. H. Perry & Co.

$921.25, R. H. Perry & Co.

$2,626.25, R. H. Perry & Co.

$2,103.75, R. H. Perry & Co.

$1,437.00, R. H. Perry & Co.

$1,938.00, R. H. Perry & Co.

$1.40, Commercial Acetylene Company.

$50.15, Jersey City Storage Battery Company.

$14.00, Standard Oxygen Company.

$27.60, U. S. Rubber Company.

$38.25, Economy Auto Supply Company.

$3.65, Stewart-Warner Speedometer Company.

$30.00, The H. P. Baldwin Company.

$37.50, Garfunkel Bros.

$47.63, Lake Sales Company.

$5.00, Pintsch Compressing Company.

$13.98, Coleman Auto Electric Service Company.

$22.60, Whipple Hardware Company.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

PAY ROLLS.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the annexed pay rolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being for services rendered during the period specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS.

From Commissioner Fagen, recommending that the City Clerk be directed to fix a date for public hearing on the application of the Natural Products Refining Company for the vacation of Jane Street and a portion of Commercial Street.

Received.

From Commissioner Fagen, reporting on the protest filed against the proposed erection of a garage at No. 56 Hancock Avenue, advising the Board that this section is a tenement neighborhood; that No. 56 is a vacant lot and that the permission for said construction should not be granted.

Received and referred to Superintendent of Buildings John Saul.

From Commissioner Fagen, approving application of C. Rupp for permission to construct two-car garage in the rear of No. 171 Fulton Avenue.

Received and referred to Superintendent of Buildings John Saul.

From Commissioner Fagen, reporting on the application of George Schmitt for permission to alter basement and erect garage therein at No. 183 Hutton Street, advising the Board that the building is a small, very old one; that there are public garages adjacent to this building and that he would not recommend another garage as it would be a detriment to the private houses situated on the street.

Received and recommendations adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, a contract for the repaving of Stegman Street from the Boulevard to Bergen Avenue, with sheet asphalt, be and the same is hereby awarded to W. T. S. Critchfield at the price named in his bid, namely, one hundred ten per cent. of the Standard, his being the lowest bid received, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necssary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, a contract for the furnishing and installing about one hundred and twenty-five (125) street signs in the City of Jersey City, N. J., be and the same is hereby awarded to Louis W. Kelly, at the price named in his bid, namely, twenty-seven dollars and ninety cents each ($27.90 each), his being the lowest bid received; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, On January 30, 1917, Colgate & Company filed a petition with the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City requesting permission to connect its buildings on Grand Street with an overhead bridge; and

Whreas, An ordinance was passed by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City on March 13, 1917, granting permission for the construction of said bridge; and

Whereas, Colgate & Company have notified the Board that they have not constructed said bridge, and that they have abandoned the idea of building said bridge, and they respectfully request that the ordinance be cancelled relieving them from any further financial responsibility by reason thereof; therefore be it

Resolved, That an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to Colgate & Company to connect its buildings on the northerly side of Grand Street with its building on the southerly side thereof by constructing and maintaining a bridge across such street," passed by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City on March 13, 1917, be and the same is hereby rescinded.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements the application of Geo. Schmitt for permission to alter basement, and construct garage therein in frame building No. 183 Hutton Street, Jersey City, be and the same is hereby denied; and be it

Further Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and directed not to issue permit for such construction.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and requested to fix a date for the public hearing, and advertise same as required by law, on the application of New York Machinery Company for the vacation of dead end of Pollock Avenue west of Mallory Avenue.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and requested to fix a date for the public hearing and advertise same as required by law on the application of Natural Products Refining Company for the vacation of Jane Street and Commercial Street.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer, and approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form, for the furnishing and delivering of special hydrants for use in Jersey City, be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed, and the City Clerk ordered to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby granted to John M. Hughes Sons' Co. to remove the four-story frame building now situated at Nos. 183-185 Cornelison Avenue, across the street to Nos. 176-178 Cornelison Avenue, Block 2109, Lots 32, 33, 34, 35 and 36, its new location, such permission being subject to the conditions as set forth in resolution of the Board of Street and Water Commissioners April 29, 1912.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the contract for the regulating and repaving with sheet asphalt on present stone foundation the roadway of Tonnele Avenue from Hudson Boulevard to Newark Avenue, excepting such portion occupied by the Pennsylvania Railroad Bridge, be and is hereby awarded to W. T. S. Crichfield at the price named in his proposal, namely 112 per cent. of the Chief Engineer's Standard, there being no lower bidder, and the Corporation Attorney be and is hereby directed to prepare and have executed necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas—Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays—None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the work under contract 2327, for the improvement of Fleet Street, from Baldwin Avenue to Oakland Avenue, with old Belgian block, by E. J. Flaherty Company, Inc., contractor, be and the same is hereby accepted as completed, and that the Chief Engineer, be and he is hereby directed to file with the Commissioners of Assessment, a statement showing the entire cost of said improvement, and that thereupon, said Commissioners of Assessment shall proceed to make a proper assessment on any lands or real estate that may have been benefitted or increased in value by such improvement, conformably to the provisions of Chapter 152, of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Adopted.

Yeas—Commissioners. Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays—None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the work under Contract No. 2295, for the improvement of Tenth Street, from Erie Street ot Grove Street, with old Belgian blocks on a concrete base, by E. J. Flaherty Contracting Company, Inc., contractors, be and the same is hereby accepted as completed and the Chief Engineer, be and he is hereby directed to file with the Commissioners of Assessments, a statement showing the entire cost of said improvement, and that thereupon the said Commissioners of Assessments shall proceed to make a proper assessment on any land or real estate that may have been benefitted or increased in value by such improvement, conformably to the provisions of Chapter 152, of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Adopted.

Yeas—Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays—None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the work under Contract No. 2307, for the improvement of Stegman Street from Ocean Avenue to Garfield Avenue with asphalt pavement on a concrete base, by W. T. S. Crichfield, contractor, be and the same is hereby accepted as completed and the Chief Engineer, be and he is hereby directed to file with the Commissioners of Assessments, a statement showing the entire cost of said improvement, and that thereupon the said Commissioners of Assessment shall proceed to make a proper assessment on any lands or real estate that may have been benefitted or increased in value by such improvement, conformably to the provisions of Chapter 152, of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Adopted.

Yeas—Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays—None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements be and are hereby requested to sign and the City Clerk to attest, an agreement between the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, a municipal corporation of the State of New Jersey, party of the first part, hereinafter called "the City," and F. Wm. Barthman and Henry C. Barthman, of Nutley, New Jersey, and Brighton Mills, a New Jersey corporation, parties of the second part.

Adopted.

Yeas—Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays—None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the work under Contract No. 2325, for the improvement of Van Cleef Street between Stegman Street and a point 144.4 feet north of Wegman Parkway, with asphalt pavement on a concrete base, by W. T. S. Crichfield, contractor, be and the same is hereby accepted as completed and the Chief Engineer, be and he is hereby directed to file with the Commissioners of Assessments, a statement showing the entire cost of said improvement, and that thereupon the said Commissioners of Assessments shall proceed to make a proper assessment of any lands or real estate that may have been benefitted or increaed in value by such improvement, conformably to the provisions of Chapter 152, of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Adopted.

Yeas—Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays—None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing $1,100.00 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City.

Whereas, In pursuance of Chater 152, P. L. 1917, as amended by Chapter 163, P. L. 1918, this Board of Commissioners determines that it is necessary to make an additional appropriation to the sum heretofore appropriated for the repaving of Newark Avenue from Summit Avenue to the westerly line of West Side Avenue in accordance with plans and specifications which have been or may be adopted from time to time by this Board, after the introduction and passage of this ordinance;

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That for the purpose of repaving Newark Avenue from Summit Avenue to the westerly line of West Side Avenue the sum of $1,100.00 be and is hereby appropriated, and to meet the cost of carrying out the provisions of said contract in addition to the sum heretofore appropriated.

Section 2. That pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 252, P. L. 1916, as amended by Chapter 240, P. L. 1917, and for the purpose of meeting said appropriation, this Board authorizes and directs that $1,100.00 of temporary improvement bonds be issued as the money may be needed, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum, said bonds shall mature in not exceeding six (6) years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment, and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Section 3. Said temporary improvement bonds shall state that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing repaving Newark Avenue. The other matters in respect of the issuance of said bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Section 4. That the said temporary improvement bonds shall be paid or funded within (6) years after the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out.

Section 5. That the interest on said temporary improvement bonds shall be raised in the annual tax levy.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That pursuant to Chapter 58, Laws 1920, the salaries of John J. Masker and Henry A. Boesch, Sergant-at-Arms, First District Court, and Andrew Mellor, Sergeant-at-Arms, Second District Court, be and they are hereby fixed at $1,200.00 per annum, payable semi-monthly effective October 1st, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance making an appropriation of $250,000 for an additional water supply and authorizing the issue of bonds in that amount."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The City has condemned lot 69B in Block 1899, also being known as No. 181 to 185 Cornelison Aenue, for the Jersey City Hospital, and title thereto was taken on the 15th day of September, 1919; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Collector be and he hereby is authorized and directed to cancel the sum of One Hundred Twenty-three and 39/100 ($123.39) Dollars of the taxes on such property, representing the proportion of taxes for the year 1919 as were for the period following the acquisition of title.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance dedicating certain lands and premises of Jersey City and forming part of Droyer's Point as a public street on highway."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of one week for the purpose of public inspection.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the Board adjourned.

Approved.

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
CHARLES F. X. O'BRIEN,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF OCTOBER 19, 1920

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, October 19, 1920, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

RECEPTION OF BIDS.

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for the repaving of various streets and the construction of a system of sewers in the Fisk Street Drainage Area, the City Clerk called for bids with the following results:

Construction of Sewers, Fisk Street Area.

	Schedules	
	No. 1	No. 2
1. Chas. T. Kavanagh, Inc. of standard, with surety company bond.	141%	151%
2. Jos. L. Sigretto of standard, with surety company bond.	170%	175%
3. M. T. Connolly Contg. Co. of standard, with surety company bond.	220%	——
4. W. T. S. Crichfield of standard, with surety company bond.	224%	——
5. Liberty Contg. Co., Inc. of standard, with surety company bond.	241%	240%
6. M. Byrnes Building Co. of standard, with surety company bond.	——	250%

Repaving Whiton and Pine Streets.

1. Uvalde Contg. Co., 120% of standard, with surety company bond.
2. W. T. S. Crichfield, 113% of standard, with surety company bond.

Repairs to Bitum. Concr. Pavements Out of Guarantee, Dec. 31, 1920.

1. W. T. S. Crichfield, 108% of standard, with surety company bond.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received opened and read and referred to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements for investigation and recommendation.

FRANCHISE ORDINANCES.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the final passage of the following described ordinance: "An ordinance dedicating certain lands and premises of Jersey City and forming part of Droyer's Point as a public street or highway," the City Clerk read the ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to be heard either in favor of or against the final passage of the above described ordinance.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of the above described ordinance.

On motion of Commissioner Moore the ordinance was referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

The hearing on the application of the Standard Oil Company for the vacation of Hillside Road having been adjourned and continued to this time and place, the City Clerk called for anyone who might desire to be heard either in favor of or against the same.

Counsellor Harry Lane and Mr. Franklin appeared in behalf of the Standard Oil Company and urged the Board grant the permission requested, in view of the fact that no protests were filed against the application at the time set for public hearing.

Counsellor Lane stated that the street was not used by many people and would not be an inconvenience to anyone in the event that it is vacated.

Mr. Franklin stated that his company proposed to erect a garage on the property owned by them adjacent to Hillside Road and one corner of the garage will project onto a portion of the street to be vacated. The remaining portion of the street will not be used for any purpose.

Commissioner Fagen stated that a sewer was located adjacent to Hillside Road and also that in view of the proposed vehicular tunnel under the Hudson River, this street might be an important outlet to the Hudson City section and for these reasons he would not approve the application. He stated, however, that he was not prejudiced in any manner against the Standard Oil Company in this application, but on the contrary complimented the company for their open and above-board methods in their transactions with the city and for the manner in which they carried out all agreements set forth in these transactions.

The Mayor stated that in view of the fact that this street was only a paper street and its vacation would not inconvenience anyone he would move that the application be granted.

Commissioner Moore urged the Board to grant the desired relief for the reason that the petitioner was a large concern, conducting their business in a business-like manner and should not be hindered in their improvements.

After discussion the matter was ordered laid over for one week at which time the final passage of the ordinance covering the application will be taken up.

CITY ORDINANCES.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the final passage of the following described ordinances:

"An Ordinance authorizing $26,000.00 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City."

"An Ordinance authorizing $27,000.00 emergency bonds of the City of Jersey City."

The City Clerk read each ordinance and then called for any one who might desire to protest against the final passage of each of the above-described ordinances.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of any of the above-described ordinances.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the ordinances were referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

The hearing on the final passage of the following described ordinance: "An Ordinance authorizing $34,000.00 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City" (repaving Communipaw Avenue) having been adjourned and continued to this time and place, the City Clerk read the ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of the above-described ordinance.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of the above-described ordinance.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the ordinance was referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications for permission to alter buildings:

V. Levin, raise building, put in store front, etc., 490 Central Avenue.

Mrs. George Barry, alter and building of garage, 244 Fowler Avenue.

Nathan Scher, build store and brick extension, 783 Newark Avenue.

Frank Scala, raise one-story private house for store, 200 Jackson Avenue.

The City Clerk read each application then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of any of the above-described applications.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the granting of any of the above-described applicatons.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to V. Levin, to take out portion, raise building put in store front to project not more than 12 inches beyond building line, changing frame dwelling to store on first floor as shown on blue print attached to application, in one-family, two-story frame building No. 490 Central Avenue;

Further Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Mrs. George Barry to alter building and erect garage in basement of two-story frame one-family dwelling No. 244 Fowler Avenue, Jersey City, as shown on blue print attached to application; provided, however, that the street and sidewalk level is not altered in any manner;

Further Resolved, that the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Nathan Scher, to change present parlor and bedroom into store, build store front and one-story brick extension 19 feet by 46 feet 6 inches by 12 feet high as shown on blue print attached to application, in premises No. 783 Newark Avenue, Jersey City;

Further Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissoners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the application of Frank Scala, for permission to raise present one-story frame private house, and build new first floor under same, converting frame dwelling to store (commercial purposes) in two-story brick and frame building, No. 200 Jackson Avenue, Jersey City, be and the same is hereby referred to the Mayor and Superintendent of Buildings John Saul with power.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

At this time a committee representing the American Legion Posts and Veterans of Foreign Wars of Hudson County appeared before the Board. Counsellor Charles Rooney, acting as spokesman, requested information as to the progress made in connection with the proposed erection of the permanent Memorial Building in commemoration of the soldiers who died in the World War.

Commissioner Moore advised Mr. Rooney that the Committee from the State Board of Architects had visited Jersey City and in conjunction with the local committee a site had been selected for the proposed memorial; that there will be a meeting of the local committee on next Thursday at which time a report will be submitted to the Mayor's Committee and designs will be selected.

Counsellor Rooney also requested the Board to take such action as is necessary to provide heat for the Veterans Club House at Grand Street and Clinton Avenue.

On motion of the Mayor the matter was referred to Commissioners Gannon and Moore.

At this time Counsellor Rooney thanked the Board of Commissioners for their co-operation rendered to the various soldiers organizations of Jersey City in the recent bonus parade held in New York City.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From tenants and property owners in the immediate neighborhood of No. 288-290 Clerk Street, protesting against the operation of a slipper factory at the above address.

In connection with the foregoing protest, Counsellor James J. Hughes appeared for the protestants. He stated that the premises were occupied by a Mr. S. Goldberg, who conducts a slipper factory there and for the cutting and stitching, soles, etc., heavy machinery was used, thus causing loud noises and vibration which was detrimental to health and property. He asked that the matter be laid over for investigation by the Board.

On motion of Commissoner Gannon the matter was ordered laid on the table and the protest referred to him for investigation.

From Schimel & Greenside, requesting permission to erect electric sign at No. 597 Communipaw Avenue.

Received.

From James Guarino, requesting permission to alter building and erect garage in premises No. 269 Boyd Avenue.

Received.

From Ed. Fleckenstein's Sons, requesting permission to lay steam pipes connecting their factory and garage on Cambridge Avenue and Griffith Street.

Received.

OFFICERS COMMUNICATIONS.

From Superintendent of Buildings submitting reports for August and September, 1920.

Received and ordered filed.

From City Clerk Frank A. Dolan, submitting report on the results of the public auction sale of old, used material from the various departments of the City Government, held Oct. 7, 1920.

Received and ordered filed.

From Corporation Counsel Milton, advising the Board that the Title Company requested a resolution be passed by the Board relative to conveying to the M. W. Kellogg Co. of a small gore piece of land in the name of the estate of one Vreeland, which land the City is proceeding to condemn. This being necessary to give the City a perfect title to all the lands involved in the recent sale to the M. W. Kellogg Co. Mr. Milton submitted a form of resolution for adoption by the Board covering this matter.

In connection with the foregoing communication Mr. M. W. Kellogg appeared before the Board and urged the adoption of the resolution.

Commissioner Fagen advised the Board that in his opinion a part of a city street would be conveyed to the M. W. Kellogg Company and also that this conveyance might interfere with the proposed improvements in the vicinity of Droyer's Point as planned by Commissioner Moore.

The Board discussed the matter at length and in conclusion the matter was referred back to the Corporation Counsel for legal opinion in the matter.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Fagen

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following-named persons in the amounts indicated:

$142.92 Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., supplies.

$85.65 L. A. Bittigholfer, supplies.

$16.50, Louis Frey, supplies.

$415.05, John Haesloop, insurance.

$22.00, John J. Howard, horseshoeing.

$28.35, Morris Motor Car Co., supplies.

$2.50, New York Telephone Co., serice.

$888.62, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$11,825.91, Public Service Elec. Co., service.

$1,634.99, Public Service Gas Co.

$9.75, Union Towel Supply, service.

$67.75, Union Printing Co., supplies.

$8.81, Boonton Auto Garage, supplies.

$4.00, C. J. Detwiller, rebate on water.

$76.76, P. J. Dinan, services.

$17,202.00, East Jersey Water Co., water supply.

$8.70, Louis Frey, supplies.

$75.00, Five Corners Auto Paint Shop, repairs.

$114.06, Thos. L. Higgins, supplies.

$21.32, Thos. L. Higgins, supplies.

$186.14, Keegan Garage, supplies.

$123.00, National Meter Co., supplies.

$348.50, J. F. Nagel, insurance.

$6.40, Nathan & Co., supplies

$21.00, Geo. O'Rourke, supplies.

$3,025.00, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$96.25, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$155.20, Palace Garage, supplies.

$272.00, Christopher P. Smith Co., insurance.

$28.40, August Spindler, supplies.

$7.50, Amelia Schmmoller, refund on water.

$11.99, Thermo Electric Instrument Co., repairs.

$38.20, Valvoline Oil Co., supplies.

$50.00, Stillman & Van Siclen, analysis.

$120.00, Stillman & Van Siclen, analysis.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following-named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$19.25, Michael R. O'Brien, refund bal. dep. encroachment.

$4.00, Evening Journal Assn., altr. Barry.

$4.00, Evening Journal Assn., alter. Levin.

$5.74, Hudson Observer, appln. Schmidt.

$3.74, Hudson Observer, appln. M. Burke.

$3.74, Hudson Observer, appln. P. Murphy.

$6.24 Evening Journal Assn., bond issue.

$12.00, J. S. Menagh Co., wire nails.

$21.00, Hudson Observer, bond issue.

$127.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$49.25, Union Printing Co., printing.

$137.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$412,50 Union Printing Co., printing.

$25.00, A. R. Allen, Cond. Com. proc. serv.

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$25.00, Nelson J. H. Edge, Cond. Com. proc. serv.

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$50.00, Nelson J. H. Edge, Cond. Com. proc. serv.

$25.00, John W. Heck, Cond. Com. proc. serv.

$50.00, John W. Heck, Cond. Com. proc. serv.

$50.00, John W. Heck, Cond. Com. proc. serv.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

October 19, 1920.

By Commissioner A. H. Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City treasurer in payment of the following claims:

$7.95, N. Y. Telephone Company, service.

$99.00, Ryer Hague, premium.

$46.00, Henry Ritz, lamps, fuses.

$44.10, S. J. Crawford, labor material.

$198.51, W. A. Barclay, repairing.

$2.70, Public Service Electric Company, electric service.

$1.00, Public Service Electric Company, electric service.

$.67, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$2.75, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$9.42, Alvah Bushnell Company, postage, stationery.

$3.10, Thomas Higgins, paper.

$7.00, Thomas Higgins, nails.

$3.30, Jersey City Supply Company, toilet repairs.

$17.34, Jersey City Supply Company, pipeing.

$12.60, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$248.00, Arthur Keppler, horse wagon.

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$7.50, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$2.10, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$5.58, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$150.00, Fred Fisher, painting fences.

$8.15, Henry J. Reitze, lamps.

$2.80, John P. Landrine, rope.

$17.25, John A. Ward, roofing.

$81.00, Commonwealth Roofing Company, roofing.

$23.10, Thomas L. Higgins, saws.

$50.00, Thomas Finnerty, ice.

$57.00, George W. Irving, labor.

$65.00 W. A. Barclay, grate bars.

$160.37, W. A. Barclay, plumbing.

$13.35, T. L. Higgins, lime.

$240 00, Interstate Chemical Company, lead paste.

$160.00, Interstate Chemical Company, lead paste.

$26.00, Public Service Electric Company, electric service.

$4.38, Smooth On Manufacturing Company, cement.

$50.00, J. F. Connors, rent.

$1.64, Public Service Gas Company, gas rendered.

$28.30, Public Service Electric Company, electric service.

$2.55, N. Y. Telephone Company, service.

$8.42, N. Y. Telephone Company, service.

$4.00, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$29.43, Jersey City Supply Company, steam repairs.

$10.79, Jersey City Supply Company, repairs.

$116.37, Whipple Hardware Company, pipeing.

$18.00, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$118.00, Public Service Gas Company, service.

$19.90, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$3 60, Public Service Gas Company, service.

2.00, Public Service Gas Company, service.

$4.00, Munson Supply Company, speed keys.

$4.40, Washburn Bros., plaster boards.

$4.20, N. Y. Telephone Company, service.

$1.80, N. Y. Telephone Company, service.

$8.50, Great Bear Spring Company, water.

$35.72, Washburn Bros., lime cement.

$17.85, Thomas L. Higgins, nails.

$97.66, A. Kuntz, fixtures.

$3.60, Thomas L. Higgins, dowels.

$13.55 Thomas L. Higgins, pails.

By Commissioner Moore:

$149.00, Public Service Elec. Co., electrical service.

$11.00, James P. Hall, cement.

$4.48, Public Service Gas Co., gas service.

$1.60, Garfunkel Bros., batteries.

$175.00, Charles Hansen, envelopes.

$16.00, Benjamin Kuperman, glass.

$70.26, Elliott-Kiel Co., auto repair.

212.09, R. H. Perry, coal.

$75.00, Tully Bros., wagon hire.

$19.80, Lexington Auto Tire Co., auto repair.

$26.40, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$25.48, H. C. Cassell, soap

$27.50, R. H. Perry, coal.

$80.35, Jersey City Lumber Co., lumber.

$2,587.40, Joseph F. Ledger, contract 153A.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Director O'Brien:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following-named for the following amounts and purposes:

$35.40, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., parts.

$20.80 Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$3.35, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., repairs.

$25.72, Gulf Refining Co., oil.

$226.02, Gulf Refining Co., gasoline.

$295.01, Gulf Refining Co., gasoline.

$19.50, T. T. Finnerty, ice.

$92.50, Mrs. M. Heitzman, meals for prisoners.

$8.82, Hudson Co., Buick Co., parts.

$19.76, Hudson Observer, adv.

$387.65, P. Jocham Co., repairs.

$3.10, Keegan's Garage, parts.

$112.00, J. Kirkpatrick, horseshoeing.

$14.38, J. S. Menagh Co., supplies.

$150.00, E. S. Myers, rent stable.

$115.74, Public Service Gas Co., gas.

$243.99, Public Serice Elec. Co., service.

$20.00, Union Printing Co., stamps.

$25.60, Whipple Hardware Co., hardware.

$19.35, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., repairs.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following-named claimants for the following amounts and purposes:

$16.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$9.00, John J. Mooney, alcohol.

$14.40, Garfunkel Bros., lamps.

$82.77, I. Judge, matting.

$56.70, Thomas Finnerty, ice.

$442.00, Henry Reitze, electrical work.

$6.40, Charles F. Hansen, office supplies.

$7.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$5.25, David I. Cohen, drugs.

$54.20, W. W. Farrier Co., plumbing supplies.

$400.70, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$14.11, Wilmot Castle Co., filter stones, etc.

$44.95, Kny-Scheerer Corp., apparatus repaired.

$40.00, National Surety Co., bond.

$240.00, E. R. Squibb & Sons, drugs.

$1,822.58, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$1.25, Joseph H. Browne, salt.

$241.88, Maybaum Packing Co., meats.

$13.26, W. H. Walthery, bacon.

$360.27, W. Ottmann & Co., meats.

$208.86, B. Loffredo & Bro., lamb.

$25.73, F. B. Brill, toilet paper.

$106.49, Wm. Ottmann & Co., meats.

$240.26, Wm. Ottmann & Co., meats.

$973.73, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$1.30, N. Y. Telephone Co., phone service.

$1.20, Public Service Elec. Co., current.

$135.00, Flynn Bros., groceries.

$6.50, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$372.00, A. McDonough, groceries.

$613.29, Hudson Co., S. P. C. A., dog-wagon service.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PAY ROLLS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached payrolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being for services rendered at the Boonton and Dover Plant of the Jersey City Water Bureau, during the periods specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS.

From Commissioner Gannon, recommending an annual charge of $550.00 for the spur track privilege of the Vulcan Iron Works, Inc., to be located on Hudson Street.

Received.

From Commissioner Gannon, relative to the coal situation for the coming winter and submitting resolution calling for a conference between the local coal dealers and the Commission to be held October 26, 1920, at 3 p. m.

Received.

From Commissioner Fagen, reporting on the application of Miles Burke for permission to erect garage in basement of No. 40 Bidwell Avenue and Patrick Murphy for permission to erect garage in cellar of No. 28 Bidwell Avenue, advising the Board that he had made a personal inspection of the street and had found but one garage on the block located in the cellar of a house; that on the end lots near Garfield Avenue, there are two garages in the rear of the houses; that the street is otherwise restricted to two family houses and private houses with terrace gardens in front; that in his opinion the granting of a permit to alter cellars for garage purposes would be a great detriment to the appearance and value of every house in the neighborhood and tend to increase fire insurance rates, and in view of these facts he recommends that permit be not granted to alter these buildings.

In connection with the foregoing report, Mr. P. Murphy appeared before the Board and urged the Board to grant his application.

After discussion the Mayor suggested that the matter be laid over for one week.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the hearing on the applications of Miles Burke for permission to alter building and erect garage in cellar of No. 40 Bidwell Avenue, and Patrick Murphy for permission to alter building and erect garage in cellar of No. 28 Bidwell Avenue, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued for one week to Tuesday, October 26, 1920, at 2 p. m., in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, On June 8, 1920, bids were received for the widening and improvement of Mallory Avenue between Clendenny Avenue and Communipaw Avenue, viz., one from W. T. S. Crichfield at one hundred and twenty-nine per cent (129%) of the Engineer's Standard and one from the Uvalde Construction Company at one hundred and thirty-four per cent (134%) of the Engineer's Standard; and

Whereas, According to report submitted to the Director of Streets and Public Improvements by Charles A. Van Keuren, Chief Engineer, it appears that the bid prices of the said Crichfield in the opinion of the Chief Engineer are too high; and

Whereas, It further appears in said report that the said low bidder has agreed to reduce his bid by the sum of Twenty-five Hundred ($2,500) Dollars, the same to be deducted from the total amount due under said bid; therefore be it

Resolved, That contract for the doing of said work be and the same hereby is awarded to the said W. T. S. Crichfield at the price named in his bid, viz., one hundred and twenty-nine per cent. (129%) of the Engineer's standard less the sum of twenty-five hundred ($2,500) dollars; and be it

Further resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he hereby is directed to prepare contract for same, incorporating therein a provision with respect to deduction of the said twenty-five hundred ($2,500) dollars.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to fix a date for public hearing on the application of Ed. Fleckenstein's Sons for permission to lay steam pipes connecting their factory with garage at Griffith Street and Cambridge Avenue, and advertise the same as required by law.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved that upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer, for furnishing and delivering f. o. b. Jersey City, N. J., one Ford coupe, with all the necessary attachments and equipments, be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed, and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements permission be and is hereby granted Otis Smith, to lay a six-inch private drain pipe from in front of his property Lot 33A and 34A, Block 1866, to connect with a sewer in Sip Avenue, being a distance of 141 feet, subject to all rules and regulations of this Commission, and especially conformable to resolution passed by the Board and Water Commissioners on July 3, 1900.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the work under Contract No. 2304, for the improvement of Eastern Parkway from Ocean Avenue to Garfield Avenue with asphalt pavement on a concrete base, by the Uvalde Asphalt Paving Company, Contractors, be and the same is hereby accepted as completed and the Chief Engineer, be and he is hereby directed to file with the Commissioners of Assessments, a statement showing the entire cost of said improvement, and that thereupon the said Commissioners of Assessments shall proceed to make a proper assessment on any lands or real estate that may have been benefited or increased in value by such improvement, conformably to the provisions of Chapter 152, of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to improve all that part of Sixteenth Street, from a point about 50 feet east of Monmouth Street to Jersey Avenue, in the City of Jersey City, by the construction of a sewer in accordance with plan hereto attached; said sewer to be constructed in conformity with provisions of Chapter 152, of the Laws or 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, In anticipation of the receipt of the receipt of taxes to be levied or of taxes levied and not delinquent, this municipality may borrow and have obligations outstanding to provide such moneys as may be necessary to meet its lawful expenditures under the appropriations for the year for which such taxes are levied or are to be levied, to wit, the fiscal year 1920; therefore, be it

Resorved, That in pursuance of Chapter 192, P. L., 1917, approved March 28, 1917, and Chapter 242, P. L., 1918, approved March 4, 1918, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do and they hereby authorize an direct that Tax Anticipation Notes of the City of Jersey City be issued to the amount of $180,000, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum, payable at maturity; said notes to be dated October 21, 1920, to become due and payable December 31, 1920, or sooner if called by the City, and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

There having been introduced at this meeting by Michael I. Fagen, Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, an ordinance entitled: "An ordinance to improve all that part of Sixteenth Street, from a point about 50 feet east of Monmouth Street to Jersey Avenue, in the City of Jersey City, by the construction of a sewer in accordance with plan hereto attached; said sewer to be constructed in conformity with provisions of Chapter 152, of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof."

It is hereby resolved, That said ordinance shall lie on the table until the meeting of this Board, to be held on November 9, 1920, at the City Hall, in Jersey City;

Further resolved, That at said time and place this Board consider the undertaking of the improvement proposed by said ordinance and the said ordinance itself, and that a hearing shall be then and there afforded to all persons whose lands may be affected by, or who may be interested in, such proposed improvement, both upon said proposed improvement and said ordinance;

Further resolved, That the City Clerk publish in the Jersey Journal and Hudson Observer on October 25, and on November 1, 1920, notice of the intention of this Board to consider such proposed improvement and ordinance. Said notice shall be in the form attached to this resolution.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor O'Brien.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An Ordinance authorizing $26,000.00 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City.

Whereas, In pursuance of Chapter 152, P. L. 1917, as amended by Chapter 163, P. L. 1918, this Board of Commissioners determines that it is necessary to repave Tonnelle Avenue from Hudson Boulevard to Newark Avenue with sheet asphalt on present stone foundation, and having received bids will enter into a contract for the carrying out of said improvement in accordance with plans and specifications which have been or may be adopted from time to time by this Board, after the introduction and passage of this Ordinance;

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That for the purpose of repaving Tonnelle Avenue from Hudson Boulevard to Newark Avenue with sheet asphalt on present stone foundation the sum of $26,000.00 be and is hereby appropriated, and to meet the cost of carrying out the provisions of said contract.

Section 2. That pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 252, P. L. 1916, as amended by Chapter 240, P. L. 1917, and for the purpose of meeting said appropriation, this Board authorizes and directs that $26,000.00 of Temporary Improvement Bonds be issued as the money may be needed, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum, said Bonds shall mature in not exceeding six (6) years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment, and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Section 3. Said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall state that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing repaving Tonnelle Avenue. The other matters in respect of the issuance of said Bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Section 4. That the said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be paid or funded within six (6) years after the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out.

Section 5. That the interest on said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be raised in the annual tax levy.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing $34,000.00 temporary improvement bonds of the

City of Jersey City.

Whereas, in pursuance of Chapter 152, P. L. 1917, as amended by Chapter 163, P. L. 1918, this Board of Commissioners determines that it is necessary to repaving Communipaw Avenue between the Morris Canal and the easterly line of Suydam Avenue and having received bids will enter into a contract for the carrying out of said improvement in accordance with plans and specifications which have been or may be adopted from time to time by this Board, after the introduction and passage of this ordinance:

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That for the purpose of repaving Communipaw Avenue between the Morris Canal and the easterly line of Suydam Avenue the sum of $34,000.00 be and is hereby appropriated, and to meet the cost of carrying out the provisions of said contract.

Section 2. That pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 252, P. L. 1916, as amended by Chapter 240, P. L. 1917, and for the purpose of meeting said appropriation, this Board authorizes and directs that $34,000.00 of temporary improvement bonds be issued as the money may be needed, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum, said bonds shall mature in not exceeding six (6) years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment, and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Section 3. Said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall state that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing repaving Communipaw Avenue. The other matters in respect of the issuance of said Bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Section 4. That the said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be paid or funded within six (6) years after the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out.

Section 5. That the interest on said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be raised in the annual tax levy.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass.

An ordinance authorizing $27,000 emergency bonds of the City of Jersey City.

Whereas, pursuant to the provisions of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled "An Act to regulate elections (Revision of 1920) approved May 5, 1920, the cost of holding the Primary and General elections in the city will exceed the appropriation for such purpose as provided in the annual budget, and the city is without funds to meet the necessities and the conditions created thereby, now therefore

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That for the purpose of defraying the extra expense entailed of conducting the Primary and General Elections pursuant to the aforesaid Act of the Legislature, the sum of $27,000 be and it is hereby appropriated.

Section 2. That pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 192 P. L. 1917, as amended, and to meet said appropriation this Board authorizes and directs that Emergency Bonds of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City be issued in the sum of $27,000, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum, said Bonds shall mature on December 31, 1921, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment, and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Section 3. The principal and interest on said Emergency Bonds shall be raised in the next annual budget.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That all the prominent local coal dealers be requested to appear before this Commission on Tuesday, October 26, at 3 P. M., to advise the public of Jersey City, through this Commission, of the status of the local coal situation.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, William McCabe has passed the medical and physical examination and has been certified by the State Civil Service Commission as being eligible for restoration to his former duties in the Jersey City Fire Department; therefore be it

Resolved, That William McCabe be and he is hereby appointed a fireman in the Jersey City Fire Department at an annual salary of $1,700, effective from this date.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, Lieutenant George M. Galway has made application to be retired; and

Whereas, He is under the law qualified to be retired, having served more than twenty-six years and having passed the age of fifty years as required by law; therefore

Resolved, That Lieutenant George M. Galway be placed on the retired list upon half pay to take effect November 1, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, Patrolman Bartley Coyle has made application to be retired; and

Whereas, He is under the law qualified to be retired, having served more than twenty years and having passed the age of fifty years as required by law; therefore

Resolved, That Patrolman Bartley Coyle be placed on the retired list upon half pay to take effect November 1, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, The State Civil Service Commission has certified the names of Walter Proudfoot, John Mahoney, Edmund J. Coyne, George T. Sheedy, Benjamin F. Winters, Joseph V. Mulvanerton, John J. Fennessy, Jas. J. Sheridan, Charles Hamilton, Frederick J. Johnson, John L. Sinnott, Thomas J. Dean and Joseph M. Lynch as being eligible for appointment to the position of Rounds Sergeant in the Jersey City Police Department; therefore be it

Resolved, That Walter Proudfoot, John Mahoney, Edmund J. Coyne, George T. Sheedy, Benjamin F. Winters, Joseph V. Mulvanerton John J. Fennessy, Jas. J. Sheridan, Charles Hamilton, Frederick J. Johnson, John

L. Sinnott, Thomas J. Dean and Joseph M. Lyndh be and they are hereby appointed to the full rank, title and salary of Rounds Sergeant in the Jersey City Police Department, these appointments to be effective immediately.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Public Safety, contract for furnishing and delivering one automobile, complete with extra equipment to the Department of Public Safety, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Nash Sales Corporation, at the price named in their bid, namely, $2,026.00, that being the only bid received, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the specifications submitted this day by John T. Rowland, Jr., architect, for furnishing and delivering furniture and equipment under Section One, for the New Hospital Buildings and Nurses' Home, be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed, and the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of Mayor Hague permission is hereby granted the Board of Managers of the Home of the Homeless to hold a tag day on Saturday, November 6, 1920, for the benefit of said Home of the Homeless.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, the General Purchasing Agent of Jersey City has this day submitted to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City specifications for the furnishing and delivering of one Coupe Automobile;

Whereas, This Board of Commissioners has approved said specifications; therefore be it

Resolved, That said specifications be and they are hereby approved and ordered filed, and the City Clerk authorized and requested to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An Ordinance dedicating certain lands and premises of Jersey City, and forming part of Droyer's Point as a public street or highway.

Whereas, The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City is now the owner of certain lands and premises fronting upon the tide waters of Newark Bay at or near Droyer's Point; and

Whereas, In order to make the lands in the rear thereof accessible to the waters of said Bay it is necessary and advisable that a portion of such lands be devoted to the purposes of a public street or highway; and

Whereas, The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City did heretofore and on the thirty-first day of August, 1920, enter into a contract with the M. W. Kellogg Company, a corporation, whereby said City did agree to lay out and open a public street across said lands and premises so owned by it, all of which appears in petition filed with this Board by the M. W. Kellogg Company on the fourteenth day of September, 1920, now, therefore

The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. The following described lands and premises are hereby dedicated as a public street or highway, viz.:

All that certain lot, piece or parcel of land and premises located in Jersey City, Hudson County, New Jersey, beginning at a point in the westerly line of certain property to be conveyed by Jersey City to the M. W. Kellogg Company, two hundred (200) feet southerly from the northwesterly corner of the tract of land to be conveyed as aforesaid; thence in a westerly direction south seventy-five degrees and twenty minutes (75°20") west to the bulkhead line of the easterly shore of the Newark Bay, approved by the Secretary of War, May 10, 1915; thence southerly along said bulkhead line to a point distant about eighty (80') feet southerly along said bulkhead line; thence north seventy-five degrees twenty minutes (75°20") east to the westerly line of the tract of land conveyed by the City to the Company as aforesaid; thence along said westerly line north fourteen degrees forty minutes (14°40") west eighty (80') feet to the place of beginning, the location of such street being shown in pink on blueprint N-25-A attached to said contract of August 31, 1920, and being shown in yellow upon blueprint attached to the petition of said M. W. Kellogg Company filed as aforesaid with the Board.

Section 2. Said street shall be and hereby is designated or named as Droyer Street.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect at once.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the Board adjourned.

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
CHARLES F. X. O'BRIEN,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

Approved:
FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF OCTOBER 26, 1920

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, October 26, 1920, at 2 P. M.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

RECEPTION OF BIDS.

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for furnishing special hydrants to the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, the City Clerk called for bids with the following result:

1. A. P. Smith Manufacturing Company, 105 per cent. of standard with surety company bond.
2. Kennedy Valve Manufacturing Company, 110 per cent. of standard with surety company bond.
3. R. D. Wood & Co., 112 per cent. of standard with no bond.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received opened and read and referred to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements for investigation and recommendation.

FRANCHISE HEARINGS.

The hearings on the following described applications for franchise privileges:

Public Service Electric Company, vac. and dedic. Duffield and Van Keuren Avenues.

Vulcan Iron Works, spur track along Hudson Street.

Standard Oil Company, vacation Hillside Road—

having been adjourned and continued to this time and place, and the City Clerk having advertised as required by law that the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City will consider the final passage of each of the above described ordinances at this time and place, the City Clerk read each ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of each of said above described ordinances.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the ordinances were referred to miscellaneous business for further action.

CITY ORDINANCES.

This time and place having been advertised as required by law for public hearing on the final passage of the following described ordinance, "An ordinance making an appropriation of $250,000 for an additional water supply and authorizing the issue of bonds in that amount," the City Clerk read the above described ordinance, and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of said ordinance. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of the ordinance.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the ordinance was referred to miscellaneous business for further action.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the final passage of ordinance No. 238, appropriating $171,000 promissory notes for Schools No. 6 and No. 23, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to Monday, November 1, 1920, at 2 P M. in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised as required by law for public hearing on the following described applications:

James Guarino, alter and build garage in cellar 269 Boyd Avenue, Schimel & Greenside, elec, sign, 597 Communipaw Avenue, the City Clerk read each application and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of the applications. No one appeared to protst and no written protests were received against the above described applications.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the application of James Guarino for permission to alter building and erect garage in cellar of No. 269 Boyd Ave., be and the same is hereby referred to the Director of the Dept. of Streets and Public Improvements for investigation and recommendation.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Schimel & Greenside to erect electric sign to extend 8 feet from building line at No. 597 Communipaw Avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application;

Further Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

The hearing on the applications of Myles Burke and Patrick Murphy for permission to alter building and erect garages in cellars of Nos. 28 and No. 40 Bidwell Avenue, respectively, having been adjourned and continued to this time and place, the City Clerk called for anyone who desired to be heard either for or against the applications.

A communication signed by ten property owners opposite and adjacent to No. 28 and No. 40 Bidwell Avenue, was received advising the Board that they do not object to the proposed garages.

A protest signed by James Sachek, No. 38 Bidwell Avenue, and another protest signed by Henry Wrege, No. 23 Bidwell Avenue and Albert Wrege, 25 Bidwell Avenue, against the proposed garages were filed with the Board.

Mr. Patrick Murphy appeared before the Board and requested that permission be granted him for the erection of a garage in the cellar of No. 28 Bidwell Avenue.

Counsellor Wm. E. Sewell appeared for the protesting property owners on Bidwell Avenue. He protested particularly in behalf of Mr. Sachek of No. 38 Bidwell Ave., which is next door to the proposed garage at No. 40 Bidwell Avenue, stating that the noise and gasoline odors would inconvenience his client and ruin the sidewalk, also that the neighborhood was strictly residential and restricted to private houses and that the garages would cause the depriciation in value of the property on the block and increase the risk in fire insurance.

Mr. Albert Wrege also appeared and protested against the proposed garages. He stated that he was not protesting against Mr. Murphy individually, but that in the event that these permits were granted several other residents on the block would petition for garages under their houses and in that manner destroy one of the finest residential streets in the City.

Commissioner Gannon advised the Board that he had made a personal investigation of the matter, interviewing several property owners on the block and they did not object to the proposed garages. He stated that in his opinion the insurance rates would not be increased because of the garages. He also stated that there were two garages on the block at present and asked the protestants why they did not object to these at the time they were built. Counsellor Sewell stated that the people did not know that they would prove such a nuisance

Commissioner Fagen stated that it

was time the Board adopted a stand in connection with these garages under the houses; that in accordance with the decision of Justice Swayze of the Supreme Court, the City government had the power to deny such applications; that the continual construction of these garages was destroying the residential sections of the City and that if the City desires to keep increasing the residential sections some action must be taken to prohibit the destruction of these streets; that Bayonne has learned a lesson from the garages in cellars and is now considering the adoption of an ordinance prohibiting such garages; that the sidewalks are always full of gasoline and the doors of the garages resemble stable doors, thus destroying lawns, terraces and etc., and causing the depreciation of property; that these garages cause the increase of fire insurance rates on adjoining property. He also stated that he will vote against this application in accordance with his report submitted to the Board at the meeting held October 19th, 1920, and against any other application which may be submitted for similar privileges. In conclusion he urged the Board to introduce an ordinance and adopt it prohibiting such garages.

The Mayor stated that property owners and property in residential sections must be protected; that Commissioner Fagen's argument was for the interest of the residential sections of the City and that the Board would not want to drive the population out of these sections. In view of these facts and the protests filed against these applications, he suggested to Mr. Murphy that he withdraw his application.

In accordance with the Mayor's suggestion Mr. Murphy withdrew his application for permission to erect garage in cellar of No. 28 Bidwell Avenue and also advised the Board that Miles Burke would withdraw his application for permission to build garage in cellar of No. 40 Bidwell Avenue.

In accordance with report submitted by Commissioner Gannon and the resolution adopted by the Board at the meeting held October 19, 1920, Mr. Ralph Perry of the R. H. Perry Coal Company, Mr. Toffey of the Jersey City Coal Company and Mr. Ford of the Greenville Coal and Ice Company, appeared before the Board in connection with the coal situation in Jersey City for the coming winter.

Mr. Perry stated that Jersey City was being supplied with coal cheaper than any other city; that the conditions were such as to warrant a plentiful supply for the coming winter and that there was no danger of a shortage.

Commissioner Gannon asked Mr. Perry if it was true that he was supplying coal to New York dealers. Mr. Perry replied that the only coal that New York dealers were able to secure from him was a certain egg coal which is not used by the people in Jersey City.

Mr. Toffey stated that by purchasing this egg coal the Jersey City dealers are able to purchase more of the coal than can be used by Jersey City, and that for this reason they buy this egg coal and supply the outside dealers with it, but that no other coal is sold to these dealers.

Mr. Perry stated that the people are getting their winter supply in early and that will save trouble carting coal over the snow and slippery roads; that the apartment houses have no trouble securing coal.

Commissioner Gannon then asked Mr. Perry whether an owner of an apartment house was telling the truth if he said that he could not obtain coal to furnish heat for his tenants. Mr. Perry replied that anyone could secure a supply of coal within one day's notice provided his credit was all right.

In conclusion Mr. Perry, Mr. Toffey and Mr. Ford stated that there was no danger of any shortage of coal for the coming winter.

A communication was received from Mr. E. C. Altshul of the E. C. Altshul Coal Company advising the Board that he could not appear at the hearing because he was serving as a member of the Grand Jury, but as an independent coal dealer with a railroad siding on the Central R. R. of New Jersey, he is ready to place same at the disposal of the Commission if they are in a position to obtain any coal for Jersey City use.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From Charles Wahl, requesting permission to alter building No. 815 Newark Avenue.

Received.

From H. Koenigsberg, requesting permission to alter building No. 206 Monticello Avenue.

Received.

From Schulte Realty Corporation, requesting permission to build brick extension at No. 748-750 Bergen Avenue.

Received.

From Henry Hesse, requesting permission to alter No. 408 Summit Avenue.

Received.

From Alex. Simpson, advising the Board that he had obtained a judgment for $5,000 and $68.64 costs in the case of Edward Caufield against John Jorgessen, a jitney owner, bonded by the State Mutual Liability Insurance Company; that the judgment has not been paid; that he is about to proceed against the insurance company.

Received and referred to Commissioner Gannon.

From residents and property owners of Jewett Avenue, between Boulevard and West Side Avenue, protesting against the proposed erection of a public garage at Nos. 206-208 Jewett Avenue.

Received and referred to Commissioner Gannon and Superintendent of Buildings John Saul.

From Retail Grocers' Association, calling attention of the Board to the poor lighting system on Mercer Street between Barrow Street and Baldwin Avenue.

Received and referred to Commissioner Fagen.

From Warren Dixon, relative to claim of Archibald Schwartz, son of Elal Schwartz, deceased, who was supposed to have been restored to the position as Interpreter in the Police Department prior to his death on August 30, 1920.

Received and referred to the Corporation Counsel.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

From Corporation Counsel, advising the Board that the conveyance of the small gore piece of land forming part of the tract sold by the City to the M. W. Kellogg Company would not interfere with any City street or with any of the proposed City improvements in that section, and returning the resolution and his letter dated October 19, 1920.

Received.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following-named persons in the amounts indicated:

$70.42, Ahlmeyer Bros., supplies.
$12.25, Ahlmeyer Bros., supplies.
$69.10, L. A. Bittighofer, supplies.
$16.00, Charles F. Hansen, supplies.
$11.60, Charles F. Hansen, supplies.
$46.50, Charles Hayes, horseshoeing.
$319.26, James P. Hall, Inc., supplies.
$6.60, Jersey City Supply Co., supplies.
$14.50, Jersey City Supply Co., supplies.
$13.50, John Kirkpatrick, horseshoeing.
$4.00, Munson Supply Company, supplies.
$50.50, Thomas J. Miskel, horseshoeing.
$8.20, New York Telephone Co., serice.
$5.75, New York Telephone Co., service.
$5.60, New York Telephone Co., service.
$37.96, New York Telephone Co., service.
$137.50, R. H. Perry & Co., supplies.
$40.53, Public Service Electric Company, service.
$1.65, Public Service Gas Company, service.
$2,196.00, A. Steiert & Son, supplies.
$500.00, A. Steiert & Son, supplies.
$1,325.00, A. Steiert & Son, supplies.

$89.75, J. F. Sullivan, horseshoeing.

$52.00, James Sweeney, horseshoeing.

$67.50, Richard Stanton, horseshoeing.

$205.84, Stillman & Van Siclen Chem. Lab. Co., Inc.

$60.00, Stillman & Van Siclen Chem. Lab. Co., Inc.

$38.35, The Texas Company, supplies.

$437.50, Graham Van Keuren, granite block.

$7.80, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$15.75, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$150.75, Auto Economic Company, supplies.

$25.03, Boonton Auto Garage, supplies.

$24.00, Adam Black, repairs.

3.90, Walter J. Coleman, supplies.

$21.00, A. J. Doan & Son, printing.

$8.70, Dobke Typewriter Exchange, supplies.

$176.83, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., supplies.

$2.95, Charles F. Hansen, supplies.

$68.94, Jersey City Supply Company. supplies.

$122.10, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$33.41, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$59.70, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$29.45, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$30.50, E. Kelly, horseshoeing.

$33.00, C. Fred Leffhalm, refund.

$27.63, Neptune Meter Co., supplies.

$24.67, Neptune Meter Co., supplies.

$3.05, New York Telephone Company, service.

$7.52, New York Telephone Company, service.

$98.86, New York Telephone Company, supplies.

$27.50, John H. Paul, supplies.

$4.30, Public Serice Electric Co., service.

$34.45, Public Service Gas Company, service.

$435.00, A. P. Smith Mfg. Co., supplies.

$20.00, Stillman & Van Siclen Chemical Company.

$60.00, Stillman & Van Siclen Chemical Company.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, that warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following-named persons for the following amounts and purposes.

$6.30, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$390.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$69.12, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$12.16, Burroughs Adding Machine, repairs to machine.

$7.50, Jacobs Sign Co., five enamel plates.

$4.00, Munson Supply Co., speed keys.

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$1.50, Dobke Typewriter Exchange, repairing machine.

$10.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$17.80, New York Telephone Co., services.

$32.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$20.25, Venango Stone Co., 4 C. caps under brick piers.

$125.00, James E. Pope, rent.

$5.00, Jos. Bardach, repairs to auto.

$68.00, Freeth Sign & Adv. Co., building, painting and erecting sign.

$17.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$2.15, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.

$84.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$33.60, Rowland & Westphal, premium on insurance.

$96.75, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., auto supplies.

$19.55, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.

$.50, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.

$100.00, Henry Berghorn, postage stamps.

$14.42, Library Bureau, stationery.

$170.10, Herald Printing Co., printing.

$11.00, Great Bear Springs Co., water.

$5.00, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$9.50, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$12.00, Henry J. Reitze, six reflectors.

$2.75, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.

$31.00, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$23.00, American Law Book Co., law books.

$7.50, Lawyers Co-operative Publishing Co., Vol. 6 law reports.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner A. H. Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in payment of the following claims:

$566.77, McConnell Coal Co., coal.

$15.00, Albert Datz, entry blanks.

$234.00, J. Connors, horse and wagon hire.

$243.00, J. Connors, horse and wagon hire.

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$56.70, W. A. Barclay, roof repair.

$48.00, W. McGowan, range repair.

$29.40, Thos. L. Higgins, hardware.

$44.28, Thos. L. Higgins, hardware.

$30.60, Colgate Co., soap.

$26.51, Thos. L. Higgins, shovels and nails.

$300.00, Interstate Chemical Co., arsenate lead.

$95.00, Interstate Chemical Co., weed killer.

$51.00, Colgate Co., soap.

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$4.40, A. B. Kuntz, fuses.

$35.43, J. C. Supply Co., plumbing supplies.

$198.90, Expert Auto Tire Co., tires and repairs.

$41.50, Herman Sethman, roof repair.

$3.00, James P. Hall, sand.

$191.77, R. H. Perry, coal.

$10.71, J. C. Lumber Co., spruce.

$12.00 J. C. Lumber Co., spruce.

$22.75, J. C. Lumber Co., partitions.

$24.00, J. C. Lumber Co., lumber.

$9.01, J. C. Lumber Co., lumber.

$300.00, John A. Ward, water heater.

$5.00, George H. Aspinwall, polish.

$90.00, George H. Aspinwall, cleaner.

$18.00, W. A. Barclay, roof repair.

$24.90, James P. Hall, cement.

$26.55, W. A. Barclay, leader repair.

$22.20, James P. Hall, sand and cement.

$8.66, W. A. Barclay, pipe repair.

$91.00, Anthony A. Loth, music.

$9.80, Thos. L. Higgins, brooms.

$33.75, The Stirling Machine Works, elevator repair.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following-named parties for the following amounts and purposes as hereinafter set forth:

$25.00, Gamewell Fire Alarm Tel. Co.

$90.75, Garfunkel Bros.

$25.00, A. Kuntz.

$9.00, Edmund Nacion.

$41.20, Valvoline Oil Co.

$38.56, Thos. L. Higgins.

$144.00, The Evening Journal Assn.

$233.00, Union Printing Co.

$12.50, Chas. F. Hansen.

$3.00, Public Service Elec. Co.

$4.00, Public Service Elec. Co.

$27.34, Public Service Elec. Co.

$110.80, Public Service Elec. Co.

$122.80, Public Service Gas Co.

39.80, New York Telephone Co.

$838.76, Carscallen & Cassidy.

693.08, Carscallen & Cassidy.

$448.22, R. H. Perry & Co.

$40.00, John Brennon.

$42.00, Oscar L. Nordine.

$12.00, C. J. Lutton.

$97.00, Wm. McKittrick.

$67.00, John Kirkpatrick.

$4.84, Stewart-Warner Speedometer Corp.

$33.05, Marey Stove Repair Co.

$2.00, The Thos. Wright Co., Inc.

$4.00, Boyle-Loewus Motor Co.

$178.37, Jersey City Supply Co.

$30.00, Am. La France Fire Eng. Co.

$139.35, Am. La France Fire Eng. Co.

$13.00, Keegan's Garage.

$141.70, I. Judge.

$2.33, Fred's Auto Exchange.

$374.69, The Peter Jocham Co.

$30.00, Wedlake-Lamson Co.

$14.90, John A. Vill & Son.

75c., Am. Bosch Magneto Corp.

$18.50, Magneto-Generator Starter Elec. Co.

$6.70, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co.

$12.79, E. A. Williams & Son, Inc.

$34.30, Union Printing Co.

$48.41, Julius Frey.

$17.25, Am. La France Fire Eng. Co.

$72.00, J. W. Greene.

$28.80, Jos. Dixon Crucible Co.

$19.26 E. R. Squibbs.

$59.52, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., parts.

$16.22, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., parts.

$10.31, J. H. Browne, soda.

$13.26, H. C. Cassell, soft soap.

$2.50, A. Datz Co., law book.

$34.70 Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., repairs.

$6.00, Fagan Iron Works, iron.

$48.51, Jos. Flannery, lamps.

$34.30, Garfunkle Bros., tel. cords.

$434.70, Garfunkle Bros., wire.

$21.00, Garfunkle Bros., batteries.

$6.85, C. F. Hansen, stationery.

$20.40, C. F. Hansen, stationery.

$91.72, Hendee Mfg. Co. ,parts.

$148.36, Hendee Mfg. Co., parts.

$30.38, T. L. Higgins, supplies.

$337.15, P. Jocham Co., repairs.

$30.00, A. Kuntz, jars.

$9.45, T. M. G. Lennon, paper.

$64.50, F. J. Ratigan, wind shield cleaners.

$22.54, Union Printing Co., printing.

$42.80, Valvoline Oil Co., oil.

$98.60, J. A. Vill & Son, supplies.

$3.50, J. A. Vill & Son, repairs.

$41.60, Valvoline Oil Co., oil.

$37.73, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following-named claimants for the following amounts and purposes:

$97.32, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$68.91, Hamilton Meat Market, meat.

$16.00, D. Eisenberg, oranges.

$6.75, Whipple Hardware Co., hardware.

$20.40, The Maltine Co., Maltine.

$68.60, M. Weiss & Co., nurses' desk.

$5.50, Otto Wilkens, rubber gloves.

$83.30, Public Service Gas Co., service.

$74.44, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$18.86, N. Y. Telephone Co., serice.

$17.00, Public Service Elec. Co., service.

$447.00, A. McDonough, groceries.

$99.94, Queen's Daughters Day Nursery, coal.

$48.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$6.50, C. F. Hansen, stationery.

$30.16, George J. Murray, repairing autos.

$1.50, Morris Motor Car Co., oil can.

$9.81, Hudson Surgical Co., medical supplies.

$5.70, William R. Holmes, coffee.

$439.78, The Kleinhaus Store, dry goods.

$1.25, Tom Murray, shoe laces.

$2.23, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

$12.80, The Kleinhaus Store, overalls.

$19.30, A. Kuntz, electrical repairs, etc.

$3.60, Charles F. Hansen, erasing fluid.

$14.50, Great Bear Spring Water Co., spring water.

$40.00, William Neumann, refund of building permit fee.

$1.25, Carl Luck, repairing lock.

$34.46, Archbald & Gallagher, groceries.

$70.05, McCloskey Drug Co., drugs.

$85.51, Joseph T. Stanley, dry goods.

$5.50, Jersey City Supply Co., gasoline torch.

$335.50, W. R. Holmes, coffee and tea.

$110.00, F. Russel Lyman, gauze.

$88.28, Archibald & Gallagher, groceries.

$1.15, Joseph H. Browne, salt.

$188.22, Joseph H. Browne, soap and ammonia.

$62.03, Archibald & Gallagher, groceries.

$279.56, D. Eisenberg, fruits and vegetables.

$10.40, Novocol Chemical Mfg. Co., procaine.

$24.00, American Scrubbing Equip. Co., steel brushes.

$150.00, N. J. Window Cleaning Co., cleaning windows.

$309.93, D. Eisenberg, fruit.

$217.19, Edward M. Dixon, fish and clams.

$86.18, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$14.70, Hudson Surgical Co., tongue depressors.

$6.90, Haggerty Bros. & Co., corks and droppers.

$80.30, Palisade Auto Supply Co., auto supplies.

$56.94, Public Service Gas Co., gas.

$112.80, McCloskey Drug Co., drugs, etc.

$395.48, L. L. Croner, groceries.

$113.92, Otto Wilkens, instruments, etc.

$8.85, Public Service Elec. Co., power.

$254.20, Public Service Elec. Co., gas.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

PAY ROLLS.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set

$12.60, Thomas L. Higgins, sanapaper.

$108.31, Joseph H. Browne, soda, etc.

$34.66, Wm. C. Hagen, meats.

$100.04, P. Loffredo, lamb.

$111.23, John F. Crosby, fruit and vegetables.

$352.80, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$1,892.45, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$7.80, P. Loffredo, chickens.

$145.57, John H. Cooney, heating extras.

$85.04, John H. Cooney, heating extras.

$269.50, John H. Cooney, extra work on water heater.

$34.50, C. A. Woolsey, paint, etc.

$113.50, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., repairing tires.

$209.25, Mountain Ice Co., ice.

$187.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$70.25, Garfunkel Bros., elec. lamps.

$15.80, Hardenberg Mfg. Co., Vanovene.

$12.64 N. Y. World, Advertising for orderlies.

$19.60, Herald Printing Co., diet sheets.

forth on the attached pay rolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being for services rendered during the periods specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS.

From Commissioner Fagen, submitting application of M. Rothberg requesting permission to erect twelve garages at Ocean Avenue and the Central R. R. bridge, facing on the avenue, and recommending that a public hearing be held on this application in view of the fact that there are numerous brick houses and apartment houses adjacent to the proposed garages.

Received.

By Commissioner Fagen, submitting application of T. Woodley for permission to erect a number of garages in the rear of property 59-61 Summit Avenue, and recommending that a public hearing be held on this application in view of the fact that there are a number of garages in Prescott Street; that this section is strictly residential and the streets are being improved with asphalt and the garages would be a detriment to the residential tone of the neighborhood.

Received.

From Commissioner Fagen, returning ordinances for the relief of the M. W. Kellogg Company in the laying and maintaining of pipe lines and spur track at Droyer's Point.

Received.

From Commissioner Gannon, submitting supplemental debt statement.

Received and ordered filed.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, The M. W. Kellogg Company has requested permission of Jersey City to tap or connect with the Bayonne water pipe line at or near Danforth Avenue, Jersey City, for the purpose of securing water for use in construction of a new plant on lands acquired by said company from Jersey City; and

Whereas, The City is desirous of facilitating the operations of said company in the construction of said plant; and

Whereas, The point at which said Bayonne water line is to be tapped is shown upon blue print annexed hereto and known as No. X105, said connection to consist of four-inch main pipe line with two-inch branch lines, to be laid on the property of the company, together with appropriate meter or measuring device to determine the quantity of water consumed;

Therefore, Be It Resolved, That permission be and the same hereby is granted to said company to tap or connect with the said water pipe line of the City of Bayonne at the joint and in the manner shown upon the annexed blue print No. X105, provided the consent of the City of Bayonne be obtained thereto and provided further that such water shall be used for construction purposes in and about such plant and until the City of Jersey City has laid and constructed pipe lines so as to make available the furnishing of water by it to said company; that bills for water so consumed shall be rendered to Jersey City by Bayonne at the rate provided for under any existing or subsequent agreement heretofore or hereafter made between said cities; that said company shall pay to Jersey City for such water the usual rates charged water consumers in Jersey City and which rates are shown in pamphlet or schedule of rates attached hereto, said payments to be made within ten days after the rendition of bills, interest and penalties to be charged in the customary manner, upon all arrears.

Further Resolved, This resolution shall become effective when a certified copy thereof, assented to by said company, is filed with the Director of Streets and Public Improvements.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the work under Contract No. 2333, for the improvement of Cliff Street from Hudson County Boulevard to Liberty Avenue, with Belgian block pavement on a concrete base, grouted with cement, by the Van Keuren Contracting Company, Constractors, be and the same is hereby accepted as completed and the Chief Engineer be and he is hereby directed to file with the Commissioners of Assessments a statement showing the entire cost of said improvement, and that thereupon the said Commissioners of Assessments shall proceed to make a proper assessment of any lands or real estate that may have been benefitted or increased in value by such improvement, conformably to the provisions of Chapter 152, of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recomendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements contract for the repaving of Stegman Street from the Boulevard to Bergen Avenue, with sheet asphalt, be and the same is hereby awarded to W. T. S. Crichfield at the price named in his bid, namely, one hundred and ten per cent. of the Standard, his being the lowest bid received, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commission Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements contract for the furnishing and installing about one hundred and twenty-five (125) street signs in the City of Jersey City, N. J., be and the same is hereby awarded to Louis W. Kelly, at the price named in his bid, namely, twenty-seven dollars and ninety cents each ($27.90), his being the lowest bid received; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance granting permission to the United New Jersey Railroad and Canal Company and Vulcan Iron Works, Inc., a corporation, to lay and maintain a certain track or siding along a certain street in Jersey City, known as Hudson Street;

Whereas, the United New Jersey Railroad and Canal Company and Vulcan Iron Works, Inc., made application to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City by written petition for permission to lay and maintain a certain railroad track or siding along Hudson Street and into the property of the Vulcan Iron Works, Inc., starting at a point about forty-five (45) feet north of the north side of Essex Street, to run one hundred and seventy-four (174) feet in a southerly direction along Hudson Street, then to curve in an easterly direction at a radius of one hundred (100) feet into the property of your petitioner, Vulcan Iron Works, Inc., and crossing the east building line of Hudson Street about one hundred and forty-five (145) feet south of the south side of Essex Street; said petition having annexed thereto and made a part thereof a plan showing the proposed location of said track or siding, and the said Board of Commissioners having duly advertised the same and having held a public hearing for objections thereto; and

Whereas; No reason appears why said permission should not be granted; therefore

The Board of Commissioners of Jersey do ordain:

Section 1: Permission is hereby granted to the United New Jersey Railroad and Canal Company and Vulcan Iron Works, Inc., a corporation, to construct, or cause to be constructed and maintained, a certain railroad track or siding along Hudson Street starting at a point about forty-five (45) feet North of the north side of Essex Street, to run one hundred and seventy-four (174) feet in a southerly direction along Hudson Street, then to curve in an easterly direction at a radius of one hundred (100) feet into the property of your petitioner, Vulcan Iron Works, Inc., and crossing the east building line of Hudson Street about one hundred and forty-five (145) feet south of the south side of Essex Street, in the manner shown upon the plan annexed to the said petition presented to and filed with the Board.

Section 2: That the said siding hereby authorized to be laid in the manner shown on the plan attached to said application shall be constructed and maintained in such a manner as to afford the least inconvenience to the traveling public, and any operation and maintenance hereunder shall, during the entire period and life of this ordinance, be subject to regulation by the properly constituted city authorities. The beneficiaries under this ordinance shall also protect and maintain any and all portions of any public or private sewer or sewers and water pipes now laid, or hereafter to be laid in said Hudson Street, or other public property over which it may be necessary to place the track or siding herein authorized; but the municipal authorities shall have the right at any time to enter upon the roadway traversed by the said track and structure to examine, repair, re-locate, restore and install any municipal property.

Section 3. The ordinance granting this privilege, except as hereinafter provided, to be of full force and effect for a period of twenty (20) years, but no work of construction shall be begun thereunder until an an acceptance of this ordinance shall be filed with this Board in the manner required by law. If at any time, Jersey City shall determine to repair, repave or improve, in any manner, the pavement, foundations, etc., of Hudson Street, that the said Vulcan Iron Works Co. and the said United New Jersey Railway and Caanl Company will, at their own expense, repave, repair, reconstruct and rebuild in the same style and manner the space between their track and eighteen inches outside of this spur, hereby granted, when ordered by the proper authority of Jersey City, under whose supervision such things are or may hereafter fall.

Section 4. The City hereby reserves the right at any time during the life of this ordinance to grant similar privileges to other applicants, and in so doing permit and require the use in common of the aforedescribed track or siding or any portion thereof and the beneficiaries under this ordinance shall not object to the granting of a franchise by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City to the owner or owners of property situate on the westerly side of Hudson Street of a spur, track or siding running from a point in the said track on Hudson Street about one hundred and fifty (150) feet southerly from the southerly side of Essex Street on a radius of about one hundred (100) feet into said property on the westerly side of Hudson Street.

Section 5. Refusal by the beneficiaries under this ordinance to comply with any of the obligations or requirements expressed or implied in any section hereof shall constitute sufficient reason for the amending or revocal hereof, and the subsequent removal of any tracks laid under the provisions hereof without recourse by said beneficiaries for damage of any character.

Section 6. Said United New Jersey Railroad and Canal Company and Vulcan Iron Works, Inc., shall file and acceptance of the terms of this ordinance, as required by law; and in case of failure to do so, all rights and privileges hereby granted shall cease and be at an end.

Section 7. In accepting the privilege of this ordinance and the operating and maintenance hereby authorized, the beneficiaries hereunder hereby agree to assume full, complete and undivided responsibility for any and all injury or damage to persons of property by reason of such operation and to hold the City harmless therefrom.

Section 8. For the privileges herein accorded the beneficiaries hereunder shall pay annually to the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City the sum of Five Hundred and Fifty Dollars ($550.00) proper proportions of which payment shall be made semi-annually in advance to the Comptroller of Jersey City, at his office in the City Hall, on the first days of November and May next succeeding the becoming effective of this ordinance.

Section 9. That in case the City shall, during the life of this ordinance, change the legal grade of said Hudson Street the beneficiaries hereunder shall waive any right to damage to their railroad track and structures cause by said change.

Section 10. All costs and expenses incident to the introduction, passage and publication of this ordinance shall be paid by the applicant.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance changing the location of a part of Duffield and Van Keuren Avenues, in Jersey City, vacating the same upon the opening and improvement of portions in lieu thereof, which are hereby accepted.

Whereas, Public Service Electric Company the owner in fee of abutting lands, as well as the lands on which that part of Duffield and Van Keuren Avenues, shown on the map or plan hereto attached and made a part hereof, hereinafter described are relocated, having, by petition, applied to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City for the relocation of said part of said avenues by laying the same in another location and vacating the portion of the same now occupied, and the matter having regularly come before this Board, and public notice of the intention to consider the same having been given by the Board at least ten days before the passage of this ordinance in newspapers circulating in Jersey City, which notice designated the time and place when and where such Board would consider such ordinance, and at the time and place so designated, and at the time to which the matter was adjourned, all persons whose lands were affected by such ordinance and all who were interested therein were given an opportunity to be heard, and there also being no objection to the passage of this ordinance, and it seeming proper so to do; therefore,

The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain as follows:

1. The location of Duffield and Van Keuren Avenue, in the City of Jersey City, is hereby changed so that hereafter the location thereof shall bas as follows, that is to say: Over and upon all that strip or parcel of land beginning at a point on the easterly line of Duffield Avenue, where the same is intersected by the division line between lands of The Holland Company and The Dodge and Bliss Company; thence (1) along said easterly line N. 31 degrees 24 feet E. 60 feet and 75/100 of a foot; thence (2) S. 49 degrees 35 feet E. parallel with and 60 feet distant northerly from the aforesaid division line 439 feet and 25/100 of a foot; thence (3) N. 31 degrees 24 feet E. 111 feet and 38/100 of a foot to the southerly line of Van Keuren Avenue; thence (4) along said southerly line of Van Keuren Avenue S. 49 degrees 35 feet E. 60 feet and 75/100 of a foot to the division line between lands of The Holland Company and lands of The Dodge and Bliss Company; thence (5) along said division line S. 31 degrees 24 feet W. 172 feet and 13/100 of a foot to the first-mentioned division line between lands of The Holland Company and lands of The Dodge and Bliss Company; thence (6) along said division line N. 49 degrees 35 feet W. 500 feet to the easterly line of Duffield Avenue and point or place of beginning. All as shown and described on the map or plan hereto attached, and marked in yellow, and made a part hereof, in place and stead of the present location thereof, which is hereby vacated, and is described as follows, that is to say: All that strip of land beginning at a point in the westerly line of Duffield Avenue, a distance of 60 feet and 75/100 of a foot northwardly from the dividing line between lands of The Holland Company and lands of The Dodge and Bliss Company measured along the said westerly line and extending (1) N. 31 degrees 24 feet east along said westerly line of Duffield Avenue as heretofore located 172 feet and 13/100 of a foot to a corner, the same being the intersection of the westerly line of Duffield Avenue and the northerly line of Van Keuren Avenue as heretofore located; thence (2) S. 49 degrees 35 feet E. along the present northerly line of Van Keuren Avenue 500 feet to a point in said line distant 60 feet and 75/100 of a foot northwardly from the southerly line of Van Keuren Avenue which point is also 60 feet and 75/100 of a foot distant from the dividing line between lands of The Holland Company and lands of The Dodge and Bliss Company measured along the northerly line of Van Keuren Avenue; thence (3) S. 31 degrees 24 feet W. 60 feet and 75/100 of a foot to a point on the present southerly line of Van Keuren Avenue; thence (4) along said present southerly line north 49 degrees 35 feet W. 439 feet and 25/100 of a foot to a corner, where the said present southerly line of Van Keuren Avenue intersects the present easterly line of Duffield Avenue; and thence (5) S. 31 degrees 24 feet W. along the present easterly line of Duffield Ave-

nue, 111 feet and 38/100 of a foot to a point in the easterly line of said street as it is hereby located; and thence (6) N. 49 degrees 35 feet W. 60 feet and 75/100 of a foot to the place of beginning. Being the land outlined in red on the aforesaid map.

2. Before the vacation herein provided for shall take effect Public Service Electric Company shall open and improve that portion of the said avenues hereby relocated at least equal to the present improvement of that portion of the said avenues hereby vacated to the satisfaction of Director of Streets and Public Improvements.

3. Upon the filling of a certificate of Director of Streets and Public Improvements, in writing, with the Clerk of Jersey City that said avenues as relocated have been so improved and thrown open to public use, then and from thenceforth the parcel of land first herein described is accepted as the new location of said Duffield and Van Keuren Avenues in lieu and place of the present location thereof, which is secondly hereinbefore described and hereby vacated.

4. Public Service Electric Company shall pay for the expense of the publication of said notice and this ordinance, which shall take effect immediately.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, There was referred, on the 20th day of July, 1920, to the Commissioners of Assessment of Jersey City the matter of the widening of Mallory Avenue between Clendenny Avenue and Roosevelt Avenue; and

Whereas, The said Commissioners of Assessment did convene and did examine and appraise the land to be taken for such widening improvement and cause notice of hearing to be served upon the owners of said lands and all parties in interest; and

Whereas, The said owners and parties in interest appeared either in person or by attorney and testified as to the value of said lands to be so taken; and

Whereas, The said Commissioners of Assessment did consider the testimony so adduced as to land value and did fix the amount to be paid for said land to be so taken, taking into consideration the damages, both immediate and consequential, that resulted thereby, all in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152 of the Pamphlet Laws of New Jersey of 1917 and the various amendments thereof and supplements thereto; and

Whereas, The said report of said Commissioners, with map and schedule of awards made up by them and attached to said report, has been presented to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City on the 19th day of October, 1920; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said report, with the accompanying map and schedule, be and the same is hereby accepted and confirmed, and that the City Clerk be and he hereby is ordered to draw warrants for the different owners and parties in interest for the amount of the award as set forth in the list opposite the respective name of each.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and requested to fix a date for public hearing on the application of M. Rothberg for permission to erect twelve garages at Ocean Avenue and the Central R. R. Bridge, and to post notices of said hearing at least five days prior to the hearing.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,

Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and requested to fix a date for public hearing on the application of T. Woodley for permission to erect a number of garages in the rear of property No. 59-61 Summit Avenue, and to post notices of said hearing at least five days prior to the hearing.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby granted to John M. Hughes' Sons Co. to remove six (6) two-story frame buildings from 611, 613, 615, 619, 621, 623 Montgomery Street to their proposed new locations directly across the street, 608, 610, 612, 614, 616 Montgomery Street, such permission being subject to the conditions as set forth in resolution of the Board of Street and Water Commissioners, April 29, 1912.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements permission be and is hereby granted to Antonio Yannuzzi and Frank Collello to lay a six-inch private drain pipe from in front of their property, Lot No. 48B, Block No. 1898, to connect with present sewer in Mercer Street, subject to all rules and regulations of this Commission, and especially conformable to resolution passed by the Board of Streets and Water Commissioners, on July 3, 1900, provided that said beneficiaries shall restore the pavement disturbed in making said connection to a condition satisfactory to the Department of Streets and Public Improvements.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That His Honor, the Mayor, and the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, be and they are hereby authorized and requested to sign, and the City Clerk to attest, an agreement between the City of Jersey City and the Erie Railroad Company to lay additional water pipe.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance making an appropriation of $250,000 for an additional water supply and authorizing the issue of bonds in that amount.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1: The sum of $250,000 is appropriated for the purpose of providing an additional supply of water for Jersey City.

Section 2: For the purpose of providing funds to meet such appropriation and to temporarily finance said improvement there shall be issued $250,000 temporary improvement water bonds pursuant to the provisions of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled "An Act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations, and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality, governed by an improvement commission," constituting chapter 252 of the Pamphlet Laws of 1916 as amended, Said Bonds shall recite that they are issued for the purpose of providing for an additional water supply for said city, shall bear interest at a rate not exceeding six per centum (6%) per annum, payable semi-annually, and shall mature in one year from the date of their issue. The faith and credit of the City of Jersey City is hereby pledged to the punctual payment of the principal and interest of said temporary improvement bonds as the same shall become due. Said bonds shall be issued and from time to time renewed.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance for the vacation of part of Hillside Road in the City of Jersey City, in the County of Hudson and State of New Jersey, which said part of said Hillside Road is hereinafter particularly described.

Whereas, The Standard Oil Company, a corporation of the State of New Jersey, heretofore and on the thirtieth day of December, A. D. 1919, filed with this Board, its petition praying that the part of Hillside Road, which is hereafter particularly described, should be vacated, and that the rights and duties of the public therein, might cease and terminate; and

Whereas, By due advertisement given in accordance with the statute in such case made and provided, a public hearing was held upon the 17th day of February, A. D. 1920, at two o'clock in the afternoon at the Assembly Chamber, in the City Hall, at Jersey City, and no one appeared at said public hearing to oppose the graanting of said petition and the relief prayed for therein, and no objections having been made in any other manner, and it now appearing to the satisfaction of this Board that no good reason exists why the prayer of said petition should not be granted:

Therefore, the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, acting for and on behalf of the municipality, do ordain:

Section 1: That all that part of Hillside Road as shown by the plan or diagram and the particular description accompanying the petition in this ordinance, and which is particularly described as follows:

"All that certain tract of land situated in Jersey City, N. J., known and described as follows:

Commencing at a point in the northerly line of Hoboken Avenue where the same is intersected by the northwesterly line of Plot J, Block 718 City Map. Thence running in a northeasterly direction and along the northwesterly line of Plot J, Block 718 City Map 235 47/100 feet to the southwesterly line of Plot A, Block 704½ City Map.

Thence running in a southeasterly direction and along the southwesterly line of Plot A, Block 704½ City Map, 50 11/100 feet to a point.

Thence running in a southwesterly direction 193 30/100 feet to a point in the northerly line of Hoboken Avenue distant 45 11/100 feet measured in an easterly direction from the intersection of the northwesterly line of Plot J, Block 718 City Map with the northerly line of Hoboken Avenue.

Thence running in a southwesterly direction and along the northerly line of Hoboken Avenue 45 11/100 feet to the point or place of beginning. Said above described piece of land was acquired for the opening of Hillside Road,"

be and the same hereby is vacated, and the public easement, right and duty therein, are vacated, terminated and ended.

Section 2: This ordinance shall take effect upon the payment by the said Standard Oil Company to the City Treasurer of Jersey City of the sum of Fifteen hundred and seventy Dollars twelve cents ($1,570.12) said amount being equivalent to assessed valuation for taxation purposes of a similar area of land adjoining Hillside Road.

Section 3: That all costs and expenses incident to the introduction, passage and publication of this Ordinance shall be paid by the applicant for the same.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing $13,450.00 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, Civil Service Commission has certified Albert M. Pellinger, 611 Garfield Avenue, Jersey City, as being eligible for appointment to the position of Map Letter Artist, in the Department of Revenue and Finance; therefore be it

Resolved, That Albert E. Pellinger is hereby appointed Map Letter Artist in the Department of Revenue and Finance at a salary of $2,000.00 payable semi-monthly effective October 26th, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing $62,000.00 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, that the specifications herewith submitted by the Director of Parks and Public Property for installation of a heating system in the American Legion Home, Clinton Avenue and Grand Street be and are hereby approved and the City Clerk authorized to advertise for bids.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, for the proper enclosing of the High School's Athletic Field at Montgomery Park, it will be necessary to locate a portion of the fence upon the stone abutments of the Lehigh Valley Railroad's Company's Bridge; and

Whereas, the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company has granted its permission, but desires us to enter into certain forms of agreements; be it

Resolved, That the Mayor be authorized to execute the attached agreements, after approval by the Law Department.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, the Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property has reported to this Board that, while making minor repairs to the steam heating boiler located in the Isolation Hospital Building, it was discovered that four sections of the boiler were completely broken and it is absolutely necessary to take the boiler apart, install four new sections and new steam mains and return lines to properly provide heating for the building; therefore be it

Resolved, that pursuant to Chapter 319, P. L. 1920, approved April 20th, 1920, this Board does declare an emergency to exist, and the exigency of the public service will not admit of advertising for bids to repair the steam boiler; and be it

Further Resolved, that the Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to have the necessary repairs made to the steam heating boiler located in the Isolation Hospital Building, without advertising and received proposals for same, in the approximate amount of One Thousand Seventy-five Dollars ($1,075).

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, the Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property has reported to this Board that the feed water heater in the engine room of the City Hospital Building is in immediate need of repairs, as it has been in constant use since the building was erected, and in order to make the proper provisions for the supply of hot water throughout the building, the repairs should be started without delay; therefore be it

Resolved, that pursuant to Chapter 319, P. L. 1920, approved April 20th, 1920, this Board does declare an emergency to exist and the exigency of the public service will not admit of advertising for bids to make the necessary repairs to the feed water heater and be it

Further Resolved, that the Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to have the necessary repairs made to the feed water heater located in the City Hospital Engine room, and without advertising and receiving proposals for same at the approximate sum of Nine Hundred Eighty Dollars ($980).

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, the Corporation Counsel reports to this Board that the title of the city to a small part of the premises purchased at public auction by the M. W. Kellogg Company is not vested in the city and that condemnation proceedings for the acquisition of the same are pending but not yet finished; and

Whereas, the purchaser is willing to complete the purchase, and pay the full purchase price, provided that the premises so not yet acquired by the city will be turned over to it when acquired, therefore be it

Resolved, that the Corporation Counsel be and he hereby is authorized to inform the purchaser that upon the acquisition by the City of title to the premises, the same will be deeded by the City to the said M. W. Kellogg Company, provided the full purchase price is now paid.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Excused from Voting: Commissioner Fagen.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, by agreement made and entered into by and between Jersey City, of the one part, and the M. W. Kellogg Company of the other part, under date of August 31st, 1920, it is provided the City shall take such steps as it legally may to cause a public street or highway to be opened, running from the westerly side or line of West Side Avenue, across the West Side Connecting Railroad to the easterly line of the Morris Canal and to obtain, if possible, the necessary permission to cross the Morris Canal with said street or highway and to carry the same to the easterly line of the property so sold to said company, the particular location of such proposed street being described by metos and bounds in said agreement; and

Whereas, it is also provided in and by said agreement that if said City should be unable to legally open said public street or highway that it should continue and immediately start and execute as rapidly as possible, the paving of Danforth Avenue from West Side Avenue to the Morris Canal; and

Whereas, it is further provided in

said agreement that said company should pave at its own expense the said street so to be opened by the City and running from West Side Avenue to the easterly line of the Morris Canal and that it should erect at its own expense a suitable bridge to carry said proposed highway over said canal and to the westerly side of the right of way of the Morris Canal; and

Whereas, it is also provided in said agreement that should it become necessary for the City to pave Danforth Avenue from West Side Avenue to the Morris Canal, in that event said company should carry said highway by means of a bridge across the Morris Canal and continue said highway to the southeasterly corner of the tract so sold by said City, said bridge to be about sixteen (16) feet wide and continuation of such highway to be at least twenty (20) feet in width and the roadway west of the westerly line to be paved with the same material and in the same manner as Danforth Avenue may be paved east of the easterly line of the said Morris Canal; and

Whereas, the West Side Connecting Railroad Company, through the Central Railroad of New Jersey, has refused permission to City to open and construct said proposed highway first hereinabove referred to across its right of way; and

Whereas, the said The M. W. Kellogg Company is desirous of expediting the completion of the means of access to the lands so purchased by it from the City and in order to save the delay attendant upon and the possible damage arising out of the condemnation of a right of way across the tracks of the West Side Connecting Railroad, said company has requested the City to pave Danforth Avenue from West Side Avenue to the Morris Canal; and

Whereas, because of the requiremnts of law with respect to advertising for bids and the awarding of contracts the City will be unable to cause said street between the points aforesaid to be paved as rapidly as is desired by said company, the said company is therefore willing to waive the provision of said contract which requires the City to open said public highway as hereinabove described and across the tracks of the West Side Connecting Railroad and is further willing to waive the further provision of said contract requiring the City to immediately pave Danforth Avenue provided said City proceed within nine months to grade and pave the same, the company in the meantime being willing to pave said street between the points aforesaid at its own expense in the following manner, viz.:

By grading said street approximately eighteen feet in width from the end of the present pavement on said street to the easterly side of the Morris Canal and to pave said street for such width, with such paving as may be suitable for its own purposes, such as a mixture of asphalt, ashes, concrete, etc.; to continue said street west of the Morris Canal, for the same width along the center line as shown on blue XII2A, attached to this resolution and made a part hereof, by means of a proper fill of dirt, gravel or ashes, properly topped with rolled ashes, asphalt, cement or concrete, depending on the facility with which the proper articles can be obtained for the expediting of the work; and

Whereas, said company is also desirous of starting immediately to construct a bridge carrying said Danforth Avenue across the Morris Canal of the width and in the manner shown upon the attached blueprint, making suitable provision for the protection of such sewers, water pipes or other municipal property as it may be necessary to cross with said bridge, the general character of construction being as follows: Pile and timber construction suitable for their own purposes and to carry heavy trucks.

Therefore, Be It Resolved, by this Board, that permission be and the same hereby is granted to said company to pave Danforth Avenue between West Side Avenue and the easterly line of the Morris Canal and west of the westerly line of the Morris Canal as above recited; and

Further Resolved, that permission be and the same hereby is granted to said company to construct a bridge across the Morris Canal for the purpose of carrying said highway over same, such bridge to be constructed in the manner hereinabove recited and as shown upon blue print attached hereto.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Excused from voting: Commissioner Fagen.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien

Whereas, Terence McSweeney, Lord Mayor of Cork, Ireland, who was unjustly incarcerated in an English prison, died as a martyr to the cause of Ireland, and

Whereas, we feel that his enforced imprisonment during the period of his hunger strike was unjust and that his treatment by the English Government was an outrage upon civilization; therefore be it

Resolved, that the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do hereby condemn this act of cruelty toward Mayor MacSwiney, and we extend to Mrs. MacSwiney and the other relatives of the deceased our most heartfelt sympathy.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, the next regular meeting day will be Tuesday, November 2nd, 1920, which is a legal holiday; therefore be it

Resolved, that the next regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City be held on Monday, November 1st, 1920, at 2 P. M. in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the Board adjourned.

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
CHARLES F. X. O'BRIEN,
FRANK HAUGE,
Commissioners.

Approved.
FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

Minutes of Meetings
of
Board of Commissioners

November, 1920

MEETING OF NOVEMBER 1, 1920

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Monday, November 1st, 1920, at 2 P. M.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Absent: Commissioner O'Brien and Mayor Hague (excused).

In the absence of the Mayor, Commissioner Gannon, Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance ad Vice-Mayor, presided.

RECEPTION OF BIDS.

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for furnishing and delivering various equipment and supplies for use in the various departments of the City Government, the City Clerk called for bids with the following result:

Ford Coupe, Department Streets and Public Improvements.

1. Keegan's Garage, $872.43, with freeholders surety bond.

Coupe, Department of Public Affairs.

1. Morris Motor Car Company, $3,108.66, with surety company bond.

Furniture and Equipment Section 1, Nurses' Home and City Hospital Buildings.

In connection with the proposals for furnishing furniture and equipment for the Nurses' Home ad City Hospital Buildings, the City Clerk advised the Board that Mr. John T. Rowland, Jr., Architect for the New City Hospital Buildings had advised the Director of the Department of Public Affairs that sufficient time had not been allowed bidders for spirited competition in submitting proposals and that in view of this fact he would recommend that the time for the reception of proposals for this purpose, be postponed for one week.

Whereupon the following resolution was introduced:

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, that the time for the reception of bids for furnishing and delivering furniture and equipment specified under Section 1, for use in the Nurses' Home and New City Hospital Buildings, be and the same is hereby postponed to Tuesday, November 9th, 1920, at 2 P. M. in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.
Nays: None.

CITY ORDINANCES.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, that the hearing on the final passage of Ordinance 238, authorizing $171,000.00 promissory notes of the City of Jersey City for Public Schools No. 6 and No. 23, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to Tuesday, November 9th, 1920, at 2 P. M. in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, and Moore.
Nays: None.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following-described application: H. Koenigsberg, alter building for store, 206 Monticello Avenue; Schulte Realty Company, build brick extension 748-750 Bergen Avenue; Henry Heese, alter dwelling house, No. 408 Summit Avenue; Charles Wahl, alter building for store, 815 Newark Avenue, the City Clerk read each application and then called for any one who might desire to protest against the granting of any of the above-described applications.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against any of the above-described applications.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, that the application of H. Koenigsberg for permission to alter frame dwelling, No. 206 Monticello Avenue, to be used for commercial purposes, be and the same is hereby referred to the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance for investigation and recommendation.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, and Moore.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved that permission be and the same is hereby granted to the Schulte Realty Corporation, Lessee, to build new brick extension 12 feet by 6 feet 8 inches by 14 feet high on rear of present frame one-story building, No. 748-750 Bergen Avenue, Jersey City, as shown on blue print attached to application;

Further Resolved, that the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, that permission be and the same is hereby granted to Henry Heese, to ercet new frame extension at side and rear of present two-story frame private house, to be used for bath rooms, also building new rear stairs and kitchen at 408 Summit Avenue, Jersey City, as shown on blue print attached to application;

Further Resolved, that the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, that permission be and the same is hereby granted to Chas. Wahl, to raise present building, remove partitions, install bath room and build one-story brick extension, covering frame dwelling into store as shown on blue print attached to application, in premises No. 815 Newark Avenue, Jersey City;

Further Resolved, that the Superindent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon
Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From James R. Bowen, submitting maps of property of Chas. E. A. Woeckener, and requesting the approval of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City so that that they may be filed with the Register of Hudson County.

Received and referred to Commissioner Fagen.

From Charles H. Nicoll, submitting maps of his property and requesting the approval of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City so that they may be filed with the Register of Hudson County.

Received and referred to Commissioner Fagen.

From Robert Carey, requesting a refund of taxes in connection with the property acquired by the City from Lillian P. Steel, Harry C. Pearsall and Elizabeth Russell for the erection of a permanent public market at Jersey Avenue and Maxwell Street.

Received and referred to Commissioner Gannon.

From Chas. Ferrett, requesting permission in behalf of the E. Ferrett Estate, to maintain encroachment on building known as 67 Booraem Avenue, Jersey City.

Received.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

From C. A. Van Keuren, Chief Engineer detailed statement showing the total cost of the improvement of Hutton Street from Liberty Avenue to Hudson Boulevard.

Received and referred to Commissioners of Assessment.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, that warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following-named persons in the amounts indicated:

$467.53, American Cresoting Co., supplies.

$25.50, Jersey City Supply Co., supplies.

$9.60, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$137.23; Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$15.25, L. Clark, repairs.

$26.59, Chester De Puy, supplies.

$10.00, Dobke Typewriting Exchange, repairs.

$5.00, Fagan Iron Works, supplies.

$54.00, Fagan Iron Works, supplies.

$6,249.60, The Kennedy Valve Manufacturing Co.

$52.87, John McWilliams & Sons, supplies.

$809.12, Pennsylvania Salt Manufacturing Co., supplies.

$40.70, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$344.95, The Texas Company, supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, that warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in payment of the following claims:

$1,910.00, J. I. Hass, painting fence.

$19.60, Thos. L. Higgins, ash cans.

$1.60, Thos. L. Higgins, pipe.

$10.00, Thos. L. Higgins, galvanized pipe.

$95.00, W. A. Barclay, roof repair.

$16.00, Benjamin Kuperman, glass.

$1.50, Benjamin Kuperman, putty and points.

$178.23, Tully Bros., horse and wagon hire.

$9.36, Oakland Lumber Company, lumber.

$65.00, Chas. F. Hansen, folders.

$32.00, Nathan & Co., plygd. app.

$20.00, Benjamin Kuperman, glass.

$4.80 Whipple Hardware Co., padlocks.

$62.95, W. A. Barclay, plumbing

$50.00, Albert Datz, pads.

$24.45, Elliott-Kiel Co., auto parts.

$43.20, George W. Irving, plumbing.

$488.10, R. H. Perry, coal.

$7.60, Chas. F. Hansen, T. W. paper.

$69.80, Whipple Hardware Co., hardware.

$50.00, Geo. H. Aspinwall, soap and ammonia.

$35.00, Geo. P. Aspinwall, cleanser.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, that warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following-named parties, for the following amounts and purposes as hereafter set forth.

$24.00, Walter J. Coleman.
$15.50, E. B. Haskins.
$16.50, Great Bear Spring Co.
$9.00, Thos. L. Higgins.
$17.64, Thos. Higgins.
$13.46, Interstate Chemical Co.
$27.20, Interstate Chemical Co.
$42.00, Valvoline Oil Co.
$9.00, Werner Specialty Sales Co.
$29.05, F. B. Brill.
$3.70, Standard Oil Co.
$5.55, Standard Oil Co.
$747.30, Standard Oil Co.
$720.24, Carscallen & Cassidy.
$724.94, Carscallen & Cassidy.
$614.58, Carscallen & Cassidy.
$13.40, Carscallen & Cassidy.
$23.52, L. A. Bellezza, halters.
$762.49, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.
$830.08, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.
$24.30, Columbia Ribbon & Carbon Manufacturing Co., carbon paper.
$67.00, A. Datz Co., printing.
$23.50, A. Datz Co., printing.
$88.50, A. Datz Co., printing.
$30.00, Dempsey Bros., shields.
$19.11, Garfunkle Bros., lamps.
$34.50, Great Bear Spring Co., water.
$65.07, Jos. Flannery, lamps.
$32.54, Jos. Flannery, lamps.
$116.82, Jos. Flannery, lamps.
$10.00, J. Frey, riding bridle.
$3.00, C. F. Hansen, stationery.
34.99, C. F. Hansen, stationery.
$3.20, M. H. Harris, glass.
$89.48, Harry Jasper, lamps.
$69.29, Harry Jasper, lamps.
$14.00, Lafayette Broom Co., brooms.
$11 00, J. S. Menagh Co., supplies.
$12.00, National Gas Governor Company, Rental regulators.
$63.90, R. H. Perry Co., coal.
$153.75, J. T. Sack, supplies.
$40.00, Union Printing Co., postage.
$102, Union Printing Co., printing.
$58.80, Union Printing Co., printing.
$19.60, Union Printing Co., printing.
$88.00, Union Printing Co., printing.
$107.50, J. A. Vill & Son, supplies.
$24.01, J. A. Vill & Son, supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Naye: None.

PAYROLLS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, that warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer, in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached py rolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being or services rendered at the Boonton and Dover Plant of the Jersey City Water Company during the periods especifield.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS.

From Commissioner Gannon, submitting supplemental debt statement.

Received and ordered filed.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved that upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, contract for furnishing and delivering special Hydrants for use in Jersey City, be and the same is hereby awarded to The A. P. Smith Mfg. Co., at the price named in their proposal, namely, one hundred five per cent. 105%) of the Standard, they being the lowest bidders; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, that upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, contract for repairs to Bituminous Concrete Pavements which are not under guarantee to December 31st, 1920, be and the same is hereby awarded to W. T. S. Crichfield at the price named in his proposal, namely, one hundred eight per cent. of the Standard (108%) there being no lower bidder; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

On motion of the Commissioner Fagen the resolution was tabled.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, that the work under Contract No. 2296, for the improvement of Jackson Avenue from Fulton Avenue to McAdoo Avenue excepting such portions as lies between the tracks) with asphalt pavement on a concrete base, by W T.. S. Crichfield, Contractor, be and the same is hereby accepted as completed, and the Chief Engineer, be and he is hereby directed to file with the Commissioner of Assessments a statement showing the entire cost of said improvement, and that thereupon the said Commissioners of Assessments shall proceed to make a proper assessment on any lands or real estate that may be benefitted or increased in value by such improvement, conformably to the provisions of Chapter 152, of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved that the work under Contract No. 2303, for the improvement of Danforth Avenue, from Hudson County Boulevard to a point 1,993.35 feet westerly thereof (excepting such portions as lies between the tracks) with sheet asphalt pavement on a concrete base, by Uvalde Asphalt Paving Company, Contractors, be and the same is hereby accepted as completed and the Chief Engineer be and he is hereby directed to file with the Commissioners of Assessments a statement showing the entire cost of said improvement and that thereupon the said Commissioners of Assessments shall proceed to make a proper assessment on any lands or real estate that may have been benefitted or increased in value by such improvement, conformably to the provisions of Chapter 152, of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thtreof.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, under the provisions of Chapter 118, Printed Laws of 1920, it is provided that compensation may be paid to contractors to the extent of ten per cent. (10%) more than the contract price; and

Whereas, in the judgment of this Board, in the affidavit submitted by Jacob I. Hass, member of the firm known as J. I. Hass, Inc., sufficient reasons are set forth for allowing this increased compensation; and

Whereas, allowing this increase is considered as proper and for the best interests of the City under the circumstances; therefore be it

Resolved, that this Board allow J. I. Hass, Inc., the sum of $555.80 being ten per cent. (10%) above the contract price for the painting of the Free Public Library of this City, under Contract No. 138-A, Department of Parks and Public Property.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, that upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Public Affairs contract for the furnishing and delivering of one four-passenger automobile coupe be and the same is hereby awarded to Morris Motor Car Co., at the price named in their proposal, namely, $3,108.66; there being no lower bidder, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the Board adjourned.

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
Commissioners.

Approved.
FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF NOVEMBER 9, 1920

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, November 9, 1920, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Absent: Commissioner Fagen (excused).

RECEPTION ON BIDS.

In accordance with a resolution adopted by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City at the meeting held on November 1, 1920, the time for receiving bids for furnishing and delivering furniture and equipment specified under Section 1, for the new Nurses' Home and City Hospital Buildings having been postponed to this time and place, the City Clerk called for bids with the following results:

ELECTRIC LIGHTING FIXTURES

1. Seton Electric & Fixture Co., $100,000.00, with surety company letter agreeing bond.
2. Walter J. Coleman, $49,562.15, with surety company letter agreeing bond.
3. Hoffman & Elias, $33,700.00, with surety company bond.

FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT

4. Kny-Scheerer Corp., $16,479.39, with surety company bond.
5. Associated Furniture Mfrs., Inc., by item, with surety company letter agreeing bond.
6. J. W. Greene, Inc., by item, with surety company letter agreeing bond.
7. Frank A. Hall & Sons, by item, with surety company letter agreeing bond.
8. Lord & Taylor, by item, with surety company letter agreeing bond.
9. Bernstein & Co., by item, with certified check, $1,275.00.
10. Payton & Hoos, by item, with surety company letter agreeing bond.
11. H. D. Dougherty & Co., Inc., $29,092.07, with surety company letter agreeing bond.

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for furnishing and installing a heating system in the American Legion Club, situated at Grand Street and Clinton Avenue, Jersey City, the City Clerk called for bids with the following result:

1. W. W. Farrier Co., $3,733.00, with freeholder surety bond.
2. Jas. P. Meehan, $2,678.00, with certified check, $2,700.00.
3. John F. Craig, $3,370.00, with freeholder surety bond.
4. Kuebler Maupai Co., $3,080.00, with freeholder surety bond.
5. S. J. Crawford, $3,430.00, with surety company bond.
6. E. H. Moore Co., Inc., $3,685.00, with surety company bond.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received opened and read and referred to the Director of the Department from which the specifications eminated, for investigation and recommendation.

IMPROVEMENT HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised as required by law for public hearing for the purpose of considering the undertaking of the following described improvement, "The improvement of all that part of Sixteenth Street from a point about 50 feet east of Monmouth Street to Jersey Avenue, by the construction of a sewer," and also for the purpose of considering an ordinance covering said improvement and to determine upon its adoption or rejection, the City Clerk read the ordinance, and then called for any one who might desire to be heard either in favor or or against the undertaking of the proposed improvement.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the undertaking of the improvement above described.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the matter was referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

FRANCHISE HEARINGS.

This time and plave having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications for franchise privileges:

Natural Products Refining Co., vacation of part of Commercial and Jane Streets; Ed. Fleckenstein's Sons, steam pipes to connect 112-118 Griffith Street with garage at 81-85 Cambridge Avenue; N. Y. Machinery Exchange, vacation of dead end of Pollock Avenue,

The City Clerk read each public notice of hearing, and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against any of the above described applications. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against any of the above-described applications.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the following described applications for franchise privileges:

Natural Products Refng. Co., vac. part of Commercial and Jane Streets; Ed. Fleckenstein's Sons, steam pipes, Griffith Street and Cambridge Avenue; N. Y. Machinery Exchange, vacation of dead end of Pollock Avenue, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to Tuesday, November 23, 1920, at 2 P. M., in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

CITY ORDINANCES.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the final passage of the following described ordinances:

"An ordinance authorizing $13,450 Temp. Imp. Bonds of the City of Jersey City." (Widening Mallory Avenue.)

"An ordinance authorizing $62,000. Temp. Imp. Bonds of the City of Jersey City." (Repav. Pine and Whiton Streets.)

The City Clerk read each ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the ordinances were referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the final passage of City Ordinance No.

238, authorizing $171,000 Promissory Notes for Schools No. 6 and No. 23, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to Tuesday, November 16, 1920, at 2 P. M., in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From Boulevard Commissioners, submitting copy of resolution passed by them refusing permission to any person or persons to solicit funds for any purpose on the Hudson County Boulevard.

Received.

From owners and occupants of residences fronting on Jewett Avenue, complaining of the heavy traffic on Jewett Avenue between the Boulevard and Bergen avenue.

Received and referred to Commissioner Fagen.

From property owners in the vicinity of 125-127 Linden Avenue, assenting to the application of E. W. Edinger for permission to build garages at 125 and 127 Linden Avenue.

Received and referred to Commissioner Fagen.

From D. A. Schulte, Inc., requesting permission to erect electric sign at No. 741 Montgomery Street.

Received.

From Meyer Candy Shop, requesting permission to erect electric sign at 136 Newark Avenue.

Received.

From D. A. Schulte, Inc., requesting permission to erect electric sign at No. 750 Bergen Avenue.

Received.

From D. A. Schulte, Inc., requesting permission to erect two electric signs at No. 46-48-50-52 Sip Avenue.

Received.

OFFICERS COMMUNICATIONS.

From City Clerk Frank A. Dolan, submitting a statement of the vote cast at the General Election on November 2, 1920, upon the referendum entitled, "An Act to enable cities to regulate and limit the height and bulk of buildings, to regulate and determine the area of yards, courts and other spaces and to regulate and restrict the location of buildings for trades and industries," approved April 20, 1920, being Chapter 229 of the Laws of 1920 of New Jersey, which shows that the referendum was adopted by the following vote:

Yes, 56,949.

No, 6,811.

Received and ordered filed.

From Commissioners of Assessment, submitting final assessment map and report for the improvement of Cornelison Avenue, between Fairmount Avenue and the north line of Montgomery Street, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 217 of the Laws of 1895.

Received.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Gannon for Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$467.53, American Creosoting Co., blocks.

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$3,886.51, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$966.81, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$450.15, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$9.95, Walter J. Coleman, supplies.

$18.50, A. Datz Co., supplies.

$34.50, Julius Frey, blue prints.

$58.80, Goodyear Rubber Co., supplies.

$7.50, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$14.00, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$497.88, C. K. Hart, supplies, etc.

$1,353.96, C. K. Hart, supplies, etc.

$323.22, C. K. Hart, supplies, etc.

$65.52, C. K. Hart, gasoline.

$2,160.18, C. K. Hart, auto repairs.

$529.46, C. K. Hart, auto repairs.

$142.45, Peter Jocham Co., repairs.

$195.00, Chas. J. Lutton, horseshoeing.

$200.00, Stillman & Van Sicle Co., inspectors.

$9.75, Union Towel Supply Co., supplies.

$32.88, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$272.00, Beacon Auto Supply Co., supplies.

$27.21, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$4.60, L. A. Bittinghoffer, supplies.

$43.03, Coleman Auto Elec. Service, supplies.

$14.00, A. Datz Co., supplies.

$162.60, Dist. Engr. 2nd Dist. N. Y. C., inspector.

$70.00, Chas. H. Engler Lumber Co., supplies.

$421.00, George J. Gannon, licenses.

$13.50, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$18.60, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$11.25, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$49.00, William R. Harrison, photos.

$4.78, Mutual Iron Works, supplies.

$6.30, New York Telephone, service.

$221.60, Texas Co., supplies.

$11.40, Texas Co., supplies.

$46.87, Texas Co., supplies.

$4,045.76, United States Mortgage & Trust Co., services.

$350.63, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following-named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$150.07, J. C. Lumber Co., white pine.

$2.00, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$35.30, Columbia Ribbon & Carbon Co., paper and ribbons.

$15.00, H. P. Baldwin Co., extension wire light.

$10.85, Union Towel Supply Co., towel service.

$201.00, Hudson Observer, adv. bond issue.

$96.00, C. P. Smith Co., insurance on booths.

$5.76, Evening Journal Assn., adv. bond issue.

$31.50, Evening Journal Assn., adv. zoning question.

$30.66, Hudson Observer, adv. zoning question.

$6.24, Hudson Overser, adv. bond issue.

$144.00, Evening Journal Assn., Procl, Veterans.

$2.00, Evening Journal Assn., alter. Schimel & Greenside.

$4.00, Evening Journal Assn., alter. Guarino.

$26.00, Hudson Overserv, appln. Nat. By-Products.

$1.80, Hudson Observer, appln. M. Weinstein.

$34.32, Hudson Observer, appln. Mach. Exchange.

$3.52, Hudson Observer, appln. J. Guarino.

$3.74, Hudson Observer, appln. Scher.

$4.18, Hudson Observer, appln. Lewis.

$1.92, Hudson Observer, appln. Schmil & Greenside.

$3.52, Hudson Observer, appln. Barry.

$3.96, Hudson Observer, appln. Scola.

$4.00, Evening Journal Assn., appln. Wahl.

$21.48, Evening Journal Assn., appln. United N. J. R. R.

$4.00, Evening Journal Assn., appln. Koenigsberg.

$4.00, Evening Journal Assn., appln. Heese.

$4.00, Evening Journal Assn., appln. Schulte Realty Co.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in payment of the following claims:

$1,043.45, S. J. Crawford Co., new boiler.

$976.35, Vulcan Iron Works, heater repair.

$95.70, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$62.50, Charles Campbell, clover seed.

$400.00, Charles Campbell, sod.

$28.30, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., auto repair.

$480.00, Charles Campbell, grass seed.

$72.00, F. V. Kidder, music.

98 cents, Whipple Hdw. Co., hinges.

$20.50, Henry J. Reitze, lamps.

$10.25, Geo. C. Lavery, lumber.

$3.15, Thos. L. Higgins, wire.

$15.15, Thos. L. Higgins, lime and white wash.

$50.00, Thos. Finnerty, ice.

$50.00, Lafayette Window Clg. Co., service.

$7.05, Thos. L. Higgins, sash cord.

$7.30, Thos. L. Higgins, iron pipe.

$12.00, Thos. L. Higgins, tape.

$15.00, Marcy Stove Repair Co., grate bars.

$5.13, Thos. L. Higgins, hinges and staples.

$17.64, Thos. L. Higgins, paint.

$29.50, National Asbestos Co., cement.

$23.40, Junction Milling Co., lumber.

$21.00, Junction Milling Co., white wood.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named parties, for the following amounts and purposes as hereinafter set forth:

$451.99, Keegan's Garage.

$138.20, Keegan's Garage.

$39.40, Lungmotor Co.

$42.80, Valvoline Oil Co.

$23.25, Jerome O'Keefe.

$49.73, Wedlake-Lamson Co.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PAY ROLLS.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons, whose names are set forth on the attached payrolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being for services rendered during the periods specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS.

From Commissioner Fagen, approving the application of James Guarino for permission to alter building and erect garage in cellar of No. 269 Boyd Avenue, said application having been referred to him for investigation and recommendation.

Received.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commission Gannon for Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, that His Honor, the Mayor, and the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements be and they are hereby authorized and requested to sign, and the City Clerk to attest, an agreement between the City of Jersey City and the Erie Railroad Company to lay additional water pipe.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Commissioner Fagen:

An ordinance to improve all that part of Sixteenth Street, from a point about 50 feet east of Monmouth Street to Jersey Avenue, in the City of Jersey City, by the construction of a sewer in accordance with plan hereto attached; said sewer to be constructed in conformity with provisions of Chapter 152, of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Whereas, It is deemed advisable by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, that the above named street should be improved by the construction of a sewer.

Therefore, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

That, All that part of Sixteenth Street, from a point about 50 feet east of Monmouth Street to connect with sewer in Jersey Avenue, should be improved as follows:

1. That a 15-inch vitrified pipe sewer be constructed in Sixteenth Street from a point about 50 feet east of Monmouth Street, to Coles Street, and and an 18-inch vitrified pipe sewer be constructed in Sixteenth Street from Coles Street to and connecting with sewer in Jersey Avenue, in accordance with plan herewith attached, and to

complete the improvement in a good and substantial manner, said improvement to be made in conformity with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof, and in accordance with specifications to be specially prepared.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as being ready for passage on first reading.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed on first reading and ordered to lay on the table for a period of one week to Tuesday, November 16, 1920, by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, on June 8, 1920, bids were received for the widening and improvement of Mallory Avenue, between Clendenny Avenue and Communipaw Avenue, viz., one from W. T. S. Critchfield at one hundred and twenty-nine per cent (129%) of the Engineer's Standard and one from the Uvalde Construction Co. at one hundred and thirty-four per cent (134%) of the Engineer's Standard; and

Whereas, According to report submitted to the Director of Streets and Public Improvements by Charles A. Van Keuren, Chief Engineer, it appears that the bid prices of the said Critchfield in the opinion of the Chief Engineer are too high; and

Whereas, It further appears in said report that the said low bidder has agreed to reduce his bid by the sum of Twenty-five Hundred ($2,500) Dollars, the same to be deducted from the total amount due under said bid; therefore be it

Resolved, That contract for the doing of said work be and the same hereby is awarded to the said W. T. S. Critchfield at the price named in his bid, viz., one hundred and twenty-nine per cent (129%) of the Engineer's Standard less the sum of Twenty-five Hundred ($2,500) Dollars; and be it

Further Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he hereby is directed to prepare contract for same, incorporating therein a provision with respect to deduction of the said Twenty-five Hundred ($2,500) Dollars.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and requested to fix a date for a public hearing for objections to the confirmation of the final assessment map for the improvement of Cornelison Avenue between Fairmount Avenue and the north line of Montgomery Street in accordance with Chapter 217, Laws of 1895.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, that in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 83, Laws of 1910; Chapter 242, Laws of 1912; Chapter 77, Laws of 1913; and Chapter 12, Laws of 1914; and upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, this commission hereby approves of map entitled "Map of Home Property belong to Charles H. and Mary Nicoll, Jersey City, Hudson Co., New Jersey, October, 1920, surveyed and laid out by Edward W. Insley & Son, Civil Engineers and Surveyors, Scale 1 in. 20 ft., situated in City Block 844, County Block 1,251, and

Further resolved, That the City Clerk file two copies of said map, together with copy of this resolution, with the Register of Deeds of Hudson County as required by law.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, that upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, the findings as shown on report of the Water Assessor for the month of October, 1920, presented to this ocmmission at its meeting held this day, be and are hereby confirmed and the said officer be and is hereby authorized to make such charges on his books:

$270.55, Additions to Reg. Water.

$235.60, Cancellation to Reg. Water.

$262.90, Cancellation to Metered Water.

Adopted:

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the resolution heretofore introduced at a meeting held November 1st, 1920, awarding contract for "repairs to Bituminous Concrete Pavements" to W. T. Crichfield be and is hereby taken from the table; and be it

Further resolved, That the proposal received at meeting held October 19, 1920, for doing of the work as called for in said resolution, be and the same is hereby rejected.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $17,000 Temporary Library Bonds of the City and providing for their payment."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $682,000 Temporary Street Improvement Bonds of the City and providing for their payment."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $103,000 Temporary Fire Department Improvement Bonds of the City and providing for their payment."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $198,000 Temporary Harbor Improvement Bonds of the City and providing for their payment."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $65,000 Temporary Police Department Bonds of the City and providing for their payment."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $179,000 Temporary Playground Bonds of the City and providing for their payment."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $27,000 Temporary Public Market Bonds of the City and providing for their payment."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing $62,000.00

Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City.

Whereas, in pursuance of Chapter 152, P. L. 1917, as amended by Chapter 163, P. L. 1918, this Board of Commissioners determines that it is necessary to repave Pine and Whiton Streets and from Newark & New York Railroad to Johnston Avenue with asphalt, and having received bids, will enter into a contract for the carrying out of said improvement in accordance with plans and specifications which have been or may be adopted from time to time by this Board, after the introduction and passage of this Ordinance;

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That for the purpose of repaving Pine and Whiton Streets with asphalt from Newark & New York Railroad to Johnston Avenue, the sum of $62.000.00 be and is hereby appropriated, and to meet the cost of carrying out the provisions of said contract.

Section 2. That pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 252, P. L. 1916, as amended by Chapter 240, P. L. 1917, and for the purpose of meeting said appropriation, this Board authorizes and directs that $62,000.00 of Temporary Improvement Bonds be issued as the money may be needed, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed six per cent. per annum, said Bonds shall mature in not exceeding six (6) years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment, and shall be signed by the Mayor and Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk|

Section 3. Said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall state that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing repaving Pine and Whiton Streets. The other matters in respect of the issuance of said Bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Section 4. That the said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be paid or funded within six (6) years after the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out.

Section 5. That the interest on said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be raised in the annual tax levy.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, that the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing $13,450.00 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City.

Whereas, in pursuance of Chapter 152, P. L. 1917, as amended by Chapter 163, P. L. 1918, this Board of Commissioners determines that it is necessary to widen Mallory Avenue between Clendenny Avenue and Roosevelt Avenue, in accordance with plans and specifications which have been or may be adopted from time to time by this Board, after the introduction and passage of this ordinance;

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That for the purpose of widening Mallory Avenue between Clendenny Avenue and Roosevelt Avenue, the sum of $13,450.00 be and is hereby appropriated.

Section 2. That pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 252, P. L. 1916, as amended by Chapter 240, P. L. 1917, and for the purpose fo meeting said appropriation, this Board authorizes and directs that $13,450.00 of Temporary Improvement Bonds be issued as the money may be needed, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed six per cent per annum, said Bonds shall mature in not exceeding six (6) years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment, and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Section 3. Said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall state that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing the widening of Mallory Avenue. The other matters in respect of the issuance of said Bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Section 4. That the said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be paid or funded within six (6) years after the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out.

Section 5. That the interest on said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be raised in the annual tax levy.

Section 6. The aforesaid appropriation is to apply to local improvements, and as assessment is thereafter to be levied on property in the vicinity thereof benefitted or increased in value by reason thereof.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote :

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the annexed vouchers for the amounts set opposite their names, being for supplies furnished and services rendered in connection with the Third Registry and General Election of 1920, in the aggregate amount of $1,253.40.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolution authorizing the issuance of not exceeding $2,000,000 Tax Revenue Bonds.

Resolved as follows:

1. After December 1, 1920, in anticipation of the receipt of tax revenues as fixed by the certificate of the County Board of Taxation as the amount to be raised by taxation in the City for the current year, which are delinquent, the City shall borrow the sum of $2,000,000 and issued therefor Tax Revenue Bonds in the said amount to meet the lawful expenditures under the appropriations for local purposes, including the local school appropriations, the State school appropriation or tax, the State road appropriation or tax, and other State appropriations or taxes as the same may become due for the year or to refund its outstanding tax anticipation notes or bonds; provided, however, that the Tax Revenue Bonds herein authorized shall not be issued in excess of the amount of said delinquent taxes.

. The said Tax Revenue Bonds shall be eighty in number, numbers from 1 to 80, inclusive, of the denominations of $25,000 each, shall be dated December 1, 1920, and shall mature on or at the opton of the City before March 1, 1921, shall bear interest at the rate bid by the successful bidder and shall be registerable as to both principal and interest at the option of the holder thereof, and shall be signed at the option of the holder thereof, and shall be signed by the Comptroller of the City or the Deputy Comptroller, and by the City Treasurer under the seal of the City, and attested by the City Clerk.

3. The said bonds shall be in substantially the following form:

No. $25,000.00

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
CITY OF JERSEY CITY
TAX REVENUE BONDS OF 1920

The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, a municipal corporation of the

State of New Jersey, for value received, promise to pay to the bearer of this bonds, or if it be registered, to the person in whose name it is registered, the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000) on or at the optiion of the City before March 1, 1921, together with interest thereon at the rate of — per centum (%) per annum, or if this bond be registered as to both principal and interest, then to the person in whose name it is registered. Both principal and interest of this bond will be paid in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the Treasurer of said City.

This bond may be registered as to principal and interest by the holder in his name on the books of the City kept in the office of the City Comptroller, and such registration shall be noted on the back of this bond, after which no valid transfer of this bond shall be made except on said books and the principal and interest will be payable only to the registered holder. This bond may again be made transferable by delivery and payable to bearer by a registered transfer to bearer.

This bond is one of an issue, the principal amount of which is $2,000,000, the bonds of which are of like tenor, and is issued against delinquent tax revenues of 1920, pursuant to an Act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled: "An Act concerning municipal and county finances," approved March 28, 1917, constituting Chapter 192 of the Pamphlet Laws of 1917 as amended, and by virtue of a resolution of the Board of Commissioners of said City, duly adopted November ...., 1920.

It is hereby certified and recited that all conditions, act and things required by the Constitution and Statutes of the State of New Jersey to exist, to have happened and to have been performed, precedent to and in the issuance of this bond exist, have happened, and have been performed, and that the issue of bonds of which this is one, together with all other indebtedness of said City is within every debt ond other limit prescribed to the Constitution and Statutes of said State.

The Treasurer of the City, who has signed this Bond, states: (a) That this Bond is issued pursuant to the act above referred to; (b) that the total borrowing power authorized by said act for Tax Revenue Bonds such as this instrument is $........; (c) that no such instruments are outstanding previous to the issuance of bonds of which this bond is one.

In Witness Whereof, The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City has caused this bond to be signed by its Deputy Comptroller and by its Treasurer under the seal of the City and attested by the City Clerk and to be dated the first day of December, 1920.

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Deputy Comptroller.

....

Treasurer.

Attest:

....

City Clerk.

(Form for Back of Bond.)

This within bond has been registered on the books of the City as follows:

Date of Registry	Name of Registered	Holder Registered by

4. The said bonds shall be sold in the manner provided by law by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance at public bidding as the result of sealed proposals, which shall be publicly opened and read at the place and time as stated in the advertisement for such bidding, and after advertisement of one week previous to date of bidding in the official newspaper of the City and in the

Bond Buyer, a financial paper published in New York City.

5. The form of the advertisement of sale shall be substantially as follows:

CITY OF JERSEY CITY
NOTICE OF SALE OF $2,000,000 TAX REVENUE BONDS.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance of the City of Jersey City, New Jersey, on Wednesday, December 1, 1920, at 12 M. o'clock, at the City Hall in said City, for the purchase of $2,000,000 tax revenue bonds of said city. Said bonds will be of the denomination of $25,000 each; will be dated December 1, 1920; will be payable on or at the option of the City before March 1, 1921, and will bear interest at the rate bid by the successful bidder, but not in excess of 6 per centum per annum. Both principal and interest will be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the Treasurer of said City. The bonds will be bearer bonds, with the privilege of registration as to both principal and interest.

The right is reserved to reject all bids, and any bids not complying with the terms of this notice will be rejected.

Each bidder is required to state the amount of interest he is willing to take for the loan about to be made. The bidder offering the least interest rate expressed in multiples of one one-hundredths of 1 per centum will be awarded the sale of the bonds; if, however, one or more bidders offer the same interest rate, then the bidder who shall offer the greatest additional premium shall be awarded the sale of the bonds.

The bonds will not be sold for less than par, and in addition to the amount bid, the successful bidder must pay accrued interest at the rate borne by the bonds from the date of the bonds to the date of the payment of the purchase price.

All bidders are required to deposit a certified check payable to the order of the City of Jersey City for 2 per centum of the amount of bonds bid for, drawn upon an incorporated bank or trust company. Checks of unsuccessful bidders will be returned upon the award of the bonds. No interest will be allowed upon the amount of the check of a successful bidder, and such check will be retained to be applied in part payment for the bonds or to secure the City against any loss resulting from the failure of the bidder to comply with the terms of his bid.

Proposals should be addressed to Hon. James F. Gannon, Commissioner, City Hall, Jersey City, N. J., and inclosed in a sealed envelope marked on the outside "Proposal for Bond."

The successful biddder will be furnished with the opinion of Messrs. Hawkins, Delafield & Longfellow, of New York City, that the bonds are binding and legal obligations of the City.

The bonds will be prepared under the supervision of the United States Mortgage and Trust Company, which will certify as to the genuineness of the signatures of the officials and the seal impressed thereon.

By order of the Board of Commissioners.

Dated.............19..

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Director of Revenue and Finance.

6. The proper officials of the City are hereby authorized to execute and deliver said bond in pursuance of the award of the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, and upon receipt of the purchase price thereof and accrued interest at the rate borne by the bonds from the date of the bonds to the date of payment of the purchase price.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, Detective Richard Breakey and Patrolman William Waldron have been on sick leave for some time; and

Whereas, Under the law they are qualified to be retired, having served more than nine years; therefore be it

Resolved, That a Board of Medical

Examiners be appointed to examine them as to their fitness to remain in active service.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, One O. W. Quick applied for a license to operate a junk shop at No. 476 Henderson Street, Jersey City, and paid to the City Treasurer of Jersey City the sum of fifteen ($15.00) dollars, being the annual license fee for operating said junk shop, pending final disposition by this Board; and

Whereas, After a thorough investigation made by the Police Department of Jersey City it was found that the applicant for the license, O. W. Quick, does not operate this junk shop, but it is operated under that name by another individual who is not a citizen of the United States; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said license shall not be granted, and that the Chief of Police be authorized to immediately close said junk shop at No. 476 Henderson Street.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That it be the determination of this Commission to take whatever steps may be advisable to bring about a reduction in the price of coal as it now stands.

From information at hand there has never been such an imposition upon the general public as there is today in the matter of supplying such a necessity as coal. It is a notorious fact that the profits of the coal operators now exceed a reasonable price by at least 100 per cent.

If an honest reduction and adjustment cannot be made by those in control of the coal situation, it should be our honest endeavor to place the supply of such a necessity into the hands of those who will bring about a fair deal for the public; be it further

Resolved, That the City Commission expresses its hearty approval of the action of United States Senator Edge in advising Federal control of the coal mines in case the coal profiteers fail to reduce the price of coal to the consumers.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, The Legislature has passed the act commonly known as the "Zoning Act," being Chapter 229 of the Laws of 1920; and

Whereas, At a referendum held at the general election in this City on the 2d day of November, 1920, the provisions thereof have been adopted by this City; therefore be it

Resolved, That a Commission on Building Districts and Restrictions is hereby created; and be it further

Resolved, That Michael J. Sexton be and he hereby is appointed chairman of such Commission for a term of four years at an annual salary of three thousand dollars ($3,000) per year, payable in equal semi-monthly installments; and be it further

Resolved, That Thomas J. Jordan and John E. Carlock be and they hereby are each of them appointed a member of such commission for a term of four years at an annual salary of twenty-five hundred dollars ($2,500.00), payable in equal semi-monthly installments, said appointments to take effect immediately.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon, Moore O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, Extensive improvements and additions are now being made to the City Hospital; and

Whereas, The season of the year is upon us when epidemics are most to be feared; and

Whereas, By reason of the conditions created by the recent war with the German Empire it is impossible to complete the power house of the said hospital, by reason whereof it is impossible to supply water in sufficient quantities to the top story thereof; and

Whereas, The completion of the work hereinabove mentioned will be brought to a standstill by reason of the impossibility of using such part of the hospital; and

Whereas, A temporary supply of water can be secured by the use of a water plant known as the Kewannee Water System, which can be installed for about twenty-five hundred dollars and subsequently disposed of for almost the amount of the cost thereof, which will permit of the use of the entire hospital; and

Whereas, An emergency is hereby declared to exist under the statute in such case made and provided; it is thereupon

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he hereby is authorized to enter into a contract without advertising for the supplying and installation of such Kekannee Water System for the purpose above set out.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to James Guarino, to alter building and erect garage in 8-inch brick wall one-story, one-family house, No. 269 Boyd Avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application, provided that the street and sidewalk level is not altered in any manner; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, The eleventh day of November is known as "Armistice Day" in commemoration of the termination of the World War on November 11, 1918; therefore be it

Resolved, That the residents of Jersey City be and they are hereby requested to decorate their homes and the various storekeepers to decorate their places of business on Thursday, November 11, 1920, in an appropriate manner for the observance of "Armistice Day."

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the Board adjourned.

JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
CHARLES F. X. O'BRIEN,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

Approved.
FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF NOVEMBER 16, 1920

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, November 16, 1920, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

IMPROVEMENT HEARINGS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the final passage of an ordinance covering the improvement of Sixteenth Street by the construction of sewer from a point about 50 feet east of Monmouth Street to connect with sewer in Jersey Avenue, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917, be and the same is hereby adjourned to November 23, 1920, at 2 P. M. in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

CITY ORDINANCES.

The hearing on the final passage of City Ordinance No. 238, authorizing $171,000 school notes as additional appropriation for No. 23 and No. 6 School construction, having been adjourned and continued to this time and place, the City Clerk read the ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of the ordinance. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of the above described ordinance.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the ordinance was referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications for permission to erect electric signs to project beyond the building line:

D. A. Schulte, Inc., electric sign, 741 Montgomery Street.

D. A. Schulte, Inc., 2 electric signs, 46-52 Sip Avenue.

D. A. Schulte, Inc., electric sign, 750 Bergen Avenue.

Meyer Candy Shop, electric sign, 136 Newark Avenue.

the City Clerk read each application and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of any of the above described applications. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against any of the above described applications.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to D. A. Schulte, Inc., to erect electric sign to extend seven feet from building line at No. 741 Montgomery Street, Jersey City, as shown on plans attached to application.

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to D. A. Schulte, Inc., to erect two electric signs to extend seven feet from building line on premises No. 46-52 Sip Avenue, Jersey City, as shown on blueprint attached to application.

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to D. A. Schulte, Inc., to erect electric sign to extend seven feet from building line on premises No. 750 Bergen Avenue, Jersey City, as shown on blue print attached to application; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to the Meyer Candy Shop to erect an electric sign to project eight feet from building line at No. 136 Newark Avenue, Jersey City, as shown on blue print attached to application; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

The hearing on the application of H. Rothberg for permission to construct a one-story brick building to be used as a garage for twelve (12) cars on property known as plot 12B, block 1,999, No. 742-746 Ocean Avenue, Jersey City, having been set for this time and place, and the City Clerk having caused public notices to be posted in the vicinity of the proposed garages for the purpose of notifying interested persons of the time and place of hearing, the City Clerk read the public notice of hearing and then called for any one who might desire to be heard against the proposed garages.

Mr. N. B. Martoglio, of No. 746 Ocean Avenue, appeared before the Board and stated that he was opposed to the erection of the garages because they were to be used as public garages, and it would depreciate the value of his property.

Mr. H. Rothberg, of No. 101 Danforth Avenue, the applicant for the garages, appeared and stated that the location was an old moving picture place, and that in his opinion he was going to improve the site because the present building was in such terrible condition.

The Mayor asked Commissioner Fagen if the location was a practical one for the location of such garages, and the Commissioner replied that the garages would face on Ocean Avenue, which is a very busy thoroughfare; further that there were several apartments and two and three-family houses adjacent to the site in question.

The Mayor stated that inasmuch as Mr. Rothberg lived at No. 101 Danforth Avenue, he would not be subject to the inconvenience caused by the maintenance of twelve cars in the garages on Ocean Avenue, therefore the people in the vicinity of the proposed garages must be protected.

In conclusion, Commissioner Fagen moved that the hearing close and the permission for the erection of the garages be denied. Whereupon the following resolution was introduced:

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the application of H. Rothberg for permission to erect one-story brick building on plot 12B, block 1999, No. 742-746 Ocean Avenue, to be used as garage for twelve (12) cars, be and the same is hereby denied; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby directed not to issue permit for the erection of said garages.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

The hearing on the application of T. Woodley for permission to construct three garages in the rear of property No. 59-61 Summit Avenue, Jersey City, having been set for this time and place, and the City Clerk having caused public notices to be posted in the vicinity of the proposed garages for the purpose of notifying interested persons of the time and place of hearing, the City Clerk read the public notice of hearing and then called for any one who might desire to be heard against the proposed garages.

No one appeared to protest against the garages and no written protests were received.

Commissioner Fagen advised the Board that the section was strictly residential; that there already was garages on Prescott Street and Communipaw Avenue; that there are several apartment houses near the proposed garage site, and the value of this property would be depreciated by the operation of the garages; that the City has undertaken a very important improvement of Baldwin Avenue, Summit Avenue, Astor Place, etc., which starts near the location of the proposed garages, and that in view of these facts he would recommend that the hearing close and the application be denied. Whereupon the following resolution was introduced:

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the application of T. Woodley for permission to construct three garages in the rear of property No. 59-61 Summit Avenue, Jersey City, be and the same is hereby denied;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby directed not to issue permit for the erection of said garages.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From Margulies & Gerstenfeld, accepting ordinance passed by the Board of Commissioners granting them permission to construct vault under sidewalk 68 Glenwood Avenue.

Received.

From Public Service Electric Company, accepting ordinance passed by the Board of Commissioners granting them permission for the vacation and dedication of Duffield and VanKeuren Avenues.

Received.

From Young & Young, requesting permission on behalf of their client, Isidor Dlugash of No. 54 York Street to convert blacksmith shop into garage at said address.

Received and referred to the Mayor and Superintendent of Buildings John Saul, with power.

From Samuel Goldberg, requesting permission to erect electric sign at No. 20 Newark Avenue.

Received.

From D., L. & W. R. R. Co., requesting temporary permit for construction of one-story steam-tight building 500 feet long at Tidewater on New York Harbor, for the treating of frozen coal in cars

Received and referred to the Superintendent of Buildings for investigation and recommendation.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS:

From Board of Education, requesting the attendance of the Board of Commissioners at the corner stone laying of No. 6 and No. 23 schools.

Received and copy ordered forwarded to each Commissioner.

From Commission on Building Districts and Restrictions, submitting resolutions adopted by them, appointing Harry W. Byrne, Secretary, and Harrold A. Lewis, Special Investigator, to the Commission on Building Districts and Restrictions of Jersey City.

Received and referred to Commissioner Gannon.

From Board of Engineers, Jersey City Development Plan, submitting plan and report for the improvement of traffic conditions on the Boulevard near the Summit Avenue Tube Station and for the construction of new Boulevard Bridge at that location over the Pennsylvania Railroad.

Received and a copy of the report and plan ordered forwarded to each Commissioner.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$318.67, Michael J. Curley, repairs.
$3.50, Columbia Ribbon & Carbon Mfg. Co., supplies.
$19.30, Louis Frey, blue prints.
$35.20, C. F. Hansen, supplies.
$218.18, J. P. Hall, supplies.
$168.56, Jersey City Lumber Co., supplies.
$232.60, J. H. & R. Shannon Co., repairs.
$18.50, Union Printing Co., supplies.
$437.00, Graham Van Keuren, granite block.
$8.40, Evening Journal Assn., adv.
$25.48, Evening Journal Assn., adv.
$8.28, Evening Journal Assn., adv.
$7.80, Evening Journal Assn., adv.
$8.28, Evening Journal Assn., adv.
$28.60, Evening Journal Assn., adv.
$7.80, Evening Journal Assn., adv.
$7.92, Evening Journal Assn., adv.
$29.12, Hudson Observer, adv.
$8.04, Hudson Observer, adv.
$24.96, Hudson Observer, adv.
$8.28, Hudson Observer, adv.
$8.04, Hudson Observer, adv.
$7.56, Hudson Observer, adv.
$40.00, Stillman & Van Siclen Chem. Co., testing.
$50.84, Auto Economy Co., supplies.
$40.92, F. B. Brill, supplies.
$140.28, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.
$43.01, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.
$40.38, E. B. Dawson Co., supplies.
$178.50, Dodge & Bliss Company, lumber.
$479.39, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., supplies.
$40.00, G. Estler, carting.
$15,402.00, East Jersey Water Company, water.
$6.24, Evening Journal Assn., adv.
$19.76, Evening Journal Assn., adv.
$4.00, Louis Frey, supplies.
$37.34, T. L. Higgins, supplies.
$14.75, C. F. Hansen, supplies.
$6.12, Hudson Observer, adv.
$19.76, Hudson Observer, adv.
$435.26, Interlocking Casting Co., gate boxes.
$216.86, Keegan Garage, supplies.
$130.73, Max Sash and Door Company, lumber.
$14.05, Morris Motor Car Co., supplies.
$36.26, New Jersey Car Spring & Rubber Co., hose.
$5.00, P. S. Electric Co., services.
$64.20, A. P. Smith Mfg. Co., supplies.
$434.13, Valvoline Oil Co., oil.
$1.75, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes.

$12.00, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.
$14.35, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.
$35.00, Herald Printing Company, printing.

$1.147.00, Art Metal Construction Co., shelving.

$61.80, J. W. Greene, Inc., furnishings.

$105.00, J. W. Greene, Inc., furnishings.

$390.00, J. W. Greene, Inc., furnishings.

$218.50, J. W. Greene, Inc., furnishings.

$163.00, J. W. Greene, Inc., furnishings.

$22.00, J. W. Greene, Inc., furnishings.

$100.00, J. W. Greene, Inc., furnishings.

$24.40, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$10.85, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$45.00, Maresca Safe Company, lock.

$3.40, Albert Datz Company, stationery.

$25.00, Kelly's Garage, Inc., storage.

$1.50, Dobke Typewriter Exchange, repairing.

$11.40, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$7.60, New York Telephone Company, telephone.

$40.25, Glenwood Garage & Storage Company, auto.

$8.00, Great Bear Spring Company, water.

$14.00, New York Telephone Company, telephone.

$3.25, Union Towell Supply Company, towels.

$3.25, Union Towell Supply Company, towels.

$273.60, H. P. Brainard, testimony transcripts.

$7.10, N. Y. Telephone Co., telephone.

$5.05, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.

$3.70, Remington Typewriter Co., repairing.

$8.50, Garfunkel Bros., lamps.

$66.00, Hudson Observer, publishing.

$61.60, Hudson Obersver, publishing.

$66.00, Hudson Observer, publishing.

$4.50, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$23.00, Union Printing Co., stationery.

$53.00, Union Printing Co., stationery.

$45.75, Union Printing Co., stationery.

$10.00, Union Printing Co., stationery.

$10.00, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.

$2.85, Union Towel Supply Co., towels.

$2.85, Union Towel Supply Co., towels.

$4.00, Dobke Typewriter Exchange, rental.

$66.00, The Evening Journal Assn., publishing.

$66.00, The Evening Journal Assn., publishing.

$66.00, The Evening Journal Assn., publishing.

$22.25, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.

$74.25, Baker Voorhees & Co., publications.

$3.50, Soney & Sage Co., publications.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in payment of the following claims:

$475.00, Fagan Iron Works, moving concrete animals.

$4.50, Anderson Bros., roof repair.

$3.50, Anderson Bros., roof repair.

$60.95, Anderson Bros., roof repair.

$46.00, Anderson Bros., plumbing.

$1.86, J. C. Supply Co., material.

$4.92, J. C. Supply Co., material.

$22.55, John A. Ward, plumbing.

$11.75, S. J. Crawford, toilet repair.

$120.00, Belle Meade Stables, horse hire.

$3.54, A. J. Harsloop, hardware.

$56.08, Murphy Tire Co., tires.

$55.00, John A. Ward, plumbing.

$36.83, R. H. Perry Coal Co., pea coal.

$221.63, James P. Hall, cement and gravel.

$334.29, James P. Hall, cement and gravel.

$18.00, Thos L. Higgins, paint and oil.

$173.00, P. S. Elec. Co., elec. service.

$51.80, P. S. Elec. Co., elec. service.

$4.90, P. S. Elec. Co., elec. service.

$11.20, P. S. Gas Co., gas service.

$62.83, P. S. Gas Co., gas service.

$278.00, R. H. Perry Coal Co., coal.

$5.45, W. A. Barclay, heater repair.

$4.50, Carl Luck, door check repair.

$12.50, Carl Luck, door check repair.

$10.00, M. Trachtenberg, glass.

$4.50, M. Trachtenberg, glass.

$37.40, Chas. H. Engler, lumber.

$31.25, F. B. Brill, white lead and oil.

$66.00, Eve. Journal Assn., adv.

$150.00, Fagan Iron Works, steel beams.

$36.00, Hudson Observer, adv.

$30.00, Hudson Observer, adv.

$1.00, Julius Harris, glass.

$3.00, Julius Harris, glass.

$2.00, Julius Harris, glass.

$10.25, Julius Harris, glass.

$23.52, Hudson Despatch, adv.

$10.00, Edward Cahill, rent.

$6.00, R. Entwistle, plumbing.

$1.40, P. S. Gas Co., service.

$1.40, P. S. Gas Co., service.

$3.22, P. S. Gas Co., service.

$51.10, P. S. Elec. Co., service.

$12.00, P. S. Elec. Co., service.

$36.00, P. S. Elec. Co., service.

$108.49, P. S. Elec. Co., service.

$1.00, P. S. Elec. Co., service.

$77.41, Belle Meade Garage, auto repairs.

$127.43, Belle Meade Garage, auto repairs.

$8.28, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$2.65, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$7.75, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$4.45, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$1.80, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$6.45, John P. Landrine, hardware.

$21.30, James P. Hall, cement and sand.

$2.34, J. C. Supply Co., material.

$100.00, J. F. Connors, shop rent.

$3.00, Expert Auto Tire Co., tube repair.

$183.35, R. H. Perry Coal Co., coal.

$238.35, R. H. Perry Coal Co., coal.

$465.00, S. J. Crawford Co., boiler repair.

$9.00, Thos. L. Higgins, enamel.

$110.00, Barnes Foundry Co., grate bars.

$2,558.50, Geo. A. Reilly, trap rock.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named for the following amounts and purposes:

$51.36, Baker, Murray & Imbrie, parts.

$410.14, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., repairs.

$4.60, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., repairs.

$158.26, Blaskeslee-Cadillac Co., repairs.

$26.15, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., repairs.

$3.50, C. L. Cast, insurance.

$118.75, Mrs. E. Dougherty, meals for prisoners.

$6.00, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., repairs.

$19.50, T. T. Finnerty, ice.

$12.50, Garfunkle Bros., heater.

$111.00, Garfunkle Bros., receivers.

$491.54, Gulf Refining Co., gasoline.

$269.95, Gulf Refining Co., gasoline.

$30.87, Gulf Refining Co., oil.

$31.01, H. Gliesman, motorcycle parts.

$112.00, C. Hayes, horseshoeing.

$14.25, C. F. Hansen, stationery.

$46.96, A. Lardino, M. C. parts.

$20.10, L. Max, glass.

$12.00, National Gas Governor Co., rental regulators.

$255.00, J. T. Sack, sponges.

$21.75, Whipple Hardware Co., hardware.

$289.11, Gulf Refining Co., gasoline.

$7.75, Gillette Clipping Machine Co.

$1.96, Joseph T. Sack.

$9.00, Edmund Nacion.

$22.05, F. B. Brill.

$28.00, E. Kelly.

$40.00, James Carroll.

$38.50, John Brennan.

$16.00, Richard Stanton.

$58.50, John Kirkpatrick.

$46.50, Wm. McKittrick.

$4.00, Public Service Elec. Co.

$167.50, Public Service Elec. Co.

$177.10, Public Service Elec. Co.

$3.00, Public Service Elec. Co.

$232.88, Garfunkel Bros.

$275.00, Smith & Kelleher.

$25.95, New York Telephone Co.

$814.01, Carscallen & Cassidy.

$7.40, Whipple Hardware Co.

$263.00, American La France Fire Engine Co.

$8.85, Wedlake-Lamson Co.

$73.90, Wedlake-Lamson Co.

$30.00, Garfunkel Bros.

$22.36, Keegan's Garage.

$7.50, John S. Menagh Co.

$73.20, Jersey City Storage Battery Company.

$14.50, Lewis Max & Sons.

$1.40, Commercial Acetylene Co.

$5.00, Pintsch Compressing Co.

$1.10, Stewart-Warner Speedometer Corp.

$9.68, American Bosch Magneto Corp.

$11.12, American Bosch Magneto Corp.

$8.00, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co.

$13.92, Firestone Tire & Rubber Co.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following named claimants for the following amounts and purposes:

$16.96, Evening Journal Association, advertisements.

$100.45, Joseph T. Sack, utensils.

$497.95, Hewitt & Bauer, painting.

$50.46, Joseph T. Sack, utensils.

$54.48, H. D. Dougherty & Co., arm bath.

$17.50, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

$67.30, Valvoline Oil Co., lubricating oil.

$4.00, Horlick Malted Milk Co., milk.

$78.25, Hewitt & Bauer, repairing auto.

$30.77, J. V. Calley, vegetables.

$17.93, Jerome O'Keefe, dry goods.

$89.38, William Bill, canned goods.

$32.93, Austin Nichols & Co., groceries.

$58.31, Jerome O'Keefe, dry goods.

$61.99, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$72.17, William Bill Co., groceries.

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$47.52, Chicago Medical Book Co., books.

$63.70, Albert Datz Co., printing.

$114.45, Colgate & Co., soap.

$116.54, Frederick Bugasch, insurance.

$373.62, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$13.20, William Bill, catsup.

$230.00 Joseph J. McGuire, burials.

$12.86, Morris Motor Car Co., auto supplies.

$156.00, Tom Murray's Shoe Store, shoes.

$111.00, Flynn Bros., groceries.

$13.50, Charles F. Hansen, ash cans.

$52.08, J. Decker, milk.

$1.85, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$4.20, Public Service Elec. Co., light.

$52.29, J. Decker, milk.

$14.20, Thompson's Garage, auto storage, etc.

$40.00, Metropolitan Bldg. & W. C. Co., cleaning windows.

$149.00, M. Weiss & Co., cabinets and chairs.

$7.50, Rockwood Cleaning Co., disinfectant.

$66.88, Public Service Gas Co., gas.

$13.50, Joseph H. Browne, cleanser.

$14.10, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$52.88, Thomas Finnerty, ice.

$9.60, Grain Soap Corporation, soap.

$25.05, Payton & Hoos, chairs.

$302.00, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$24.55, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$22.45, Joseph T. Sack, utensils.

$15.78, Joseph T. Sack, utensils.

$7.45, William Bill, soap.

$20.80, Evening Journal Assn., advertising.

$73.81, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$23,84, Lewis Mfg. Co., Cellucotton.

$19.92, The Howe Scale Co., Scale.

$340.00, Frederick Bugasch, insurance.

$3.60, Joseph T. Sack, brushes.

$167.90, General Fireproofing Co., lockers.

$130.08, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, antitoxin.

$20.00, Alex Scott, auto storage.

$232.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$22.05, Charles F. Hansen, rubber bands.

$70.56, Herman Kornahrens, Inc., Scottissue towels.

$10.80, The Norwich Pharmacal Co., ointment.

$15.75, Massimo & Fiore, ice.

$84.50, Union Printing Company, books.

$128.87, Otto Wilkens, instruments repaired.

$296.78, Wappler Electric Company, apparatus.

$1.10, William Bill, meal.

$14.29, Arthur Gold, drugs.

$13.44, Baldwin Lumber Company, lumber.

$9.15, Charles F. Hansen, office supplies.

$8.75, Alex. Hamill Iron Works, iron worker.

$26.33, S. Kleinhaus, pads.

$133.50, Francis H. Leggett & Co., canned goods.

$22.23, Whipple Hardware Company, waste.

$101.68, The Kleinhaus Store, dry goods.

$49.42, Jerome O'Keefe, socks.

$43.13, Austin, Nichols & Co., groceries.

$8.94, Wilkinson, Gaddis & Co., canned corn.

$45.75, Colgate & Co., glycerine.

$30.50, Colgate & Co., glycerine.

$34.20, G V. Mosby, medical books

$104.53, Wilkinson, Gaddis & Co., canned goods.

$40.21, William Bill, groceries.

$114.18, Wilkinson, Gaddis & Co., groceries.

$4.50, William Bill, wrapping paper.

$290.89, Maybaum Packing Company, meat.

$43.25, McKesson & Robbins, drugs.

$47.38, Armour & Co., green soap.

$431.20, T. Russel Lyman, gauze.

$63.70, Union Printing Company, forms printed.

$1.95, Hamilton Meat Market, chicken.

$4.35, Hamilton Meat Market, chicken.

$222.27, Morris Weismann, eggs.

$292.86, Morris Weismann, butter.

$437.26, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$74.45, William Bill, groceries.

$25.20, Archbold & Gallagher, vegetables.

$15.60, William Bill, salmon.

$71.00, Archbold & Gallagher, canned goods.

$61.74, John J. Mooney, drugs.

$33.39, Valvoline Oil Co., petrolatum.

$7.25, John J. Mooney, argyrol.

$242.50, Hamilton Meat Market, beef.

$293.71, General Baking Company, bread.

$59.00, The Norwich Pharmacal Company, drugs.

$435.04, Hudson Surgical Company, surgical supplies.

$429.10, James Picker, X-ray plates.

$328.36, D. Eisenberg, vegetables.

$187.89, Hamilton Meat Market, meat.

$149.63, Hamilton Meat Market, beef.

$296.35, Ammon & Person, eggs.

$35.82, J. V. Calley, vegetables.

$262.59, D. Eisenberg, vegetables.

$112.06, Hamilton Meat Market, meat.

$260.84, Hamilton Meat Market, meat.

$56.45, Otto Wilkens, drugs and supplies.

$27.15, L. L. Croner, groceries.

$45.05, W. H. Walthery, meats.

$301.64, General Baking Company, bread.

$409.84, Charles H. Nolte, butter.

$17.73, Austin, Nichols & Co., canned goods.

$44.35, Frederick Bugasch, insurance.

$3.50, Thomas L. Higgins, scoop.

$87.38, L. L. Croner, sugar.

$190.91, American Auto Tire Company, shoes and tire repairs.

$378.41, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$140.68, William C. Hagen, lamb.

$46.20, The Kny-Scheerer Corporation, burners.

$12 32, John P. Landrine, hardware and supplies.

$15.18, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., auto repairs.

$15.00, Nash Sales Corporation, storage (auto).

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$5.87, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., auto repairs.

$136.05, Joseph T. Sack, supplies.

$75.26, Ammon & Person, butter and eggs.

$33.15, William C. Hagen, meats.

$68.72, William Bill, meats.

$34.30, L. L. Croner, sugar.

$157.76, Keystone Dairy Company, milk.

$44.72, General Baking Company, bread.

$44.62, William Bill, fruits and vegetables.

$51.60, General Baking Co., bread.

$22.01, Thomas L. Higgins, hardware supplies.

$42.60, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$20.30, Public Service Company, gas.

$17.45, New York Telephone Company, service.

$40.14, Henry J. McDermott, ice.

$13.50, D. Eisenberg, potatoes.

$17.29, William Bill, groceries.

$18.19, L. L. Croner, groceries.

$28.41, William Bill, groceries.

$8.78, I. Britten, fish.

$10.30, John F. Crosby, potatoes.

$24.88, P. Loffredo, meats.

$60.10, P. Loffredo, meats.

$286.65, Leonard Peterson & Co., special diet table.

$174.44, Payton & Hoos, furniture.

$45.00, Julius Frey, laundry bags.

$27.65, J. V. Calley, vegetables.

$31.05, Boynton Furnace Company, grate bars.

$7.70, Colgate & Co., soap.

$7.60, W. R. Holmes, coffee.

$30.60, Donato Bachillo, ice.

$68.25, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., tire repairs.

$40.50, M. Miller, supplies.

$91.00, Union Printing Company, office supplies, etc.

$98.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$75.50, A. E. Kuntz, electrical supplies.

$22.00, J. Zelinka, repairing bags.

$1,275.00, Penn Construction Company, booths.

$12.43, New York Telephone Company, service.

$277.25, Union Printing Company, printing.

$69.89, Charles F. Kulscher, auto repairs.

$11.85, Otto Wilkens, instruments, etc.

$15.00, Dobke Typewriter Company, typewriter repairs.

$20.80, **Thomas Finnerty, ice.**

$208.90, J. J. Mooney, drugs.

$42.85, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., tires and repairs.

$23.16, Baker & Company, repairing crucible.

$212.92, Hudson Surgical Company, drugs.

$97.57, Seabury & Johnson, cotton, etc.

$12.59, William Bill, groceries.

$37.99, Joseph T. Sack, utensils.

$2.50, Hudson Surgical Company, repairing instruments.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PAY ROLLS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached pay rolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being for temporary services rendered during the periods specified, at the Boonton and Dover Plant of the Jersey City Water Company.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS.

From Commissioner Fagen, recommending that a hearing be held on the application of E. W. Edinger for permission to erect battery of garages in the rear of Nos. 123-125 Linden Ave.

Received.

From Commissioner Gannon, submitting supplemental debt statement.

Received and ordered filed.

From Commissioner Gannon, reporting on the coal situation in Jersey City, and recommending that a Fuel Administrator for Jersey City be appointed.

Received.

From Mayor Hague, reporting on the coal situation in Jersey City, advising the Board that there is ample coal for the people of Jersey City and that he has arranged with dealers not to supply New York dealers with coal other than the sizes which cannot be used here; further that the Bureau of Health, under the direction of Health Officer James J. Hagan, will see that all requests for coal supplies in Jersey City are promptly attended to;

further that the coal situation in Jersey City is not alarming and is infinitely better than any other municipality in this section of the country.

Received.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas there was on the 21st day of October, 1919, a contract entered into between the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City and William Van Keuren, of Jersey City, to furnish all the material and do all the work necessary for the regulating and paving with granite block on present concrete foundation, the roadway of Newark Avenue from Summit Avenue to the westerly line of West Side Avenue (excluding such portion as lies between the tracks), and provisions of specifications attached to said contract provides that five per cent. (5%) of the value of the entire work be retained for a perior of nine (9) months after the acceptance of the work by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvments and the City as a guarantee that the said paving shall be maintained in a condition satisfactory to said Director; and

Whereas, through inadvertence, only two per cent (2%) of the said amount has been retained; and

Whereas said contractor is willing to substitute for the five per cent (5%) of the value of the contract, a maintenance bond of the National Surety Company in the full amount of the percentage so retained; and

Whereas the Corporation Counsel to whom this matter was referred has given his opinion that while the contract provides for the retaining by the City of five per cent (5%) he can see no legal or business objection to the substitution; therefore be it

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements that the bond filed by the said William Van Keuren, this day in the sum of five thousand dollars ($5 000.00), representing the five per cent (5%) retained on account of said contract, which bond bears the approval of the Corporation Counsel, be received and ordered filed with the City Clerk; and be it

Further Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, be and he is hereby requested to file with this Board for adoption and estimate of the balance of said retained percentage in favor of William Van Keuren; and be it

Further Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be certified to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements and the City Comptroller.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer, and approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form, for the construction of a sewer in Sixteenth Street from a point about 50 feet east of Monmouth Street to connect with sewer in Jersey Avenue, be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed, and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, contract for furnishing and delivering Special Hydrants for use in Jersey City, be and the same is hereby awarded to The A. P. Smith Mfg. Co., at the price named in their proposal, namely, one hundred five per cent. (105%) of the Standard, they being the lowest bidders; and the corporation attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,

O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer, and approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel for furnishing and delivering F. O. B. at Morgan Street Dock, Jersey City, N. J. ten thousand (10,000) specification granite blocks for use in Jersey City, N. J. be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed; and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer, and approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form, for furnishing and delivering hypochlorite of lime and liquid chlorine for treatment of Jersey City Water Supply at Boonton, New Jersey, for a period of twelve months from January 1st, 1921 to December 31st, 1921, be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed, and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, contract for furnishing and delivering f. o. b., Jersey City, N. J., one (1) Ford Coupe, with all the necessary attachments and equipments for use in the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, be and the same is hereby awarded to Keegan's Garage at the price named in their proposal, namely, eight hundred seventy-two dollars and forty-three cents ($872 43), there being no lower bidder, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 83, Laws of 1910; Chapter 242, Laws of 1912; Chapter 77, Laws of 1913, and Chapter 12, Laws of 1914; and upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, this Commission hereby approves of map entitled "Map No. 1 of Property of Henry A. Woeckener and others in Jersey City, Hudson County, N. J.," consisting of County Block 454, City Black 1368, bounded by Linden Avenue, Hudson Boulevard and Danforth Avenue, surveyed November, 1919, by Charles Hopper Civil Engineer and Surveyor, Jersey City, N. J.; and

Further Resolved, That the City Clerk file two copies of said map, together with copy of this resolution, with the Register of Deeds of Hudson County as required by law.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 83, Laws of 1910; Chapter 242, Laws of 1912; Chapter 77, Laws of 1913, and Chapter 12, Laws of 1914; and upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, and the Director of the Departmnet of Revenue and Finance, this Commission hereby approves of map entitled "Map No. 2 of Property of Henry A. Woeckener and others in Jersey City, Hudson County, N. J.," consisting of County Block 500, City Block 1277, bounded by Stevens Avenue, Fowler Avenue and McAdoo Avenue, surveyed January, 1920, by

Charles Hopper, Civil Engineer and Surveyor, Jersey City, N. J.; and

Further Resolved, That the City Clerk file two copies of said map, together with copy of this resolution with the Register of Deeds of Hudson County as required by law.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the issuance of $150,000.00 Temporary Hospital Bonds of the City and providing for their payment.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance authorizing the issuance of $864,000 School Bonds of the City and providing for their payment."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, (1) The $864,000 School Bonds of the City authorized by "An Ordinance authorizing the sale of $864,000 School Bonds of the City, and providing for their payment", to be finally adopted on November 30, 1920, shall be coupon in form, registerable at the option of the holder either as to principal only, or as to both principal and interest, and shall be numbered from 1 upward in order of maturity.

(2) The said bonds shall be in substantially the following form:

No. $1,000.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
CITY OF JERSEY CITY
SCHOOL BOND

The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, a municipal corporation of the State of New Jersey, for value received, promise to pay to the bearer of this bond, or if it be registered, to the person in whose name it is registered, the sum of one thousand dollars ($1,000) on the first day of December, 19 , and to pay interest thereon at the rate of five and one-half per centum (5½%) per annum, semi-annually on the first days of June and December in each year, from the date of this bond until it matures, upon presentation and surrender as they severally mature of the coupons therefor annexed hereto, or if this bond be registered as to both principal and interest, then to the person in whose name it is registered. Both principal and interest of this bond will be paid in lawful money of the United States of America, at the office of the Treasurer of said City.

This bond may be registered as to principal by the holder in his name on the books of the City kept in the office of the City Comptroller, and such registration shall be noted on the back of this bond, after which no valid transfer of this bond shall be made except on said books until after register transfer to bearer. Such registration shall not affect the negotiability of the coupons which shall continue to pass by delivery. At the request of the holder, this bond will be converted into a bond registered as to both principal and interest and the coupons annexed hereto detached and cancelled and thereafter both principal and interest shall be payable only to the registered holder.

This bond is one of an issue, the authorized principal amount of which is $864,000., the bonds of which are of like tenor, except as to maturities, $24,000. of which mature on December 1 in each of the years 1922 to 1932 inclusive, and $25,000. of which mature on December 1 in each of the years 1933 to 1956 inclusive, and is issued pursuant to an Act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled: "An Act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the manitenance, support and management thereof," approved October 19, 1903, and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and an ordinance of said City entitled: "An ordinance authorizing the issuance og $864,000. School Bonds of the City and providing for their payment," duly adopted on November 30, 1920 and published as required by law.

It is hereby certified and recited that all conditions acts and things required by the Constitution and Statutes of the State of New Jersey to exist, to have happened and to have been performed, precedent to and in issuance of this bond exist, have happened, and have been performed, and that the issue of bonds of which this is one, together with all other indebtedness of said City is within every debt and other limit prescribed by the Constitution and Statutes of said State.

In Witness Whereof, The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City has caused this bond to be signed by its Mayor and Deputy Comptroller under the seal of the City and attested by its City Clerk, and the coupons hereto annexed to be authenticated by the facsimile signature of said Deputy Comptroller and this bond to be dated the first day of December 1920.

Mayor.

Attest:

City Clerk.

Deputy Comptroller.

FORM OF COUPON

No....... $27.50

THE MAYOR AND ALDERMEN OF JERSEY CITY, a municipal corporation of the State of New Jersey, will pay to the bearer on the first day of , 19 , the sum of Twenty-seven dollars and fifty cents ($27.50), in lawful money of the United States of America, at the office of the Treasurer of said City, being six months interest then due on its School Bond, dated December 1, 1920, and bearing No. .

Deputy Comptroller.

(Certificate of Registration.)

I hereby certify that at the request of the holder of the within bond, for its conversion into a bond registered as to both principal and interest, I have this day cut off and destroyed coupons attached thereto, numbered from to , inclusive, of the amount and value of Twenty-seven Dollars and Fifty Cents ($27.50), each, amounting in the aggregate to Dollars ($), and that the within bond is hereby converted into a registered bond, with the principal thereof and semi-annual interest thereon payable to assignee or legal representative.

Dated , 19 .

Date of Registry	Name of Registered Holder	Registered by

(3) Said Bonds shall be sold by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance on December 15, 1920, at 12 o'clock noon, after Notice of Sale, published at least twice, the first publication at least ten days prior to sale in the official paper of the City, and also at least once in the Bond Buyer, a financial paper published in New York City. The form of Notice of Sale shall be substantially as follows:

CITY OF JERSEY CITY
NOTICE OF SALE
OF
$864,000 SCHOOL BONDS.

Sealed proposals will be received by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance of Jersey City, New Jersey, on Thursday, December 16, 1920, at 12 o'clock noon, at the City Hall in said City, for the purchase of School Bonds of said City of the authorized amount of $1,000 each, will be dated December 1, 1920, and $24,000 of said bonds will mature on December 1, in each of the years 1922 to

1932, inclusive, and $25,000 of said bonds will mature on December 1 in each of the years 1933 to 1956 inclusive.

Said bonds will bear interest at five and one-half per cent per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of June and December in each year.

Both principal and interest will be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the City Treasurer of said City.

The bonds will be coupon bonds, with the privilege of registration as to principal only, or as to both principal and interest.

No more bonds of said issue will be sold than will produce a sum equal to the authorized amount of such issue and an additional sum of less than $1,000. The sum required to be obtained at the sale of said bonds is $864,000. Unless all bids are rejected said bonds will be sold to the bidder or bidders complying with the terms of sale and offering to pay not less than said sum and to take therefor the least amount of bonds commencing with the first maturity (stated in a multiple of $1,000); and if two or more bidders offer to take the same amount of said bonds, then to the bidder or bidders offering to pay therefor the highest additional price. The power is reserved to reject all bids and any bids not complying with the terms of this notice will be rejected. In addition to the amount paid, the purchaser must pay accrued interest at the rate borne by the bonds from the date of the bonds to the date of payment of the purchase price.

All bidders are required to deposit a certified check, payable to the order of the City of Jersey City for two per centum of the amount of bonds bid for, drawn upon an incorporated bank or trust company. Checks of unsuccessful bidders will be returned upon the award of the bonds. No interest will be allowed upon the amount of the check of a successful bidder, and such check will be retained to be applied in part payment for the bonds, or to secure the City against any loss resulting from the failure of the bidder to comply with the terms of his bid.

Proposals should be addressed to James F. Gannon, Commissioner, City Hall, Jersey City, New Jersey, and enclosed in a sealed envelop marked on the outside, "Proposal for School Bonds."

The successful bidders will be furnished with the opinion of Messrs. Hawkins, Delafield & Longfellow, of New York City, that the bonds are binding and legal obligations of the city.

The bonds will be prepared under the supervision of the United States Mortgage and Trust Company, which will certify as to the genuineness of the signatures of the officials and the seal impressed thereon.

By order of the Board of Commissioners.

Dated, , 19 .

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Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

partment of Revenue and Finance shall agree with the successful bidder for the issuance of interim certificates pending the preparation of the definitive bonds, such interim receipts may be in substantially the following form:

No. For $1000 Bond

JERSEY CITY, NEW JERSEY
INTERIM CERTIFICATE FOR SCHOOL BOND.

The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, a municipal corporation of the State of New Jersey, acknowledges the receipt of payment in full for $1000 School Bond of said City to be dated December 1, 1920, to mature on and to bear interest at the rate of five and one half (5½%) per centum per annum, authorized to be issued by an ordinance entitled: "An Ordinance authorizing the issuance of $864,000 School Bonds of the City and providing for their payment," duly adopted November 30, 1920, and published as required by law.

The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City has issued this certificate pending the preparation of said bond, and will deliver said bond, with all coupons attached, when prepared and executed to the bearer hereof, upon surrender of this certificate at the office of United States Mortgage & Trust Company, 55 Cedar Street, New York City.

In Witness Thereof, the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City has caused this interim certificate to be executed by its Deputy Treasurer this 1st day of December, 1920.

THE MAYOR AND ALDERMEN
of Jersey City.
By............................
Deputy Treasurer.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved as follows:

1. The following bonds of the City heretofore duly authorized by ordidance, namely,

$682,000 Temporary Street Improvement Bonds,

$198,000 Temporary Harbor Improvement Bonds,

$179,000 Temporary Playground Bonds,

$103,000 Temporary Fire Department Bonds,

$65,000 Temporary Police Department Bonds,

$27,000 Temporary Public Market Bonds,

$17,000 Temporary Library Bonds,

shall be in substantially the following form:

No. $1,000.

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
CITY OF JERSEY CITY
(Here insert title of bond)

The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, a municipal corporation of the State of New Jersey, for value received, promises to pay to the bearer of this bond, or if it be registered, to the person in whose name it is registered, the sum of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000) on the first day of December, 19...., and to pay interest thereon at the rate of six per centum (6%) per annum, semi-annually on the first days of June and December, in each year, from the date of this bond until it matures, upon presentation and surrender as they severally mature of the coupons therefor annexed hereto, or if this bond be registered as to both principal and interest, then to the person in whose name it is registered. Both principal and interest of this bond will be paid in lawful money of the United States of America, at the office of the Treasurer of said City.

This bond may be registered as to principal by the holder in his name on the books of the City, kept in the office of the City Comptroller, and such registration shall be noted on the back of this bond, after which no valid transfer of this bond shall be made except on said books until after registered transfer to bearer. Such registration shall not affect the negotiability of the coupons which shall continue to pass by delivery. At the request of the holder, this bond will be converted into a bond registered as to both principal and interest and the coupons annexed hereto detached and cancelled and thereafter both principal and interest shall be payable only to the registered holder.

This bond is one of an issue, the authorized principal amount of which is $...... (Here insert amount of issue and maturity and purpose) pursuant to an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled, "An Act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligation, and the incurring of indebtedness of bonds and other obligation, and the incurring of indebtedness, by county, city, borough, village, town, township, or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March 22, 1916, constituting Chapter 252 of the Pamphlet Laws of 1916, as amended, and by virtue of an ordiance of the said city entitle: (here insert title of ordinance) finally adopted on November 23rd, 1920, and published as required by law.

It is hereby certified and recited that all conditions, acts and things required by the Constitution and Statutes of

New Jersey to exists, to have happened and to have been performed, precedent to and in the issuance of this bond exist, have happened, and have been performed, and that the issue of bonds of which this is one, together with all other indebtedness of said City is within every debt and other limit prescribed by the Constitution and Statutes of said State.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City have caused this bond to be signed by its Mayor and its Deputy Comptroller under the seal of the City and attested by its City Clerk, and the coupons hereto annexed to be authenticated by the facsimile signature of said Deputy Comptroller and this bond to be dated the first day of December, 1920.

Mayor.

Deputy Comptroller.

Attest:

City Clerk.

FORM OF COUPON.

No....... $30.00.

THE MAYOR AND ALDERMEN OF JERSEY CITY, a Municipal Corporation of the State of New Jersey, will pay to the bearer on the first day of , 19 , the sum of Thirty Dollars ($30.00) in lawful money of the United States of America, at the office of the Treasurer of said City being six months interest then due on its (here insert title of bond) dated December 1, 1920, and bearing No. .

Deputy Comptroller.

(Certificate of Registration.)

I hereby certify that at the request of the holder of the within bond, for its conversion into a bond registered as to both principal and interest, I have this day cut off and destroyed coupons attached thereto, numbered from to inclusive, of the amount in the aggregate to Dollars ($), and that the within bond is hereby converted into registered bond, with the principal thereof and semi-annual interest thereon payable to , assignee or legal representative.

Dated, 19 .

Date of Registration.	Name of Registered Holder.	Registered by.

2. In the case of the $682,000 Temporary Street Improvement Bonds, certain of the blanks in said form shall be filled as follows:

(a) In the place for the title of the bonds shall be inserted "Temporary Street Improvement Bonds."

(b) In the place for the amount, maturity and purpose, shall be inserted $682,000, the bonds of which are of like tenor, except as to maturity, and are issued for street improvements."

(c) In the place for the title of the ordinance shall be inserted "An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $682,000 Temporary Street Improvement Bonds of the City and providing for their payment."

3. In the case of the $198,000 Temporary Harbor Improvement Bonds, certain of the blanks in said form shall be filled as follows:

(a) In the places for the title of the bonds shall be inserted "Themporary Harbor Improvement Bonds."

(b) In the place for the amount, maturity and purpose shall be inserted $198,000, the bonds of which are of like tenor except as to maturity, and are issued for harbor improvements."

(c) In the place for the title of the ordinance shall be inserted "An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $198,000 Temporary Harbor Improvement Bonds of the City and providing for their payment."

4: In the case of the $179,000 Temporary Playground Bonds, certain of the blanks in said form shall be filled as follows:

(a) In the places for the title of the

bonds shall be inserted "Temporary Playground Bond."

(b) In the place for the amount, maturity and purpose shall be inserted $179,000, the bonds of which are of like tenor, and are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing playground improvements."

(c) In the place for the title of the ordinance shall be inserted "An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $179,000 Temporary Playground Bonds of the City and providing for that payment."

5: In the case of the $103,000 Temporary Fire Department Improvement Bonds, certain of the blanks in said form shall be filled as follows:

(a) In the places for the title of the bonds shall be inserted "Temporary Fire Department Improvement Bond."

(b) In the place for the amount, maturity and purpose shall be inserted $103,000, the bonds of which are of like tenor except as to maturity, and are issued for Fire Department Improvements."

(c) In the place for the title of the ordinance shall be inserted "An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $103,000 Temporary Fire Department Improvement Bonds of the City and providing for their payment."

6: In the case of the $65,000 Temporary Police Department Bonds, certain of the blanks in saind forms shall be filled as follows:

(a) In the places for the title of the bonds shall be inserted "Temporary Police Department Bond."

(b) In the place for the amount, maturity and purpose, shall be inserted $65,000, the bonds of which are of like tenor, and are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing Police Department Improvements,"

(c) In the place for the title of the ordinance shall be inserted "An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $27,000 Temporary Public Market Bonds of the City and providing for their payment."

8: In the case of the $17,000 Temporary Library Bonds, certain of the blanks in said form shall be filled as follows:

(a) In the places for the title of the bonds shall be inserted "Temporary Library Fund."

(b) In the place for the amount, maturity and purpose, shall be inserted $17,000, the bonds of which are of like tenor and are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing Library Improvements."

(c) In the place for the title of the ordinance shall be inserted "An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $17,000 Temporary Library Bonds of the City and providing for their payment."

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, the Civil Service Commission has certified William F. Kelly, 22 Storms Avenue, Jersey City, as being eligible for appointment as Senior Clerk-Stenographer, as the result of a qualifying promotion examination, therefore be it

Resolved, That William F. Kelly is hereby appointed Senior Clerk-Stenographer, in the Executive office, Department of Revenue and Finance, at an annual salary of $2,000.00, payable semi-monthly, effective November 9th, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission has certified Patrick H. Leddy, 183 New York Avenue, Jersey City, as being eligible for appointment as clerk as the result of a qualifying promotion examination; therefore be it

Resolved, That Patrick H. Leddy is hereby appointed clerk in the Bureau of Control, Department of Revenue and Finance, at an annual salary of $2,000.00, payable semi-monthly, effective November 9th, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,

Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING $171,000 SCHOOL NOTES OF THE CITY OF JERSEY CITY.

RECITALS.

The Board of Education and the Board of School Estimate of this City has requested this Board of Commissioners to make an appropriation of $83,000 for the erection of new School No. 6 in addition to the sum heretofore appropriated for that purpose and an appropriation of $88,000 for the erection of new School No. 23 in addition to the sum heretofore appropriated for that purpose.

Said school buildings are to be of fireproof construction. This Board concurs in the request of the Board of School Estimate for such appropriation and consents thereto irrespective of the amount thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE MAYOR AND ALDERMEN OF JERSEY CITY DO ORDAIN:

Section 1. The sum of $83,000 is appropriated for the erection of new School No. 6 in addition to the sum heretofore provided for that purpose, and the sum of $88,000 is appropriated for the erection of New School No. 23 in addition to the sum heretofore appropriated for that purpose, making in all the sum of $171,000.

Section 2. Pursuant to an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled, "A Supplement to an act entitled, 'An Act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof,' approved October nineteenth, one thousand nine hundred and three, relating to the financing of school improvement," constituting Chapter 112 of the Pamphlet Laws of 1916 to provide funds to meet the appropriation made in Section 1 of this ordinance, and in anticipation of either the levy or collection of taxes or of the authorization or sale of permanent bonds as may subsequently be determined; promissory notes of the City of Jersey City shall be issued as the money is called for by the Board of Education; such notes shall mature in not exceeding one year and may be renewed from time to time by similar notes provided the renewal notes shall mature in not exceeding three years from the date of the original notes for the renewal of which they are issued. The interest thereon shall not exceed six per centum (6%) per annum, and shall be included in the annual tax levy of the city; such notes shall be general obligations of the City of Jersey City and shall be in such form as may be hereafter determined by resolution.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That a Fuel Administrator for Jersey City be temporarily and immediately appointed and that he proceed without delay to investigate the local coal situation and to remedy the same by applying the plan outlined to this Commission in the communication received this day from the Mayor using such further means as he may find proper and necessary; and be it

Further Resolved, That a copy of this resolution and said communication be immediately forwarded by the City Clerk to said Fuel Administrator and to the Corporation Counsel, and that the Corporation Counsel be instructed to draw any further resolutions or ordinance which may be required in the premises.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, Claude F. X. Russ has tendered his resignation as a Detective in the Jersey City Police Department; therefore be it

Resolved, That the resignation of Claude F. X. Russ as a member of the Jersey City Police Department be and the same is hereby accepted, effective immediately.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, The name of Thomas A. Brennan has been duly certified by the State Civil Service Commission as being eligible for appointment to the position of Asst. Chief Clerk in the Fire Department; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said Thomas A. Brennan be and he is hereby appointed to the position of Asst. Chief Clerk in the Jersey City Fire Department at an annual salary of $3,000 payable in semi-monthly installments, said appointment to take effect immediately.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the following-named persons, their names having been duly certified as eligible by the New Jersey State Civil Service Commission, be and they are hereby appointed to the position of Supervising Nurse, Department of Public Affairs, at the salary of $1,200 per annum, payable in semi-monthly installments, said appointments to be effective immediately:

Delia C. Connelly, 46 Mercer st., Jersey City, N. J.

Mae T. McKenna, Jersey City Hospital.

Mary I. Tourt, Jersey City Hospital.

Marion E. Donohue, Jersey City Hospital.

Jules G. Swartz, Jersey City Hospital.

Anna Christensen, Jersey City Hospital.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Public Affairs contract for the furnishing and delivering of one four-passenger automobile coupe be and the same is hereby awarded to Morris Motor Car Co., at the price named in their proposal, namely, $3,108.66; there being no lower bidder, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That James J. Hagan, Health Officer of the City of Jersey City, be and he is hereby appointed Fuel Administrator of said City of Jersey City, to serve without compensation at the pleasure of the Board of Commissioners; be it

Further Resolved, That the said Fuel Administrator shall report from time to time to the Board of Commissioners the coal situation in the City of Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Architect and Medical Director of Jersey City, contract for furnishing and laying carpet in the Nurses Home and New City Hospital Buildings, specified under Section 1, be and the same is hereby awarded to Payton & Hoos, at the price named in their bid, namely $13.75 per square yard, that being the lowest bid received;

Further Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to have prepared and executed the necessary contracts therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Architect and Medical Director of Jersey City, contract for the furnishing and installing all the electric lighting fixtures in the Nurses Home and New City Hospital Buildings, specified under Section 1, be and the same is hereby awarded to Hoffman & Elias, at the price named in their bid, namely, $33,700.00, that being the lowest bid received;

Further resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to have prepared and executed the necessary contracts therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Architect and Medical Director of Jersey City, contract for furnishing and laying linoleum in the Nurses Home and New City Hospital Buildings, specified under Section 1, be and the same is hereby awarded to James W. Greene Inc., at the prace named in their bid, namely, $2.72 per square yard, that being the lowest bid received;

Further resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to have prepared and executed the necessary contracts therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

On motion of Commissioner O'Brien the Board adjourned.

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, Jr.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
CHARLES F. X. O'BRIEN,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

Approved.
FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF NOVEMBER 23, 1920

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, November 23rd, 1920, at 2 P. M.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

IMPROVEMENT HEARINGS.

The hearing on the final passage of an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to improve all that part of Sixteenth Street from a point about 50 feet east of Monmouth Street to Jersey Avenue, in the City of Jersey City, by the construction of a sewer in accordance with plan hereto attached, said sewer to be constructed in conformity with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof" having been adjourned and continued to this time and place, and the City Clerk having advertised that the Board would consider the final passage of said ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of the above described ordinance. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of the above described ordinance.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the ordinance was referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

FRANCHISE HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing as required by law on the application of the E. Ferrett Estate, for permission to maintain encroachment on building No. 67 Booraem Avenue, the City Clerk read the public notice of hearing and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the application. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the application.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the application of the E. Ferrett Estate, for permission to maintain encroachment on building No. 67 Booraem Avenue, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to December 7th, 1920, at 2 P. M. in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

CITY ORDINANCES:

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the final passage of the following described ordinances:

"An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $27,000.00 Temp. Public Market Bonds of the City and providing for their payment."

"An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $17,00.00 Temp. Library Bonds of the City and providing for their payment."

"An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $65,000. Temp. Police Bonds of the City and providing for their payment."

"An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $179,000. Temp. Playground Bonds of the City and providing for their payment."

"An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $198,000. Temp. Harbor Impvt. Bonds of the City and providing for their payment."

"An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $103,000 Temp. Fire Dept. Impvt. Bonds of the City and providing for their payment."

"An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $682,000 Temp. Street Impvt. Bonds of the City and providing for their payment."
the City Clerk read each ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of each of them. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the ordinances were referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the application of Samuel Goldberg for permission to erect metal sign to extend six feet from building line at No. 20 Newark Avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application, the City Clerk read the public notice of hearing and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of the application. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the application.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Samuel Goldberg to erect metal sign to extend six feet beyond building line at No. 20 Newark Avenue, Jersey City, as shown on blue print attached to application;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From Harris Goldberg, requesting permission to erect metal sign to extend 8 feet beyond building line at No. 1211 Summit Avenue.

Received.

From H. L. Burger, requesting permission to erect electric sign at No. 115 Palisade Avenue.

Received.

OFFICERS COMMUNICATIONS.

From Superintendent of Buildings submitting report for October, 1920.

Received and ordered filed.

From Commissioners of Assessment and Chief Engineer, submitting final assessment map and report for the improvement of St. Pauls Avenue between Summit Avenue and Hudson Boulevard, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 217, Laws of 1895.

Received.

PAY ROLLS.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached payrolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being for services rendered during the periods specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,

Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That in accordance with Article 25 of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, this Board, upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, hereby certifies to the City Collector for Collection the amounts due on properties, for repairs to sidewalk, as per following schedule, such sums having been expended on account of properties indicated conformably to the provisions of the Act hereinbefore noted.

Phoenix Investment & Trading Co.
Lot 4B Block 581, southwest corner Magnolia Avenue and Summit Avenue.
Amount $36.75.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and requested to fix a date for public hearing and advertise same as required by law on the final assessment map and report filed with this Board on this day for the improvement of St. Pauls Avenue between Summit Avenue and Hudson Boulevard, conformable to the provisions of Chapter 217, Laws of 1895.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

Resolved, That the work under Contract No. 2330 for the improvement of Van Winkle Avenue from Liberty Avenue to Tonnele Avenue, with asphalt pavement on a concrete base, by W. T. S. Crichfield, contractor, be and the same is hereby accepted as completed, and that the Chief Engineer, be and he is hereby directed to file with the Commissioners of Assessment, a statement showing the entire cost of said improvement, and that thereupon, said Commissioners of Assessment shall proceed to make a proper assessment on any lands or real estate that may have been benefited or increased in value by such improvement, conformably to the provisions of Chapter 152, of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, through inadvertence there was submitted to the Board of Commissioners and adopted a resolution awarding contract for the repaving of Stegman Street from the Boulevard to Bergen Avenue, to W. T. S. Crichfield; and

Whereas said award of contract should have been for the "Improvement" of said street between the points mentioned, it being an assessable improvement, and further said resolution was adopted without any appropriation having been made; therefore be it

Resolved, That for these reasons the resolution heretofore adopted at meeting held October 26, 1920, awarding contract for the repaving of Stegman Street from the Boulevard to Bergen Avenue with sheet asphalt to W. T. S. Crichfield be and is hereby reconsidered and rescinded; and be it

Further resolved, That the City Clerk be directed to forward a copy of this resolution to the Corporation Attorney.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer, and approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form, for furnishing and delivering at the Wayne Street Stable Bass Push Brooms; also Refilling Machine Brooms and Furnishing Broom Handles be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed; and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance to improve all that part of Sixteenth Street, from a point about 50 feet east of Monmouth Street to Jersey Avenue, in the City of Jersey City by the construction of a sewer in accordance with plan hereto attached; said sewer to be constructed in conformity with provisions of Chapter 152, of the laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Whereas, It is deemed advisable by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, that the above named street should be improved by the construction of a sewer

Therefore, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

That, all that part of Sixteenth Street, from a point about 50 feet east of Monmouth Street to connect with sewer in Jersey Avenue should be improved as follows:

1. That a 15-in. vitrified pipe sewer be constructed in Sixteenth Street from a point about 50 feet east of Monmouth Street, to Coles Street, and a 12-in. vitrified pipe sewer be constructed in Sixteenth Street from Coles Street to and connecting with sewer in Jersey Avenue, in accordance with plan herewith attached, and to complete the improvement in a good and substantial manner, said improvement to be made in conformity with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof, and in accordance with specifications to be especially prepared.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as being ready for second and third reading and final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed, after second and third reading, by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $682,000 Temporary Street Improvement Bonds of the City and providing for their payment.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, New Jersey, do ordain:

Section 1. In pursuance of an Act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled "An Act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations, and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township, or any municipality governed by an improvement commission" approved March 22, 1916, constituting Chapter 252 of the Laws of 1916 as amended, $682,000 Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be issued.

Section 2. Said bonds shall be 682 in number, numbered from 1 to 682 inclusive, of the denomination of $1,000 each, shall be dated December 1, 1920, shall bear interest at not exceeding six percentum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of December and June in each year, and shall recite that they are issued for street improvements.

Section 3. Said bonds shall be issued for the purpose of temporarily financing certain improvements, such improvements not being current expenses, and of paying obligations of the city issued therefor. Such improvements the dates of their completion, the amounts of said bonds to be issued therefor and the maturities of said bonds, are and shall be as follows:

Summit and Sip Aves., widening; completed, April 17, 1918; $38,000 bonds; mature, Dec. 1, 1923.

Bergen and Sip Aves., widening; completed, March 9, 1920; $2,000 bonds; mature, Dec. 1, 1925.

Beacon Ave., paving; completed, Dec. 24, 1919; $30,000 bonds; mature, Dec. 1, 1925.

Ninth St., paving; completed, May 14, 1920; $3,500 bonds; mature, Dec. 1, 1925.

Eighth St., paving; completed, May 22, 1920; $11,500 bonds; mature, Dec. 1, 1925.

Palisade Ave., paving; completed, June 30, 1920; $7,000 bonds; mature, June 1, 1926.

Newark Ave., paving; completed, Sept. 23, 1920; $103,500 bonds; mature, June 1, 1926.

Washington St., Sussex St., Crescent Ave., Brinkerhoff St., Astor Pl., Seventh St., and Eighth St., paving; completed, Aug. 20, 1920; $36,000 bonds; mature, June 1, 1926.

Zabriskie St., paving; completed, July 8, 1920; $8,500 bonds; mature, June 1, 1926.

Grand St., Communipaw Ave., Pacific Ave., paving, uncompleted; $168,500 bonds, mature, Dec. 1, 1926.

Astor Pl., Summit Ave., Baldwin Ave., Webster Ave., paving; uncompleted; $160,500; mature, Dec. 1, 1926.

Manhattan Ave., 13th St., Sanford Pl., Pershing Field Driveway, paving; uncompleted; $51,000 bonds; mature, Dec. 1, 1926.

Communipaw Ave., paving; uncompleted; $35,000 bonds; mature, Dec. 1, 1926.

Tonnele Ave., paving; uncompleted; $27,000 bonds; mature Dec. 1, 1926.

Section 4. Said bonds shall be in such form as shall be provided by resolution.

Section 5. Pending the preparation of the definitive bonds herein authorized the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance may in his discretion accept payment therefor and thereupon may give negotiable receipts exchangeable by the bearer for the definitive bonds. Said receipts shall be in such form and be executed by such official as may be provided by resolution.

Section 6. Said bonds shall upon maturity be paid out of the proceeds of Funding Bonds, or if not so paid, a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay said bonds as they mature. In each year after the date of said bonds a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay the interest on said bonds.

Section 7. Subject to the provisions of this ordinance all matters in respect of said bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Section 8. All ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are repealed.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An Ordinance authorizing the issuance of $103,000 Temporary Fire Department Improvement Bonds of the City and providing for their payment.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, New Jersey, do ordain:

Section 1. In pursuance of an Act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled "An Act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations, and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission" approved March 22, 1916, as amended $103,000 Temporary Fire Department Improvement Bonds shall be issued.

Section 2. Said bonds shall be 103 in number, numbered from 1 to 103 inclusive, of the denomination of $1,000 each, shall be dated December 1, 1920, shall bear interest at not exceeding six percentum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of December and June in each year, and shall recite that they are issued for Fire Department Improvements.

Section 3. Said Bonds shall be issued for the purpose of temporarily financing certain improvements, such improvements not being current expenses, and of paying obligations of the city issued therefor. Such improvements, the dates of their completion, the amounts of said bonds to be issued therefor and the maturities of said bonds, are and shall be as follows:

Three Pumping Engines; completion, May 29, 1919; $36,000 bonds; mature, Dec. 1, 1924.

Motor Tractor, completion, Oct. 31, 1919; $7,000 bonds; mature, June 1, 1925.

Four Pumping Engines, completion, June 25, 1920; $52,000 bonds; mature, June 1, 1926.

Site for repair shop, completion, Oct. 4, 1920; $8,000 bonds; mature, June 1, 1926.

Section 4. Said bonds shall be in such form as shall be provided by resolution.

Section 5. Pending the preparation of the definitive bonds herein authorized, the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance may in his discretion accept payment therefor and thereupon may give negotiable receipts exchangeable by the bearer for the definitive bonds. Said receipts shall be in such form and be executive by such official as may be provided by resolution.

Section 6. Said bonds shall upon maturity be paid out of the proceeds of sale of Funding Bonds, or if not so paid a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay said bonds as they mature. In each year after the date of said bonds a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay the interest on said bonds.

Section 7. Subject to the provisions of this ordinance all matters in respect of said bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Section 8. All ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are repealed.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adoped.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An Ordinance Authorizing the Issuance of $27,000 Temporary Public Market Bonds of the City and Providing for Their Payment.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, New Jersey, do ordain:

Section 1. For the purpose of temporarily financing the purchase on October 4, 1920, of a site for a Public Market, such improvement not being current expenses, and of paying obligations of the city issued therefor, and in pursuance of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled: "An Act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations, and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township, or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March 22, 1918, constituting Chapter 252 of the Laws of 1916, as amended, $27,000 Temporary Public Market Bonds shall be issued.

Sec. 2. Said bonds shall be 27 in number, numbered from 1 to 27 inclusive, of the denomination of $1,000 each, shall be dated December 1, 1920, shall mature on June 1, 1926 shall bear interest at not exceeding 8 per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of June and December in each year and shall recite that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing Public Market Improvements.

Sec. 3. Said bonds shall be in such form as shall be provided by resolution.

Sec. 4. Pending the preparation of the definitive bonds herein authorized, the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance may in his discretion accept payment therefor, and thereupon may give negotiable receipts exchangeable by the bearer for the definitive bonds. Said receipt shall be in such form and be executed by such officials as may be provided by resolution.

Sec. 5. Said bonds shall upon maturity be paid out of the proceeds of sale of Funding Bonds, or if not so paid a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay said bonds as they mature. In each year after the date of said bonds a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay the interest on said bonds.

Sec. 6. Subject to the provisions of this ordinance, all matters in respect of said bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Sec. 7. All ordinances or parts of ordinances not consistent herewith are repealed.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An Ordinance Authorizing the Issuance of $17,000 Temporary Library Bonds of the City and Providing for Their Payment.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, New Jersey, do ordain:

Section 1. For the purpose of temporarily financing the purchase on October 4, 1920, of a site for the Bergen Branch Library, such improvement not being current expenses, and of paying obligations of the City issued therefor, and in pursuance of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled: "An Act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations, and the incurring of indebtedness, by county, city, borough, village, town, township, or any municipality governed by an improvement commission,' approved March 22, 1916, constituting Chapter 252 of the Laws of 1916, as amended, $17,000 Temporary Library Bonds shall be issued.

Sec. 2. Said bonds shall be 17 in number, numbered from 1 to 17 inclusive, of the denomination of $1,000 each, shall be dated December 1, 1920, shall mature on June 1, 1926, shall bear interest at not exceeding 6 per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of June and December in each year, and shall recite that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing library improvements.

Sec. 3. Said bonds shall be in such form as shall be provided by resolution.

Sec. 4. Pending the preparation of the definitive bonds herein authorized, the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance may in his discretion accept payment therefor and thereupon may give negotiable receipts exchangeable by the bearer for the definitive bonds. Said receipt shall be in such form and be executed by such official as may be provided by resolution.

Sec. 5. Said bonds shall upon maturity be paid out of the proceeds of sale of Funding Bonds, or if not so paid a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay said bonds as they mature. In each year after the date of said bonds a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay the interest on said bonds.

Sec. 6. Subject to the provisions of this ordinance, all matters in respect of said bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Sec. 7. All ordinances or parts of ordinances not consistent herewith are repealed.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $65,000 temporary Police Department bonds of the City and providing for their payment.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, New Jersey, do ordain:

Section 1. For the purpose of temporarily financing the purchase on April 3d, 1920, of a site for the Seventh Precinct Police Station on account of which $53,500 of the bonds herein authorized shall be issued and the purchase on January 23d, 1920, of three auto patrol wagon chasis on account of which $11,500 of said bonds shall be issued, such improvement not being current expenses and of paying obligations of the city issued therefore, and in pursuance of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled: "An Act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations, and the incurring of indebtedness, by county, city, borough, village, town, township, or any municipality governed by an improvement commission" approved March 22, 1916, constituting Chapter 252 of the Laws of 1916, as amended, $65,000 Temporary Police Department Bonds shall be issued.

Section 2. Said bonds shall be 65 in number, numbered from 1 to 65 inclusive, of the denomination of $1,000 each, shall be dated December 1, 1920, shall mature on December 1, 1925, shall bear interest at not exceeding 6 per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of June and December in each year, and shall recite that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing Police Department improvements.

Section 3. Said bonds shall be in such form as shall be provided by resolution.

Section 4. Pending the preparation of the definitive bonds herein authorized, the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance may in his discretion accept payment therefore and thereupon may give negotiable receipts exchangeable by the bearer for the definitive bonds. Said receipt shall be in such form and be executed by such official as may be provided by resolution.

Section 5. Said bonds shall upon maturity be paid out of the proceeds of said Fund Bonds, or if not so paid a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay said bonds as they mature. In each year after the date of said bonds a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay the interest on said bonds.

Section 6. Subject to the provisions of this ordinance all matters in respect of said bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Section 7. All ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are repealed.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon :

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $179,000 Temporary Playground bonds of the City and providing for their payment.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, New Jersey, do ordain:

Section 1. For the purpose of temporarily financing the original improvement of Reservoir Playground, which is not yet completed, such improvement not being current expense, and of paying obligations of the city issued therefor, and in pursuance of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled: "An Act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations, and the incurring of indebtedness, by county, city, borough, village, town, township, or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March 22d, 1916, constituting Chapter 252 of the Laws of 1916, as amended, $179,000 Temporary Playground Bonds shall be issued.

Section 2. Said bonds shall be 179 in number, numbered from 1 to 179 inclusive, of the denomination of $1,000 each, shall be dated December 1, 1920, shall mature on December 1, 1926, shall bear interest at not exceeding 6 per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of June and December in each year, and shall recite that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing playground improvements.

Section 3. Said bonds shall be in such form as shall be provided by resolution.

Section 4. Pending the preparation of the definitive bonds herein authorized, the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance may in his discretion accept payment therefor and thereupon may give negotiable receipts exchangeable by the bearer for the definitive bonds. Said receipt shall be in such form and be executed by such official as may be provided by resolution.

Section 3. Said bonds shall upon maturity be paid out of the proceeds of sale of Funding Bonds, or if not so paid a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay said bonds as they mature. In each year after the date of said bonds a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay the interest on said bonds.

Section 6. Subject to the provisions of this ordinance all matters in respect of said bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Section 7. All ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are repealed.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $198,000 Temporary Harbor Improvement Bonds of the City and providing for their payment.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, New Jersey, do ordain:

Section 1. In pursuance of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled: "An Act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township, or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March 22, 1916, constituting Chapter 252 of the Laws of 1916, as amended, $192,000 Temporary Harbor Improvement Bonds shall be issued.

Section 2. Said bonds shall be 198 in number, numbered from 1 to 198 inclusive, of the denomination of $1,000 each, shall be dated December 1, 1920, shall bear interest at not exceeding six percentum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of December and June in each year, and shall recite that they are issued for harbor improvement.

Section 3. Said bonds shall be issued for the purpose of temporarily financing certain improvements, such improvements not being current expenses, and of paying obligations of the city issued therefore, such improvement, the date of their completion, the amounts of said bonds to be issued therefore and the maturities of said bonds, are and shall be as follows:

Improvement.	Date of Completion or Acquisition	Amount of Bonds.	Maturity.
Purchase of Riparian Rights at Droyer's Pt.	April 27, 1920.	$78,000	Dec. 1, 1925
Constr. of Dyke at Droyer's Pt.	July 2, 1920	16,000	June 1, 1926
Reclam. of land at Droyer's Pt.	Not completed	41,000	Dec. 1. 1926
Howell St. Dock Improvement	Not completed	63,000	Dec. 1, 1926

Section 4. Said bonds shall be in such form as shall be provided by resolution.

Section 5. Pending the preparation of the definitive bonds herein authorized, the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance may in his discretion accept payment therefor and thereupon may give negotiable receipts exchangeable by the bearer for the definitive bonds. Said receipts shall be in such form and be executed by such officials as may be provided by resolution.

Section 6. Said bonds shall, upon maturity, be paid out of the proceeds of sale of Funding Bonds, or if not so paid, a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay said bonds as they mature. In each year after the date of said bonds a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay the interest on said bonds.

Section 7. Subject to the provisions of this ordinance, all matters in respect of said bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Section 8. All ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are repealed.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon.

Resolved, That a warrant be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the Sinking Fund Commission of Jersey City in the sum of $105,026.00, proceeds of sale to M. W. Kellogg Company of Block No. 1289, Plots 9A and 9B, Droyers Point Property.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: **None.**

By Commissioner Gannon.

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission has approved of the transfer and change in title of Mr. George Kane from investigator in Labor Bureau to that of clerk in Bureau of Control, therefore be it

Resolved, That the transfer and change in title of Mr. George Kane, from investigator in labor to that of clerk in Bureau of Control, be and the same is hereby made effective as of November 23, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore.

Resolved, That the lease this day presented by the Director of Parks and Public Property between the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City and the Hudson Material Company, be and is hereby approved and the Corporation Attorney be directed to have the same executed.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O Brien:

Whereas, The following named members of the Jersey City Police Department have appeared before a Board of Medical Examiners; and

Whereas, The said Board of Medical Examiners have recommended that they be retired because of physical disability; therefore be it

Resolved, That Lieut. Thomas Lynch and Patrolman William Waldron be, and they are hereby retired from the Jersey City Police Department upon half pay, to be effective December 1, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien.

Whereas, Detective Richard Breakey, Sixth Precinct, has made application to be retired; and

Whereas, He is under the law qualified to be retired, having served more than twenty years, and having reached the age of fifty years; therefore

Resolved, That Detective Richard Breakey be placed on the retired list, to take effect December 1, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

At this time the Jersey City Development Plan Board of Engineers of Jersey City and representatives from the Jersey City Chamber of Commerce appeared before the Board and presented a lengthy report and several blue-prints covering the proposed development and improvement of Jersey City. Mr. Martin Schreiber, Engineer to the Development Board of Engineers, read the report outlining the various necessities required for the development and improvement of the city, which report contained a recommendation that a lay-commission of nine members be appointed, five members to be appointed by the Mayor and four by the Chamber of Commerce. This committee to make a study of the report and then to make recommendations to the Board of Commissioners.

Robert J. Hoos, president of the Jersey City Chamber of Commerce, stated that the Board of Engineers have rendered an excellent service to the city. He approved of their recommendation that a lay-commission be appointed to co-operate with the Development Plan Board.

The Mayor advised Mr. Hoos that the work of the Board of Engineers had not as yet been completed; that they are to continue working with the lay-commission to be appointed; that the project is very important for the development of the city; that the Board of Commissioners will render every aid possible for carrying out the plans outlined in the report.

Willard Stanton, manager of the Jersey City Chamber of Commerce, presented a resolution to the Board of Commissioners, calling for an appropriation of $25,000.00 to defray the expenses of engaging engineering talent, etc., required by the lay-commission to be appointed and the Board of Engineers.

Commissioner Gannon objected to the specific amount being inserted in the resolution, stating that he did not want to be tied down to any certain amount.

Mr. Stanton stated that the Board had about one year's work to accomplish and that this sum would be required.

Commisisoner Fagen suggested that the amount be omitted and just order an appropriation to be made for the financing of the work of the Board of Engineers and lay-commission.

Whereupon the following resolution was introduced:

By Commissioner Hague:

Whereas, The Jersey City Development Plan Board of Engineers have presented to the Board of City Commissioners of Jersey City a plan for the development of the industrial and transportation facilities of Jersey City; and

Whereas, This plan contemplates many radical changes in the existing physical condition of our city and should be made the subject of the widest possible discussion by the business men and property owners of this community; and

Whereas, The members of this Engineering Board have, themselves, further recommended that there be created a Commission of nine members, five to be appointed by the Mayor and four by the Chamber of Commerce, to receive this plan and make a study thereof with the idea of recommending certain features for new development; and

Whereas, This lay committee will require the service of engineering talent and will, in the course of their investigation, have to incur some expenses; therefore be it

Resolved, That the members of the City Commission hereby receive the report of this Engineering Board and authorize that there shall be created as recommdended by the Board of Engineers a Commission of nine members to receive this report, of which the Mayor is hereby authorized to appoint five and the Jersey City Chamber of Commerce four; and be it further

Resolved, That there be provided in the budget for the fiscal year 1921 an appropriation to be used to defray such expenses as this Commission may find necessary to carry out the work that has been assigned to it.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

In accordance with the foregoing resolution the Mayor submitted the following report:

November 23, 1920.

To the Honorable the Board of Commissioners, Jersey City:

Gentlemen: Under the terms of the resolution authorizing a committee of five to be appointed by the Mayor and four by the Jersey City Chamber of Commerce to receive and inquire into the report submitted to your Board by the Jersey City Development Plan Board of Engineers, I hereby appoint the following named gentlemen as members of such committee: Mr. George T. Smith, Mr. John F. Boyle, Mr. Austen Colgate, Mr. Emil Stohn, Mr. Walter J. Dear.

I would respectfully suggest that the City Clerk be authorized to notify these gentlemen of their appointment so that activities on this report may be gotten under way as provided in the resolution.

Respectfully yours,

FRANK HAGUE.
Mayor.

On motion of the Mayor the report was received and the City Clerk directed to notify the members of their appointment.

Mr. Stanton then advised the Board of Commissioners that the report would have to be printed for distribution and would cost from three to four thousand dollars.

The Mayor stated that the appropriation asked for in the resolution would finance the printing of the report.

Commissioner Gannon stated that it would be a very good plan to have the Commission on Building Districts and Restrictions of Jersey City co-operate with the Board of Engineers. The Mayor advised that he had already taken the matter up with the Zoning Commission for this purpose. However, he suggested that it would be advisable to appoint Superintendent of Buildings John Saul and Michael J. Sexton of the Zoning Commission as members of the Board of Engineers, Jersey City Developing Plan.

Whereupon the following resolution was introduced:

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings of Jersey City John Saul and Chairman of the Commission on Building Districts and Restrictions of Jersey City Michael J. Sexton be and they are hereby appointed as members of the Jersey City Development Plan Board of Engineers, to serve without compensation, said appointments to take effect immediately.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

In conclusion the City Clerk returned the report and maps of the Board of Engineers to their secretary, Mr. Philip Guise, with instructions to submit them to the newly appointed lay commission for study and report back to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City.

On motion of Commissioner Moore the Board adjourned.

Approved:

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR,
A. HARRY MOORE,
CHARLES F. X. O'BRIEN,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF NOVEMBER 30, 1920

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, November 30, 1920, at 2 P. M.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Absent: Commissioner Moore (excused).

IMPROVEMENT HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing for objections to the final assessment map and report for the improvement of Cornelison Avenue between Fairmount Avenue and the north line of Montgomery Street, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 217, Laws of 1895, the City Clerk read the notice of hearing and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the schedule of assessments.

The following named persons appeared and protested against the proposed assessment:

Mr. G. Graziano, 375 5th St., owner of Lot 17, Block 2106, who stated that he had paid $147.00 for his assessment for the construction of a sewer in Cornelison Avenue, and that the present assessment is too much.

Mr. S. Santaniello, 5 Whyte St., owner of Lot 15, Block 2106, who stated that he purchased the property a year ago from John Manning with the understanding that it was free and clear.

Marie M. Petrigliano, 114 Cornelison Avenue, owner of Lots 11-12, Block 2106, who stated that the assessment was to high and that she could not afford to pay it.

A written protest was presented by Mrs. Patrick Coughlin of No. 128 Cornelison Avenue, owner of Lot 18, Block 2106, in which she stated that she was a widow having three children and receives only $17.00 a week from her son and requesting the Board to reduce the assessment on her property.

A written protest was received from the French Process Cigarette Paper Mills, Inc., advising the Board that they will object to the levying of any assessment against property in Blocks 2109 and 2116 because they had purchased this property from the Stratford Paper Company who are obligated by an agreement with them to pay any such charges.

Mr. George Stratford of the Geo.

Stratford Oakum Co., 160 Cornelison Avenue, appeared and advised the Board that the City had taken over some property adjacent to his for park purposes and the proposed assessment schedule did not make provision for same.

In conclusion Commissioner Fagen advised the Board that this improvement had **been undertaken ten** yea ago; that due to litigation the contractors' payment was held up and the Court rendered a decision against the City and the City has since adjusted the matter with the contractor. In view of the fact that he has not had sufficient time to go into the matter thoroughly, he requested the Board to adjourn the hearing for two weeks.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing for objections to the confirmation of the final assessment map for the improvement of Cornelison Avenue between Fairmount Avenue and the north line of Montgomery Street, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to Tuesday, December 14th, 1920, at 2 P. M. in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

CITY ORDINANCES.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the final passage of the following ordinances:

"An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $150,000 Temp. Hospital Bonds of the City and providing for their payment."

"An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $864,000 School Bonds of the City and providing for their payment," the City Clerk read each ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of each of the above described ordinances. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the ordinances were referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications:

Harris Goldberg, sign to extend eight feet beyond building line at No. 1211 Summit avenue.

H. L. Burger, electric sign to extend eight feet beyond building line at No. 115 Palisade avenue.

The City Clerk read each application and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of any of the above described applications.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the granting of any of the above described applications.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Harris Goldberg to erect metal sign to extend eight feet beyond building line at No. 1211 Summit Avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, O Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to H. L. Burger to erect electric sign to extend eight feet from building line at No. 115 Palisade Avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, O Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From Simpson M. E. Church, requesting permission to build garage in cellar of No. 644 Pavonia Avenue.

Received and referred to Superintendent of Buildings with power.

From Counsellor Thos. F. Meaney, submitting petition of Jane Damato, requesting cancellation of tax sale on property known as Lot 1, Block 510, Chestnut Avenue.

Received and referred to Commissioner Gannon.

From M. Ackerley, lessee, requesting permission to erect metal electric sign at No. 661 Newark Avenue.

Received.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

From Superintendent of Buildings John Saul, returning petition of the D., L. & W. R. R. Co. for permission to erect five hundred foot building for coal treatment during the winter, advising the Board that such a temporary building would increase the fire hazard, and also that the Central Railroad of New Jersey has recently erected a fireproof structure for this use, he would recommend that the permission be not granted.

Received and recommendations adopted.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$336.00, Belle Meade Stables, carting.

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$15.00, Clinton Contracting Co., repairs.

$30.00, Clinton Contracting Co., repairs.

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$125.50, Michael J. Curley, repairs.

$147.00, Michael J. Curley, repairs.

$3.00, Dobke Typewriter Exchange, repairs.

$216.66, J. P. Hall, supplies.

$234.69, J. P. Hall, supplies.

$148.87, J. P. Hall, supplies.

$6.85, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$5.50, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$29.55, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$120.00, Jersey City Supply Co., supplies.

$21.50, Benjamin Keupman, supplies.

$12.36, Lehigh Valley Railroad Co., services.

$12.88, Lehigh Valley Railroad Co., services.

$50.74, Lehigh Valley Railroad Co., services.

$8.04, Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$7.80, Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$100.00, Flockhart Foundry Co., supplies.

$120.00, Fagan Iron Works, supplies.

$60.00, Fagan Iron Works, supplies.

$19.83, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$46.03, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$6.05, L. Clark, repairs.

$243.75, L. Dunn, coal.

$256.26, E. B. Dawson Company, supplies.

$3.00, Fagan Iron Works, supplies.

$26.25, M. Fiore, ice—laboratory.

$28.80, Mrs. Cant, refund.

$45.47, T. A. Gilmartin, repairs.

$14.28, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$33.08, J. P. Hall, supplies.

$5.64, Hudson Observer, adv.

$30.50, Benjamin Kuperman, supplies.

$7.68, New York Telephone Co., services.

$2.10, P. S. Elec. Co., services.

$4.50, P. S. Gas Co., supplies.

$80.20, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., supplies.

$1.27, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., supplies.

$45.30, L. A. Bittighofer, supplies.

$30.00, Bernstein & Co., supplies.

$21.10, Columbia Ribbon & Carbon Mfg. Co., supplies.

$721.36, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$21.84, The Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$16.00, John J. Howard, horseshoeing.

$40.25, Charles Hayes, horseshoeing.

$132.00, Hudson Real Estate Co., insurance.

$444.08, Interlocking Casting Company, supplies.

$46.50, Jersey City Supply Co., supplies.

$4.35, Jersey City Lumber Company, supplies.

$51.00, Thomas J. Miskel, horseshoeing.

$10.00, Lewis Max & Sons, supplies.

$36.29, New York Telephone Co., services.

$5.60, New York Telephone Co., services.

$2.50, New York Telephone Co., services.

$6.30, New York Telephone Co., services

$6.70, New York Telephone Co., services.

$4.20, New York Telephone Co., services.

$7.70, Public Service Electric Co., services.

$1,619.26, Public Service Gas Company, services.

$12,967.49, Public Service Electric Co., services.

$16.30, Public Service Electric Co., services.

$25.80, Public Service Electric Co., services.

$500.00, A. Steiert & Son, supplies.

$73.00, James Sweeney, horse shoeing.

$85.25, J. F. Sullivan, horse shoeing.

$207.68, Stillman & Van Siclen Chem. Lab. Co., Inc.

$68.50, Richard Stanton, horse shoeing.

$24.25, Union Printing Company, supplies.

$437.50, Graham Van Keuren, repairs.

$69.66, Westinghouse Electric & Mfg. Co.

$31.25, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$8.40, The Eve. Journal Assn.

$25.48, The Eve. Journal Assn.

$8.64, The Eve. Journal Assn.

$7.56, Hudson Observer, adv.

$7.80, Hudson Observer, adv.

$26.00, Hudson Observer, adv.

$9.65, Autocar Sales & Service Company, Inc.

$41.40, Beacon Auto Supply, supplies.

$133.00, J. Bardach, supplies.

$2.60, Walter J. Coleman, supplies.

$14.48, Central Railroad Company of New Jersey.

$8.13, Walter J. Coleman, supplies.

$35.50, J. E. Carlock, supplies

$183.54, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$26.93, Chester DePuy, feed.

$3.10, W. L. Doremus, repairs.

$9.60, Bart Darress, repairing furnace.

$6.90, W. L. Doremus, horseshoeing.

$2.65, Eimer & Amend, supplies.

$23.50, Expert Radiator Repair Company, repairs.

$40.00, Geo. Estler, hauling.

$5.76, The Evening Journal Association.

$1,981.35, Fagan Iron Works, supplies.

$26.46, James P. Hall, Inc., supplies.

$8.75, R. D Heath, supplies

$132.00, Hudson Real Estate Co., insurance.

$10.38, Jersey Manufacturing Company, supplies.

$10.80, Initial Apron and Towel Supply Co., service.

$23.35, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$19.00, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$8.07, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$30.50, E. Kelly, horseshoeing.

$5.00, The New York Central Railroad Company.

$27.90, John A. Norton, insurance.

$7.19, Neptune Meter Company, repairing.

$3.15, New York Telephone Company, service.

$12.80, Oxweld Acetylene Company, supplies.

$1,357.20, Pennsylvania Salt Manufacturing Company, supplies.

$61.98, Pennsylvania Salt Manufacturing Company, supplies.

$53.12, Public Service Gas Company, service.

$1.00, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$29.70, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$13.07, Scientific Equipment Company, supplies.

$10.00, Stillman & Van Siclen Chemical Company, Inc.

$22.87, The Texas Company, supplies.

$1.56, Herman F. Trautman, supplies.

$218.58, The Texas Company, supplies.

$489.50, Union Printing Company, supplies.

$249.00, Union Printing Company, supplies.

$84.98, Worthington Pump & Machinery Corporation.

$47.40, Water Works Equipment Company, supplies.

$9.75, Wallace & Tiernan Company, Inc., supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in payment of the following claims:

$418.25, George A. Reilly, cinders.

$5.10, Thos. L. Higgins, pails and bolts

$26.25, Chas. F. Hansen, folders.

$1.65, Thos. L Higgins, polish

$1.20, Thos. L. Higgins, brushes.

$8.82, Thos L. Higgins, rope.

$150.00, Salverio Iorio, brick.

$8.00, John Kirkpatrick, horseshoeing.

$27.90, Oscar Michler, saws repaired and sharpened.

$15.75, Louis Greenberg, glass.

$10.00, Edward Cahill, rent for garage.

$4.15, Blakeslee-Cadillac Company, grease cups and plugs.

$41.90, New York Telephone Company, service.

$1.00, P. S. Electric Company, service.

$90.00, Junction Milling Company, lumber.

$9.65, Thos. L. Higgins, cord and lock set.

$21.46, Thos. L. Higgins, paint and oil.

$17.50, Thos L Higgins, lamp black.

$28.00, Thos. L. Higgins, paint

$51.15, George W. Irving, toilet repair

$6.92, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$1.35, Thos. L. Higgins, springs and benzine.

$127.50, Thos. L. Higgins, paint.

$3.00, Thos. L. Higgins, mop and handle.

$3.50, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$38.71, Thos. L. Higgins, shovels.

$9.50, Sam Borsky, glass.

$10.25, Sam Borsky, glass.

$17.65, Junction Milling Company, lumber.

$3.25, Thomas L. Higgins, paper.

$9.65, Thomas L. Higgins, miscellaneous hardware.

$2.50, Thomas L. Higgins, paint and brush.

$11.75, Fleischman Bros., radiator repair.

$26.75, H. C. Cassell, soft soap.

$20.40, Whipple Hardware Company, saws.

$87.57, W. A. Barclay, sink repair.

$59.02, W. A. Barclay, range repair.

$70.00, W. A. Barclay, roof repair.

$44.13, W. A. Barclay, toilet repair.

$98.87, New York Telephone Company, service.

$450.00, Commercial Trust Company, rent.

$20.00, Benjamin Kuperman, glass.

$8.25, Benjamin Kuperman, glass.

$2.00, Benjamin Kuperman, glass.

$57.60, J. C. Ladder Company, extension ladder.

$52.50, Asbestos Material Company, asbestos covering.

$391.00, Commonwealth Roofing Company, roof repair.

$41.11, Blakeslee-Cadillac Company, auto parts.

$166.08, Blakeslee-Cadillac Company, auto repairs.

$400.00, J. I. Hass, painting.

$375.00, W. A. Barclay, roof repair.

$4.50, H. J. Reitze, wall brackets

$33.65, H. J. Reitze, switch and cable.

$9.00, H. J. Reitze, brackets.

$75.00, W. A. Barclay, plumbing.

$5.75, M. Trachtenberg, glass.

$28.20, H. J. Reitze, electrical supplies.

$3.30, H. J. Reitze, lamps.

$2.20, M. Trachtenberg, glass.

$10.16, A. J. Haesloop, sashcord.

$2.00, H. J. Reitze, fuses.

$5.05, H. J. Reitze, shade and holder.

$169.85, A. L. Hunt, engine repairs.

$0.75, A. Datz, pads.

$227.54, Charles Engler, lumber.

$18.00, Cudahy Packing Company, polish.

$244.50, Thomas Deming, chair hire.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Director O'Brien:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following-named for the following amounts and purposes:

$290.90, Bergen Horse Company, horse.

$102.62, Blakeslee-Cadillac Company, parts.

$57.26, Baker, Murray & Imbrie, parts.

$281.75, A. Datz Company, printing.

$74.50, A. Datz Company, printing.

$19.80, Baker, Murray & Imbrie, parts.

$13.00, Fleischman Brothers, repairs.

$26.63, Garfunkle Brothers, supplies.

$16.00, Garfunkle Brothers, supplies.

$21.40, Garfunkle Brothers, supplies.

$18.40, James Hurley, ice.

$64.00, W. R. Harrison, photos of prisoners.

$72.58, Hendee Manufacturing Company, parts.

$45.40, C. F. Hansen, stationery.

$41.81, Keegan's Garage, repairs.

$51.00, L. Max & Son, glass.

$6.85, L. Max & Son, glass.

$87.00, J. T. Sack, supplies.

58.80, Union Printing Company, dockets.

$56.10, Union Printing Company, printing.

$43.12, Union Printing Company, letterheads.

$6.12, Union Printing Company, letterheads.

$320.29, United Tire and Export Company, vitriol.

$41.60, Valvoline Oil Company, oil.

$44.20, Valvoline Oil Company, oil.

$27.65, J. A. Vill & Co., leather.

$11.28, Baker, Murray & Imbrie, parts.

$290.00, Bergen Horse Company, horse.

$9.00, B. B. Dust Eater Company, compound.

$18.95, Columbia Ribbon and Carbon Manufacturing Company, carbon paper.

$43.35, Columbia Ribbon and Carbon Manufacturing Company, carbon paper.

$9.50, A. Datz Co., cards.

$26.25, D. Dacchillo, ice.

$3.50, Expert Auto Tire Repair Company, repairs.

$56.40, C. H. Engler Lumber Company, lumber.

$20.17, Garfunkle Brothers, supplies.

$18.67, C. F. Hansen, stationery.

$9.25, C. F. Hansen, stationery.

$9.21, Hendee Manufacturing Company, parts.

$23.63, Hill Insulating and Manufacturing Company, spark plugs.

$95.25, Mrs. M. Heitzman, meals for prisoners.

$119.00, J. Kirkpatrick, horseshoeing.

$491.55, P. Jocham Co., repairs.

$37.80, A. Kuntz, tubes.

$35.64, J. S. Menagh Co., hardware.

$150.00, E. S. Myers, rent stable.

$133.15, New York Telephone Company, service.

$271.99, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$4.35, Public Service Gas Company, service.

$152.61, Public Service Gas Company, service.

$41.60, Valvoline Oil Company, oil.

$45.89, Whitlock Cordage Company, rope.

$702.16, Standard Oil Co.

$11.10, Standard Oil Co.

$5.55, Standard Oil Co.

$5.55, Standard Oil Co.

$91.55, L. J. Tonnele.

$122.62, L. J. Tonnele.

$2.00, Standard Oxygen Co.

$62.00, Valvoline Oil Co.

$90.00, Jos. Dixon Crucible Co.

$32.77, Public Service Elec. Co.

$40.00, Philip Gogarty.

$48.00, C. J. Lutton.

$89.90, Jas. P. McLaughlin.

$38.22, Jersey City Lumber Co.

$87.50, Garfunkel Bros.

$19.00, Walter J. Coleman.

$152.30, Am. La France Fire Eng. Co.

$36.10, S. F. Hayward & Co.

$116.16, Diamond Chain Mfg. Co.

$52.00, Jersey City Auto Mach. Wks.

$187.75, Jersey City Auto Mach. Wks.

$52.80, Kennet Apolant.

$192.00, Wedlake-Lamson Co.

$20.20, Fleischman Bros.

$196.28, The Peter Jocham Co.

$40.00, George C. Krauss.

$140.76, L. J. Tonnele.

$9.00, Werner Spec. Sales Co.

$3.00, Stewart-Warner Corp.

$15.00, S. F. Hayward & Co.

$21.60, Columbia R. & C. Mfg. Co.

$22.05, Joseph H. Browne.

$5.55, Standard Oil Co.

$5.55, Standard Oil Co.

$52.50, Valvoline Oil Co.

$42.40, Valvoline Oil Co.

$42.40, Valvoline Oil Co.

$109.81, H. Jasper.

$75.95, H. Jasper.

$183.70, Chas. H. Engler Lumber Co.

$13.02, Carscallen & Cassidy.

$579.75, Carscallen & Cassidy.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following named claimants for the following amounts and purposes:

$8.60, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

$23.50, Public Service Electric Company, current.

$20.80, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$16.25, J. V. Calley, vegetables.

$9.41, David I. Cohen, whiskey.

$18.38, David I. Cohen, drugs.

$37.00, D. I. Cohen, drugs.

$468.00, A. McDonough, groceries.

$39.54, The D. E. Cleary Company, groceries.

$61.38, R. H. Perry Company, coal.

$25.57, The D. E. Cleary Company, groceries.

$22.44, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$47.98, William Bill, groceries.

$7.39, Joseph H. Browne, soap.

$8.82, New York Telephone Company, service.

$38.51, New York Telephone Company, service.

$11.46, New York Telephone Company, service.

$23.39, New York Telephone Company, service.

$204.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$182.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$36.35, Palisade Auto Supply Company, auto supplies.

$10.40, Thomas Finnerty, ice.

$152.00, Union Printing Company, cards, etc.

$27.60, John Gorman, ice.

$27.60, Thomas Sheridan, ice.

$359.64, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, antitoxin.

$45.00, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, antitoxin.

$725.69, The Hudson Company S. P. C. A., dog wagon.

$10.00, A. Kost, Jr., spectacles

$24.75, Philip Peters, vegetables.

$427.20, Consumers Coal & Ice Company, lumber.

$285.28, W. R. Holmes, tea and coffee.

$228.09, The Kleinhaus Store, drill.

$144.10, Philip Peters, vegetables.

$266.95, Maybaum Packing Company, meat.

$115.39, Otto Wilkens, supplies.

$26.60, The Norwich Pharmacal Company, drugs.

$58.84, D. E. Cleary Company, groceries.

$8.85, Public Service Electric Company, current.

$36.75, Rockland Chemical Company, disinfectant.

$74.19, The D. E. Cleary Company, groceries.

$16.05, The D. E. Cleary Company, groceries.

$2.64, Joseph H. Browne, salt.

$84.72, W. H. Walthery, meat.

$94.04, Wilkinson, Gaddis & Company, canned goods.

$51.45, Ideal Quilting Company, padding.

$340.01, General Baking Company, bread.

$64.67, William Bill, groceries.

$487.30, Morris Weisman, butter.

$376.32, Morris Weisman, eggs.

$2,982.63, H. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$8.36, Borden's Farm Products Company, milk.

$165.51, P. Loffredo & Bro., lamb.

$358.62, J. Decker, milk

$4.20, D. E. Cleary Company, cereals.

$109.53, W. H. Walthery, ham and bacon.

$69.59, P. Loffredo & Bro., lamb.

$104.65, John F. Crosby, vegetables.

$26.64, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

$15.29, William Bill, salmon.

$88.75, W. H. Walthery, meats.

$269.95, J. Decker, milk.

$233.53, J. Decker, milk.

$238.67, William C. Hagen, meats.

$85.11, Joseph T. Sack, supplies.

$24.00, A. Zipperstein, drugs.

$33.50, Benjamin Kuperman, glass.

$19.50, C. A. Woolsey Paint & C. Co., paint.

$218.07, James A. Webb & Son, alcohol.

$4.25, G. Y. Lewis, cap.

$213.84, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$139.93, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$183.50, Mountain Ice Co., ice.

$351.00, F. Russell Lyman, toweling.

$27.25, Philip Peters, vegetables.

$69.21, American Laundry Machinery Co., repairs.

$29.74, Essex Laboratories, Inc., book.

$6.00, Fralich & Bates, advertising.

$36.32, Henry Johnson Co., Inc., packing.

$187.50, F. Russell Lyman, crumb cloths.

$204.20, Jerome O'Keefe, sheets.

$215.63, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$229.14, American Auto Tire Co., tires and repairs.

$403.44, Otto Wilkens, instruments, etc.

$19.05, John P. Landrine, hardware.

$191.10, Albert Datz Co., printing.

$71.68, McKesson & Robbines, drugs.

$8.55, Columbia Ice Cream Co., ice cream.

$111.54, P. Loffredo & Bros., meats.

$40.32, Ammon & Person, butter.

$65.00, Ethelwyn Doolittle, lectures.

$7.65, Parke, Davis & Co., drugs.

$9.90, McKesson & Robbins, Inc., drugs.

$311.15, Griswoldville Mfg. Co., gauze.

$32.34, McKesson & Robbins, Inc., drugs.

$2.20, McKesson & Robbins, Inc., drugs.

$45.70, McKesson & Robbins, Inc., drugs.

$43.50, Parke, Davis & Co., drugs.

$161.95, McKesson & Robbins, Inc., drugs.

$340.85, McKesson & Robbins, Inc., drugs.

$479.52, Johnson & Johnson, supplies.

$105.00, Garfunkel Bros, lamps.

$22.36, The Eve. Journal Assn., advertising.

$256.17, Swift & Co., meats.

$147.84, P. Loffredo & Bro., meats.

$7.00, P. Loffredo & Bro., meats.

$87.00, E. Machlett & Son, X-ray tubes.

$200.20, Albert Sidler, insurance.

$46.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$48.00, I. Price, uniforms.

$9.50, The Kleinhaus Store, dry goods.

$133.06, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., auto repairs.

$4.40, Charles F. Hansen, office supplies.

$29.35, McCloskey Drug Co., drugs.

$57.50, J. E. Carlock, sawdust.

$60.90, Valvoline Oil Co., lubrication.

$5.60, Brooklyn Eagle, advertising.

$22.36, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$45.00, H. P. Baldwin Co., ambulance.

$10.80, Keegan's Garage, auto repairs.

$123.87, Wilkinson, Gaddis & Co., groceries.

$59.93, Haggerty Bros. & Co., weights.

$151.55, Jerome O'Keefe, dry goods.

$40.32, Mallinckrodt Chemical Co., drugs.

$37.19, Austin, Nichols & Co., groceries.

$24.17, Mallinckrodt Chemical Works, drugs.

$76.54, D. E. Cleary Co., groceries.

$19.11, Herald Printing Co., cards.

$32.83, Union Printing Co., printing.

$52.50, McKesson & Robbins, morphine.

$22.80, Mallinckrodt Chemical Works, drugs.

$58.31, Jerome O'Keefe, pillow cases.

$202.96, P. Loffredo & Bro., meats.

$68.60, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$34.50, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$54.39, J. V. Calley, vegetables.

$27.44, John F. Crosby, vegetables.

$30.10, W. H. Walthery, ham.

$354.57, General Baking Company, bread.

$98.79, Hamilton Market, meats.

$39.44, W. H. Walthery, meats.

$5.09, J. V. Callery, vegetables.

$112.33, Hamilton Market, meats.

$15.30, Hamilton Market, chickens.

$462.00, Blakeslee Cadillac Company, auto repairs.

$457.20, Blakeslee Cadillac Company, auto repairs.

$51.20, Mallinkrodt Chemical Works, drugs, etc.

$60.17, Wappler Electric Company, apparatus.

$338.00, Blakeslee Cadillac Company, ambulance repairs.

$25.20, Hamilton Market, meats.

$297.00, Blakeslee Cadillac Company, radiators, etc.

$33.00, Great Bear Spring Water Company, water.

$14.00, Great Bear Spring Water Company, water.

$8.50, D. Van Nostrand Company, book (chemistry).

$148.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$15.00, William McWilliams, hauling dead horse.

$75.81, M. Miller, hardware.

$91.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$15.36, Joseph T. Sack, supplies.

$32.97, Public Service Gas Company, repairing gas range.

$29.71, Jerome O'Keefe, dry goods.

$27.86, Public Service Gas Company, gas.

$14.51, Joseph T. Sack, supplies.

$18.40, Thomas L. Higgins, paints, etc.

$188.24, Keystone Dairy Company, milks.

$85.64, D. C. Markus, meats.

$29.51, William Bill, meats.

$11.50, David I. Cohen, gauze.

$40.92, William Bill, vegetables.

$3.42, William C. Hagen, lamb.

$13.19, The Norwich Pharmacal Company, drugs.

$9.50, W. R. Holmes, coffee.

$16.76, Jerome O'Keefe, stockings.

$10.30, Johns F. Crosby, vegetables.

$120.84, Ammon & Person, butter and eggs.

$63.88, General Baking Company, bread.

$7.10, I. Britten, fish.

$16.65, N. Y. Telephone Company, service.

$3.75, E. De Vito Quality Shop, shoelaces.

$56.66, Public Service Elec. Company, light.

$39.88, H. J. McDermott, ice.

$5.23, Charles F. Hansen, office supplies.

$5.15, Joseph T. Sack, utensils.

$133.94, J. Decker, milk.

$37.73, Albert Datz Company, printing.

$20.23, Joseph Sacks, utensils.

$139.81, Hamilton Meat Market, meats.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PAY ROLLS.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached payrolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being for services rendered during the periods specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, contract for furnishing and delivering f. o. b. Jersey City, N. J., one (1) Ford coupe, with all the necessary attachments and equipments, for use in the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, be, and the same hereby is, awarded to Keegan's Garage at the price named in their proposal, namely, eight hundred seventy-two dollars and forty-three cents ($872.43), there being no lower bidder; and the Corporation Attorney be, and he hereby is, authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to vacate Jane Street and that part of Commercial Street running in a northerly direction from Carteret Avenue, Jane Street and that part of Commercial Street to be vacated, being hereinafter particularly described."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance for the relief of Ed. Fleckenstein's Sons in the construction and maintenance of steam pipe lines to connect their buildings on Cambridge Avenue and Griffith Street, Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to vacate that portion of Pollock Avenue which lies west of a certain other public highway known as Mallory Avenue in the City of Jersey City, N. J., and which said part of Pollock Avenue is hereinafter particularly described."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

The Corporation Counsel reporting to this board that the growth of work in the Law Department requires the services of an additional clerk-stenographer, and there being no eligible list from which such employment can be made, hereby

Resolved, That N. Louis Paladeau, Jr., of Jersey City, be, and he hereby is, appointed as Male Clerk-Stenographer in the Lew Department at the annual salary of $1,500, payable semi-monthly. Said appointment to take effect December 1, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An Ordinance authorizing the issuance of $864,000 School Bonds of the City and providing for their payment.

RECITALS.

In pursuance of due action by the Board of Education and the Board of School Estimate, appropriations have been made for certain school purposes, and promissory notes have been made to meet such appropriations. Such purposes, the appropriations therefor, and the notes issued to meet such appropriations, are as follows:

Purposes.	Appropriations.	Notes.
Original furnishings of New Lincoln High School	$12,000	$12,000
Original furnishings of New Lincoln High School	185,000	185,000
Original furnishings of School No. 36..................	10,500	10,500
Original furnishings and equipment of New Administration Annex of Lincoln High School	45,000	45,000
Additional lands School No. 5.........................	71,700	71,700
Additional lands School No. 6.........................	31,000	31,000
Additional lands School No. 6.........................	24,000	24,000
Original improvement of grounds New Lincoln High School	180,000	180,000
Site for School No. 38................................	52,000	52,000
Site for School No. 38................................	112,000	112,000
Additional land for Lincoln High School	21,000	21,000
Original furniture and equipment for School No. 36......	12,000	None.
Electric lighting fixtures for Schools Nos. 1, 9, 11, 20.....	8,000	8,000
Repairs and alterations for Dickinson High School	100,000	100,000
Totals	$864,200	$852,200

It is advisable to issue bonds to fund said notes, and to meet the appropriation for which notes have not been issued, in pursuance of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled "An Act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October 19, 1903, as amended.

The average of the different periods assigned by said statute for the maturity of bonds issued for said purposes, taking into consideration the amount of bonds to be issued, as herein provided for said several purposes, is thirty-six years.

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. School Bonds of the City shall be issued in the aggregate principal amount of $864,000, shall be dated December 1, 1920, and $24,000 thereof shall mature on December 1 in each of the years 1922 to 1932, inclusive, and $25,000 thereof shall mature on December 1 in each of the years 1933 to 1956, inclusive, shall bear interest at the rate of five and one-half (5½%) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of June and December in each year, and shall be of the denomination of $1,000 each.

Section 2. Said bonds shall be in such form as may be provided by resolution.

Section 3. Said bonds shall be sold at public sale, as provided by law, or if no bids are received at public sale, then at private sale.

Section 4. In each year after the issuance of said bonds the city shall in its annual tax levy raise money sufficient to pay the interest and principal of such bonds as may mature during such year.

Section 5. The proceeds of sale of such bonds shall be deposited with the custodian of school moneys and shall be paid out only on the warrants or orders of the Board of Education.

Section 6. This Board does hereby concur in and consent to the appropriations referred to in the preambles hereof, and to the issuance of the bonds herein authorized.

Section 7. Pending the preparation of the definitive bonds herein authorized, the proper officials of the City are hereby authorized in their discretion to accept payment therefor and to issue negotiable receipts entitling the bearer to exchange such receipts for the definitive bonds represented thereby.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordiance authorizing the issuance of $150,000.00 temporary hospital bonds of the city and providing for their payment.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, New Jersey, do ordain:

1. The additional sum of $150,000.00 is appropriated for the purchase of furniture and equipment for the new hospital buildings and nurses' home.

2. For the purpose of temporarily financing such improvement, which is not yet completed, such improvement not being current expenses, and in pursuance to an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled, "An Act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations, and the incurring of indebtedness, by county, city, borough, village, town, township, or any municipality governed by an improvement commission" approved March 22, 1916, constituting Chapter 252 of the Laws of 1916, as

amended, $150,000. Hospital Bonds shall be issued.

3. Said bonds shall be dated December 1, 1920, shall mature on December 1, 1921, shall bear interest at not exceeding six per centum (6 per cent.) per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of January and July, and shall recite that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing the purchase of furniture and equipment for new hospital buildings and nurses' home.

4. Said bonds shall upon maturity be paid out of the proceeds of sale of Funding Bonds, or if not so paid a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay said bonds as they mature. In each year after the date of said bonds a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay the interest on said bonds.

5. Subject to the provisions of this ordinance all matters in respect of said bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

6. All ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are repealed.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, A Commission was appointed by Justice Francis A. Swayze of the New Jersey Supreme Court to condemn Lot 63 in Block 311 on the Official Tax Map of Jersey City, being the lands of Lillian P. Steele, George E. Steele, Harry C. Pearsall, Katherine Pearsall, Elizabeth P. Russell and William F. Russell, for a public market, which Commission awarded said owners the sum of $7,500 as the value of said land; and

Whereas, The said owners appealed from the award of said Commissioners to the Circuit Court of Hudson County, which appeal was tried before a jury, and the jury on November 15, 1920, having heard the case, awarded the owners the sum of $11,750, which judgment with costs of Court and interest up to December 1, 1920, will amount to $12,136.86; therefore be it

Resolved, That a warrant for $12,136.86 be drawn to the above names and charged to the "Site for Public Market."

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the time for the payment of the second half of 1920 taxes, due December 1, 1920, be and the same same is hereby extended for a period of one week without penalty.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Comsioner Moore:

Resolved, That the specifications submitted by the Director of Parks and Public Property for the furnishing and delivering of one and one-half ton auto trucks, be and they are hereby approved and that the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Architect and Medical Director of Jersey City, contract for furnishing and laying carpet in the Nurses Home and New City Hospital building, specified under Section 1, be and the same is hereby awarded to Payton & Hoos, at the price named in their bid, namely $13.75 per square yard that being the lowest bid received; and be it further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to have prepared and executed the necessary contracts therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Architect and Medical Director of Jersey City, contract for the furnishing and installing all the electric lighting fixtures in the Nurses Home and New City Hospital buildings, specified under Section 1, be and the same is hereby awarded to Hoffman & Elias, at the price named in their bid, namely, $33,700.00, that being th lowest bid received; and be it further

Resolved That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to have prepared and executed the necessary contracts therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Architect and Medical Director of Jersey City, contract for furnishing and laying linoleum in the Nurses Home and New City Hospital buildings, specified under Section 1, be and the same is hereby awarded to James W. Greene, Inc., at the price named in their bid, namely, $2.72 per square yard, that being the lowest bid received; and be it further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to have prepared and executed the necessary contracts therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the attached resignation of Thos. Knibs, as Male Nurse at the Jersey City Hospital, be and it is hereby accepted, to take effect November 30, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the resignation of Nora B. Bunnell, as Public Health Nurse at Welfare Station No. 5, be and it is hereby accepted, effective November 15, 1920., as per signed resignation attached.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague.

Whereas in resolution passed at the meeting of the Jersey City Board of Commissioners held on November 16, 1920, said resolution effecting the appointment of six Supervising Nurses in the Department of Public Affairs, as named in said resolution, the salary of Miss Delia C. Connelly, No. 46 Mercer Street, Jersey City, appointed by said resolution, was erroneously fixed at $1,200.00 per annum, effective November 16th; now, therefore be it

Resolved, That the salary of the said Miss Delia C. Connelly be, and it is hereby fixed at her former rate of salary under temporary appointment, viz., $1.600.00 per annum, payable in semi-monthly installments, her appointment and salary effective November 16th, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Buildings of Jersey City, the application of the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad Company, for permission to erect a one-story building five hundred (500 ft.) feet long at their freight terminal situated at Tidewater on New York Harbor, for the purpose of treating frozen coal, be and the same is hereby denied.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, John T. Rowland, Jr., Architect, and John Nevin, M. D., Medical Director of Jersey City, recommend to this Board that the award of contract for certain items as per the annexed list, for the furnishing and delivering of furniture and equipment to the Nurses' Home and New City Hospital Buildings, as specified under Section No. 1, should be made to the Kny-Scheerer Corporation, therefore be it

Resolved, That contract for furnishing and delivering furniture and equipment to the Nurses' Home and New City Hospital Buildings as specified under Section No. 1 be, and the same is hereby awarded to the Kny-Scheerer Corporation at the prices named in their bid, as per the annexed list, and that the Corporation Attorney be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for the same.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

At this time Mr. George Treacy with a committee representing Local 521, Hudson County Bus Drivers' Association appeared before the Board. Mr. Treacy acting as spokesman for the committee, advised the Board that he had been informed through very good authority that the Public Service Corporation had planned to tie up the trolley cars during the coming holidays, and by this method, knowing that the jitneys will be unable to properly transport the public, create a sentiment against the jitneys, and then force the adoption of legislation to abolish the jitney. Mr. Treacy requested the Board to devise ways and means for combating such action on the part of the Public Service Corporation.

Commissioner Fagen advised Mr. Treacy that under the franchise act the Public Service Corporation could not attempt such an act, and that if they did, they could never run a car again.

The Mayor advised Mr. Treacy, that the Public Service Corporation have in the past advised the public as to what their intentions were in connection with the various matters, and that he does not think they would attempt to tie up their cars. However, he further advised Mr. Treacy that if such an attempt would be made, he would find the Board of Commissioners on the job and ready for such an emergency.

In conclusion the Mayor suggested that the Corporation Counsel communicate with Mr. O'Toole of the Public Service Corporation in order to obtain further data concerning the information given by Mr Treacy.

At this time Commissioner Fagen requested Mr. Treacy to take up the matter of the improvement to the cars now operating as jitneys on Bergen avenue. He stated that most of the cars were in very bad shape and needed repairs, because these jitneys cater to a very nice class of people, and in order to keep this line going it will be necessary to keep the cars in a clean, respectable manner.

Mr. Treacy promised Commissioner Fagen that he would take the matter up immediately so that the cars would be put in good condition. He advised the Board that the reason some of the jitneys were not so well taken care of was because of the rumors that they were to be put out of business by the Public Service Corporation and the men did not want to make any further investments.

The Mayor assured Mr. Treacy that there was no possible danger of the Bergen avenue jitneys being taken off the line.

On motion of Commissioner O'Brien the Board adjourned.

Approved.

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, Jr.,
CHARLES F. X. O'BRIEN,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

Minutes of Meetings

of

Board of Commissioners

December, 1920

MEETING OF DECEMBER 7, 1920

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, December, 7, 1920, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

RECEPTION OF BIDS.

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for furnishing material and performing certain work for the various departments of the City government, the City Clerk called for bids with the following result:

Construction of Sewer, 16th St.

1. Grange & Sloan, 99 per cent of standard, with surety company bond.

2. Jos. L. Sigretto Co., 119 per cent of standard, with surety company bond.

3. Cummings & Ryan, 130 per cent of standard, with surety company bond.

4. E. J. Flaherty Contg. Co., Inc., 138.7 per cent of standard, with surety company bond.

5. Graham VanKeuren, 145 per cent of standard, with surety company bond.

6. Alfonso Lettieri, 150 per cent of standard, with freeholder surety bond.

Hypo. of Lime and Liquid Chlorine.

1. Mathieson Alkali Works, 3½ cents per pound, f.o.b. Niagara Falls, N. Y., for bleach. powder; 8 cents per pound, Niagara Falls, N. Y., for liq. chlorine, with surety company bond.

2. Pennsylvania Salt Mfg. Co., 3¾ cents per pound, f. o. b. Boonton, N. J., for hypo. of lime; 8¼ cents per pound, f. o. b. Boonton, N. J., for liq. chlorine; 8½ cents per pound, f. o. b. Dover, N. J., for liq. chlorine, with surety company bond.

3. Hooker Electrochemical Company, $0,0375 per pound for hypo. of lime; $0.0917 per pound for liq. chlorine, with surety company bond.

Furnishing 10,000 Specification Granite Blocks.

1. Graham VanKeuren, $155 per M., with surety company bond.

2. John Meehan & Son, $139.50 per M., with surety company bond.

3. Rockport Granite Co., $150 per M., with surety company bond.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon

the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received opened and read, and referred to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, for investigation and recommendation.

HEARINGS.

This time and place having been fixed for public hearing on the application of E. W. Edinger, for permission to erect 17 garages in the rear of property, No. 123-125 Linden Avenue, Jersey City, and the City Clerk having advised the Board that he had caused notices of this hearing to be posted in the vicinity of the proposed improvement, the City Clerk then read the notice of hearing and called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of the permission requested. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the application.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to E. W. Edinger to construct seventeen (17) garages at the rear of property, No. 123-125 Linden Avenue, Jersey City, N. J.; said garages to be constructed of reinforced concrete and to be 9.6x18.0x 11 feet high, as shown on plans attached to application;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue the necessary permits for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the application of M. Akerley, lessee, for permission to erect metal electric sign to project eight feet from building line at No. 661 Newark Avenue, the City Clerk read the application and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of the application. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the application.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to M. Akerley, lessee, to erect metal electric sign to project eight feet from building line on premises, No. 661 Newark Avenue, Jersey City, as shown on blue print attached to application;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From Alex. Morton Lumber Co., Inc., requesting permission to convert building No. 71 Steuben street into garage.

Received.

From American Brotherhood of Blacksmiths, requesting that the pay of blacksmiths employed in the Street and Water Department be increased to the prevailing rate at the present time, i. e., $9.00 per diem.

Received and referred to the Director of Streets and Public Improvements.

From Dr. Geo. H. Rawson, requesting permission to erect electric sign at No. 753 Bergen avenue.

Received.

From Dr. A. P. Sussman, requesting permission to erect electric sign at No. 447 Jackson avenue.

Received.

From Foundas Bros., requesting permission to erect electric sign at No. 192 Pavonia avenue.

Received.

From H. Snellgrove, requesting permission to build garage under porch at No. 1960 Boulevard.

Received.

From property owners and tenants in the vicinity of No. 40-42 Grace street, objecting to the erection of garages at that address.

In connection with the foregoing petition, Mrs. Frank Pet of No. 44 Grace street and other signers on the petition appeared before the Board and stated that the block was strictly residential, consisting of all private and two-family houses and that the garages would be a detriment to the residents on the block.

The City Clerk advised the Board that the Zoning Commission had approved the application for these garages on October 18, 1920, and that the Building Department had issued a permit for the construction of six garages at the rear of No. 38-40-42 Grace street on October 18, 1920; further, that the original application was made for thirty garages, which application the Zoning Commission denied.

In view of the fact that the houses on the block were frame and used for residential purposes, Commissioner Moore moved that the application be denied and the permit for the construction of the garages be revoked.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the permit granted by the Building Department heretofore on October 18, 1920, for the construction of six garages at the rear of No. 38-40-42 Grace street, be and the same is hereby ordered revoked;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings and the Director of the Department of Public Safety be and they are hereby authorized and directed to see that no work of construction on said garages is undertaken.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

From residents and property owners in the vicinity of Hoboken avenue and Concord street, protesting against the erection of a warehouse and garage at No. 324 Hoboken avenue, which they state is to be used for the storage of liquor.

In connection with the foregoing petition, several of the signers on the protest appeared and stated their objections to this warehouse, which is now in the process of building.

In view of the fact that the owner of the proposed warehouse was not present at the hearing, the Mayor stated that it would be unjust to adjudicate on the matter without hearing the owner's side, and suggested that the matter be laid over for one week.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to notify the owner of the proposed warehouse at 324 Hoboken avenue of the hearing to be held on December 14, 1920;

Further resolved, That the Director of the Department of Public Safety be and he is hereby authorized and directed to see that no work of construction on said warehouse is continued until the matter has been finally disposed of by the Board of Commissioners.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

From Corporation Counsel John Milton, recommending that a resolution be passed authorizing the payment of the claims against the property of the Robert Davis Association, at 46 Mercer street, now being used as the "Mothers' Institute," in order to obtain a quitclaim deed.

Received and referred to Commissioner Gannon.

From Corporation Counsel John Milton, advising the Board that there is no escape, in his judgment, from the liability of the City in the matter of the claim of the administrator of the estate of Elal Schwartz for salary due said Elal Schwartz, interpreter, from March 8, 1920, to August 30, 1920, and recommending that a warrant be ordered drawn in settlement thereof, if the Board concludes to make the payment.

Received and referred to Commissioner Gannon.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$160.00,	Aeroil Burner Co., supplies.
$79.80,	Ahlemeyer Bros., supplies.

$31.50, J. E. Carlock, supplies.

$15.00, Clinton Contracting Co., repairs.

$680.43, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$603.62, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$658.07, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$34.75, Albert Datz Co., supplies.

$3.00, Albert Datz & Co., supplies.

$296.00, Fagan Iron Works, supplies.

$184.73, James P. Hall, Inc., supplies.

$198.15, James P. Hall, Inc., supplies.

$266.40, Interstate Map Co., supplies.

$25.00, Individual Drinking Cup Co., Inc., supplies.

$251.95, The Peter Jocham Co., repairs.

$450.00, Jersey City Supply Co., supplies.

$110.00, Jersey City Supply Co., supplies.

$816.43, Keegan's Garage, supplies.

$6.50, George C. Krauss, horseshoeing.

$248.00, C. J. Lutton, horseshoeing.

$29.62, Lehigh Valley Railroad Co.

$339.25, Public Service Electric Co., services.

$9.25, The Texas Co., supplies.

$198.00, Tide Water Iron Works, supplies.

$4.80, The Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$12.10, The Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$60.00, The Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$2.52, The Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$266.00, Flockhart Foundry Co., supplies.

$4.92, Hudson Observer, adv.

$12.10, Hudson Observer, adv.

$60.24, Hudson Observer, adv.

$2.28, Hudson Observer, adv.

$2,100.00, The New Jersey Title Guarantee & Trust Co.

$100.00, Stillman & Van Siclen Chemical Co., Inc.

$90.00, J. E. Carlock, supplies.

$111.25, Boonton Feed & Supply Co., supplies.

$31.62, Louis Bettcher, refund.

$234.42, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$3.00, W. L. Doremus, horseshoeing.

$86.28, E. B. Dawson Co., supplies.

$3.00, Otto J. Doell, refund.

$443.36, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., supplies.

$85.00, Fagan Iron Works, supplies.

$2,925.00, Fagan Iron Works, supplies.

$8.45, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$82.78, Hersey Mfg. Co., supplies.

$217.80, Jersey City Supply Co., supplies.

$85.75, Jersey City Lumber Co., supplies.

$99.96, Jersey City Lumber Co., supplies.

$460.80, Jersey City Supply Co., supplies.

$7.50, The Kennedy Valve Mfg. Co., supplies.

$100.38, New York Telephone Co., service.

$8.50, Harry Pearl, supplies.

$33.32, Stowell Mfg. Co., supplies.

$197.06, The Texas Co., supplies.

$32.10, The Texas Co., supplies.

$30.00, Vulvan Iron Works, Inc., supplies.

$190.00, Flockhart Foundry Co., supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagan, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$8.68, Margulies & Gerstenfeld, refund of bal.

$10.00, Rev. Chas. Cain, refund of fee.

$9.48, Evening Journal Assn., ord. ded. lands, etc.

$11.40, Hudson Observer, vac. Hillside Road.

$11.76, Hudson Observer, vac. Hillside Road.

$17.52, Hudson Observer, reloc. Duffield Ave.

$17.04, Hudson Observer, reloc. Duffield Ave.

$3.74, Hudson Observer, appln. Wahl.

$3.74, Hudson Observer, appln. Koenigsberg.

$3.96, Hudson Observer, appln. Huse.

$3.74, Hudson Observer, appln. Schulte Realty Co.

$21.84, Hudson Observer, appln. N. J. R. R. Co. Vulcan Iron Works.

$21.36, Hudson Observer, appln. N. J. R. R. Co. Vulcan Iron Works.

$18.72, Hudson Observer, appln. Fleckenstein.

$2.00, Evening Journal Assn., Schulte Realty Co.

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$2.00, Evening Journal Assn., Meyer Candy.

$2.00, Evening Journal Assn., Goldberg, sign.

$20.28, Evening Journal Assn., Ferrett appln.

$1.92, Hudson Observe, appln. D. A. Schulte.

$1.92, Hudson Observer, appln. Meyer Candy.

$1.80, Hudson Observer, appln. Goldberg.

$1.92, Hudson Observer, appln. Schulte.

$1.92, Hudson Observer, appln. Schulte.

$20.20, Hudson Observer, appln. Ferrett.

$10.85, Union Towel Supply Co., towel supply.

$16.60, John S. Menagh Co., supplies.

$144.00, Hudson Dispatch, procl. people of Jersey City.

$5.76, Hudson Observer, adv. bond issue.

$144.00, Hudson Observer, adv. procl. 13th Regt.

$144.00, Hudson Observer, adv. procl. people of Jersey City.

$14.78, Evening Journal Assn., bond issue.

$15.84, Evening Journal Assn., bond ssue.

$16.95, Evening Journal Assn., bond ssue.

$12.72, Hudson Observer, bond issue.

$12.73, Hudson Observer, bond issue.

$18.48, Hudson Observer, bond issue.

$144.00, Hudson Observer, procl. peo-le of Jersey City.

$9.24, Hudson Observer, bond issue.

$17.16, Hudson Observer, bond issue.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered on the City treasurer in payment of the following claims:

$25.00, Thos. A. Deming, chair hire.

$1.70, Jersey City Supply Co., material.

$34.68, Jersey City Supply Co., material.

$9.48, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$20.88, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$9.00, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$21.32, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$50.88, William H. Edwards, insurance.

$34.84, Jersey City Lumber Co., flooring.

$6.67, Jersey City Lumber Co., lumber.

$27.60 Colgate Co., soap.

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$7.40, Standard Oil Co., oil.

$2.00, Benj. Huperman, glass

$1.50, Benj. Huperman, glass

$8.00, Benj. Huperman, glass.

$4.62, Nason Mfg. Co., plumbing supplies.

$485.60, J. I. Hass, painting.

$461.60, W. A. Barclay, skilight repair.

$5.00, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$9.00, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$9.00, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$2.00, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$1.50, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$8.00, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$12.48, Jersey City Lumber Co., lumber.

$147.00, Thos. A. Deming, chair hire.

$495.00, John J. Corcoran, plumbing.

$71.25, John P. Landrine, insurance.

$25.00, Walter Coleman, cable.

$12.60, Whipple Hdw. Co., hardware.

$24.52, A. J. Naesloop, paint.

$30.75, Unity Sanitary Co., soap and supplies.

$4.05, Thos. Higgins, shears.

$2.05, Whipple Hdw. Co., cord.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered

drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named parties, for the following amounts and purposes as hereinafter set forth.

$1.40, Commercial Acetylene Co.
$33.90, Emma Tice.
$350.00, Thos. A. Demming.
$125, Jersey City Horse Manure Co.
$192.00, Union Printing Co.
$19.48, Interstate Chemical Co.
$189.34, A. Kuntz.
$17.26, Walter J. Coleman.
$105.84, Garfunkel Bros.
$21.24, Garfunkel Bros.
$150.00, L. J. Tonnele.
$125.45, Eckel Bros.
$464.45, Am. La France Fire Eng Co.
$12.00, Am. La France Fire Eng. Co.
84.20, Am. La France Fire Eng. Co.
$1.50, Louis T. Drummond.
$40.55, Coleman Elec. Service Co.
$7.00, Fleischman Bros.
$41.76, I. Judge.
$141.70, I. Judge.
$844.08, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.
$68.60, A. Datz Co., printing.
$274.40, A. Datz Co., printing.
$12.50, A Datz Co., printing.
$36.75, A. Datz Co., prniting.
$12.50, J. Flannery, tape.
$43.12, J. Frey, sponges.
$10.07, Garfunkle Bros, supplies
$58.80, Garfunkle Bros., cable.
23.75, Garfunkle Bros., lamps.
24.90, Garfunkle Bros., supplies.
$4.00, J. C. Ladder Co., ladder.
$302.75, P. Jocham Co., repairs.
$9.00, Lily Cup Co., Lily cups.
26.25, Multiple Elec. Products Co., plugs.
$66.89, J. T. Sack, supplies.
$67.28, L. J. Tonnelle, shoes and tubes.
$40.00, Union Printing Co., postage.
$20.00, Vavoline Oil Co., tanks.
$19.90, J. Vill and Son, supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagan, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS.

From Commissioner Fagen, returning ordinance and blue print covering application of E. Fleckenstein's Sons for permission to lay and maintain steam pipes under Griffith Street and Cambridge Avenue to connect their buildings, recommending that Section 1 be amended so as to read that it is 123 feet from a point approximately 23 feet westerly from the easterly side of Cambridge Avenue instead of 163 feet.

Received.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That his Honor, the Mayor, and the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, be and they are hereby authorized and requested to sign, and the City Clerk to attest, an agreement between the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City and the Township of Union, with reference to sewer crossings under 72-inch steel water lines.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Chief Engineer and the approval of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, proposals received at the meeting of the Board of Commissioners, held October 19, 1920, for the construction of a system of sewers in the Fisk Street Drainage Area, namely, Schedule No. 1, five proposals, and Schedule No. 2 four proposals, be and the same are hereby rejected, the Chief Engineer having reported to the said Director that the bids are excessive.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements the findings as shown on report of the water for the month of November, 1920, presented to this Commission at its meeting held this day, be and are hereby confirmed, and the said officer be and is hereby authorized to make such charges on his books:

Additions to reg. water, $229.10.

Cancellation to reg water, $2,341.45.

Cancellation to metered water, $1,541.37.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the amendments to an ordinance granting relief to Ed. Fleckenstein's Sons, for the construction and maintenance of a steam pipe line to connect with their buildings on Cambridge Avenue and Griffith Street, Jersey City, be and the same are hereby accepted, and ordered incorporated in Section 1 of said ordinance.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the specifications presented to the Board of Commissioners this day, for printing and binding three thousand (3,000) reports of the Board of Engineers, Jersey City Development Plan, be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed, and the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and requested to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission has certified Patrick Curry, 264 Ninth Street, Jersey City, as being eligible for appointment for position as cashier in the Department of Revenue and Finance; therefore be it

Resolved, That Patrick Curry be and he is hereby appointed cashier in the Department of Revenue and Finance at a salary of $2,800.00, effective this date.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, The public press reports today that the Public Service Railway Company has given notice of its intention to charge a ten-cent (10c) fare, with free transfers, commencing January 1st. 1921, unless the Board of Public Utility Commissioners disapproves or seeks to delay the same; and

Whereas, In the opinion of this Board, such rate of fare is unjust to the people; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby directed to file a protest with the Board of Public Utility Commissioners in behalf of the City, against such action; and be it

Further Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby authorized to employ such assistants, legal or otherwise, as in his judgment may be advisable.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That the specifications presented to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City this day for the furnishing and delivery of 50 miles of No. 10 hard drawn, triple braid, weatherproof, insulated copper wire to the Department of Public Safety of Jersey City, be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed and the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and requested to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien.

Whereas, On May 26th, 1920, fire engine truck No. 4, property of the City of Jersey City, was damaged by collision with a trolley car of the Public Service Corporation and damaged to the extent of $475; and

Whereas, Suit was started for the sum of $475 in the First District Court of Jersey City and thereafter the Public Service, through its representative, offered to settle the same for the sum of $445; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said claim of $475

be settled for the amount of $445 without interest or costs, and that the Law Department be and it is hereby authorized to accept a proper satisfaction for the said judgment.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

At this time Mr. Willard Stanton, Manager of Jersey City Chamber of Commerce, and representatives of the Business Men's Association of Jersey City, appeared before the Board in connection with the proposed Mummers' Parade to be held in Jersey City.

Mr. Stanton stated that such an event should be made an annual affair, because it attracts many people from nearby communities to come to Jersey City and materially aids business; that such celebrations in other cities have been very successful. He requested that the Board sanction this parade and also lend their cooperation towards making it a success.

The Mayor advised Mr. Stanton that the Board was ready at all times to cooperate in any matter that will create interest in the City and aid the business men.

Thereupon the following resolution was introduced:

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, It is a part of the functions of the Board of City Commissioners, representing as they do the citizenry of Jersey City, to secure for this community as much favorable publicity as possible to the end that it may benefit its people thereby; and

Whereas, It has been brought to the attention of the Commission that plan has been formulated by a group of the leading business men of our City through their organization, the Jersey City Chamber of Commerce, for the promotion of an annual event to be known officially as a Mummers' Parade, which will have for its chief object the attracting of the attention of residents of nearby communities to Jersey City and to the business opportunities offered in its retail stores; and

Whereas, An event of a similar character in another community has become extremely popular and has proved the medium for attracting visitors from a radius of nearly 500 miles and has been officially endorsed by the City Government in the city as well as the transportation companies running into the city, thereby providing a good deal of beneficial city advertising; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of City Commissioners of Jersey City do hereby officially sanction a Mummers' Parade as a municipal event to be conducted annually in Jersey City; and be it

Further Resolved, That the Board of City Commissioners by virtue of this resolution hereby authorize the fullest co-operation on the part of all the City Departments in the promotion of this annual event to the end that it may be conducted in a manner creditable to our City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, John T. Rowland, Jr., Architect, and John Nevin, M. D., Medical Director of Jersey City, recommend to this Board that the award of contract for certain items as per the annexed list, for the furnishing and delivering of furniture and equipment to the Nurses' Home and New City Hospital Buildings, as specified under Section No. 1, should be made to the Associated Furniture Manufacturers, Inc.; therefore be it

Resolved, That contract for furnishing and delivering furniture and equipment to the Nurses' Home and New City Hospital Buildings as specified under Section No. 1 be and the same is hereby awarded to the Associated Furniture Manufacturers, Inc., at the prices named in their bid, as per the annexed list, and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for the same.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, John T. Rowland, Jr., Architect, and John Nevin, M. D., Medical Director, of Jersey City, recommend to this Board that the award of contract for furnishing and delivering 16 Costumers No. 57-C to the Private Rooms of the Nurses' Home and New City Hospital Buildings, as specified under Section No. 1, should be made to Payton & Hoos; therefore be it

Resolved, That contract for furnishing and delivering 16 Costumers No. 57-C to the Private Rooms of the Nurses' Home and New City Hospital Buildings, as specified under Section No. 1, be and the same is hereby awarded to Payton & Hoos at the price named in their bid, namely, $9.25 each, and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for the same.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the Board adjourned.

Approved.

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
CHARLES F. X. O'BRIEN,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

FRANK A DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF DECEMBER 14, 1920

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the City Clerk's office, City Hall, Jersey City, Tuesday, December 14, 1920, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, The Assembly Chamber is being used by the Department of Motor Vehicles for the purpose of receiving applications and issuing automboile licenses, therefore

Resolved, That this meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City be held in the City Clerk's office, and the City Clerk cause announcement to be made in the Assembly Chamber, and the corridors of the City Hall to this effect.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

In accordance with the foregoing resolution, the City Clerk reported to the Board that this announcement had been made, whereupon the Board proceeded with its meeting.

RECEPTION OF BIDS:

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for furnishing various supplies to the various departments of the City government, the City Clerk called for bids with the following results:

1½ Ton Motor Truck, Department of Parks and Playgrounds.

1. Sterling Motor Truck Company, $2,348, with no surety bond.

2. Morris Motor Car Company, $3,210.81, with surety bond.

Brooms, Department of Streets and Public Improvements.

1. A. Steinert & Son, by item, with surety company bond.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received opened and read and referred to the Director of the Department from which the specifications emanated.

IMPROVEMENT HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing for the purpose of receiving objections to the confirmation of the final assessment for the improvement of St. Pauls avenue between Summit avenue and Hudson Boulevard, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 217, Laws of 1895, the City Clerk read the public notice of hearing and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the confirmation of the map.

A communication was received from Mr. Eugene Sullivan of No. 215 St. Paul avenue advising the Board that he has been assessed $177.45 for 20-foot lot while other property owners with the same frontage are assessed $156. or less, and requesting the Board to inform him how the assessments are made up. He also stated that the street was supposed to have been paved with granite block instead of asphalt.

Mr. T. Drezdzewski of No. 225 St. Pauls avenue, owner of lots 17, 18 in Block 623, appeared before the Board and requested information as to how long a period he had within which to pay the assessments. However, he did not object to the assessments as levied.

Commissioner Fagen advised Mr. Drezdzewski that the assessment could be paid in five installments over a period of five years.

No other person appeared to protest and no further protests were received.

Thereupon, Commissioner Fagen moved that the hearing close, and the final assessment map for the improvement of St. Pauls avenue between summit avenue and Hudson Boulevard be approved and a copy filed with the City Collector, notwithstanding what purports to be a protest from Mr. Eugene Sullivan.

ALTERATION HEARINGS:

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications: George H, Snellgrove, to build garage under porch of No. 1960 Boulevard; Dr. George H. Rawson, to erect electric sign, No. 753 Bergen Avenue; Dr. A. P. Sussman, to erect electric sign, No. 447 Jackson Avenue; Foundas Bros. to erect electric sign, No. 192 Pavonia Avenue. The City Clerk read each application and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of any of the above described applications. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to George H. Snellgrove to build garage under porch of present two and a half story frame building, No. 1960 Boulevard, Jersey City, as shown on blue print attached to application, provided that the street and sidewalk level is not altered in any manner;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Dr. George H. Rawson to erect electric sign to project 7 feet from building line at No. 753 Bergen Avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Dr. A. P. Sussman to erect electric sign to project 8 feet from building at No. 447 Jackson Avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore. O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Foundas Brothers to erect electric sign to project 8 feet from building line at No. 192 Pavonia Avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

The hearing on the proposed erection of a warehouse at No. 324 Hoboken Avenue, having been fixed for this time and place, the City Clerk advised the Board that he had notified the owner of the proposed warehouse to be present at the hearing.

The following named persons appeared and protested aaginst the proposed warehouse: Miss Mary Zeho, 11 Concord Street; Mr. Anthony Zeho, No. 2 Concord Street; Mr. C. V. Deppisch, 9 Concord Street; Mr. Alfred Phillips, 322 Hoboken Avenue, and Mr. George D'Annunzio, 15 Concord Street.

Miss Zeho read a lengthy communication outlining the protest of about ninety residents and property owners, in which they stated that the warehouse will keep sunshine and air from the first floor of the adjoining houses; that the owner proposes to store liquor in the place; that the owner proposes keeping automobiles there which will be a terrible menace to the health of the people in the neighborhood, as their sleeping apartments face this warehouse.

Mr. William Sewell, attorney, appeared for Mr. Dattoli, the owner of the proposed warehouse. He stated that the property cannot be used for any other purpose than that which Mr. Dattoli proposes; that his client intends to build a house for residential purposes on the rear of the warehouse; that Mr. Dattoli lives at No. 13 Concord Street; that the warehouse will start at the rear of his property, run along a big yard and then along the rear of No. 11 Concord Street; that the building will be only about 15 feet high and at least twenty feet from the houses and will not shut out the air and sunshine as stated by the protestants; that Mr. Sexton of the Zoning Commission had asked Mr. Dattoli if he would sell the rear strip of his property to the owners of Nos. 9, 11 and 15 Concord Street, and that Mr. Dattoli had consented to sell; that no further action was taken by Mr. Sexton; that his client is willing to sell this strip if the protestants will reimburse him for the money he has spent; that the Zoning Commission had made an investigation of the application and had held hearings in the matter, finally approving the application; that there is more or less of a personal feeling in the matter because complaints have been lodged with the Police, the United States Marshal and the Internal Revenue Department against Mr. Dattoli's business, and after investigation no violation of any law was discovered; that Mr. Dattoli has only a 1½-ton truck at present and that he intends to get another 1½-ton truck and a touring car; that the operation of these motor vehicles will not be a nuisance to the residents; that there is a stable and garage adjoining the proposed warehouse, and that Mr. Dattoli had a Federal permit for carrying on the business he proposes.

The Mayor stated that it is an injustice to the people who have invested probably everything they owned in the purchase of a home and then have some one come in with a stable or warehouse which will be a continual nuisance to the residents and cause the depreciation of the residential value of the property.

Commissioner Gannon stated that if Mr. Dattoli intends to store liquor in the warehouse and keep automobiles there, that it will constitute a fire hazard and tend to increase insurance rates in the vicinity, because there are frame stables adjoining.

Commissioner Moore moved that the protest be sustained and the permit be revoked.

Commissioner O'Brien stated that the people residing in the vicinity must be considered and that in view of the fact that it will create a fire hazard he is in favor of sustaining the protest.

In conclusion the following resolution was introduced:

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, Protests were filed with the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City against the proposed erection of a brick building and garage to be used for warehouse purposes at No. 324 Hoboken Avenue, Jersey City, by a Mr. Dattoli of No. 13 Concord Street, Jersey City, and

Whereas, After public hearing held today the protests were considered and ordered sustained by the Board of Commissioners; therefore be it

Resolved, That the permit heretofore granted by the Building Department of Jersey City for the erection of said warehouse at No. 324 Hoboken Avenue, Jersey City, be and the same is hereby revoked on the grounds that said warehouse will constitute a fire hazard and will be a menace to the public safety of the residents in the vicinity; further

Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Public Safety be and he is hereby directed to take the necessary action to prevent any work of construction on said warehouse.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,

Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From Armour & Company requesting permission to lay and maintain spur tracks at Monmouth Street and Sixteenth Street, in which petition the Erie Railroad Company joins.

Received.

From Armour & Company requesting permission to lay and maintain spur track on the southerly side of 18th Street, in which the Erie Railroad Company and the D., L. & W. R. R. Company join.

Received.

From A. Hass, lessee, requesting permission to erect storm doors at No. 10 Newark Avenue.

Received.

From Herman Raab & Son, submitting plans and application of the Canfield Oil Company, requesting permission to build covered shipping and receiving platform to be erected on their property at No. 285 Tonnele Avenue.

Received and referred to the Mayor and Superintendent of Buildings with power.

From residents of Greenville, who use the Van Nostrand Place Station of the Central Railroad of New Jersey, complaining about the poor condition of the walk between the station and the stone stairway in Bayside Park.

Received and referred to Commissioner Moore.

OFFICERS COMMUNICATIONS.

From Superintendent of Buildings submitting report for November, 1920.

Received and ordered filed.

AUDITING CLAIMS:

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$105.00, Clinton Cont. Co., repairs.

$295.00, Michael J. Curley, wall, Holmes avenue.

$168.00, James Casey, team hire.

$16.20, Walter J. Coleman, supplies.

$27.50, Jos. N. Early, signs.

$34.40, Engineering News Record, advertisement.

$23.40, Evening Journal Association, advertisement.

$28.08, Evening Journal Association, advertisement.

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$22.88, Evening Journal Association, advertisement.

$8.16, Evening Journal Association, advertisement.

$10.44, Evening Journal Association, advertisement.

$24.96, Evening Journal Association, advertisement.

$3.36, Evening Journal Association, advertisement.

$8.88, Evening Journal Association, advertisement.

$22.88, Evening Journal Association, advertisement.

$8.40, Evening Journal Association, advertisement.

$9.24, Evening Journal Association, advertisement.

$22.88, Evening Journal Association, advertisement.

$22.88, Evening Journal Association, advertisement.

$3.48, Evening Journal Association, advertisement.

$23.40, Evening Journal Association, advertisement.

$23.40, Evening Journal Association, advertisement.

$11.22, Evening Journal Association, advertisement.

$18.72, Evening Journal Association, advertisement.

$6.84, Evening Journal Association, advertisement.

$12.63, Evening Journal Association, advertisement.

$3.50, Louis Frey, supplies.

$196.00, James Fay, team hire.

$439.09, Fairbanks Company, supplies and repairs.

$287.10, J. W. Greene, Inc., supplies.

$108.00, Chas. Hvass & Co., supplies.

$96.00, Chas. Hvass & Co., supplies.

$27.56, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$21.84, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$27.04, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$11.22, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$11.88, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$24.96, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$22.36, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$3.12, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$8.76, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$8.04, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$21.32, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$9.12, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$3.36, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$23.92, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$24.44, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$22.36, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$9.82, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$8.40, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$6.12, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$18.72, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$53.75, International Fireworks Company, supplies.

$35.00, Iron Age Publishing Company, advertisement.

$456.00, Interlocking Basin Company, supplies.

$2.00, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$7.25, Library Bureau, supplies.

$165.00, J. F. Nagel, insurance.

$240.00, N. J. Title Guarantee & Trust Company, report.

$20.30, Newark Wire Cloth Company, testing.

$4.00, Peerless Key Company, supplies.

$80.00, Palace Garage, supplies.

$110.22, E. C. Sherwood, supplies.

$40.00, Robert Schmitt, services.

$233.34, Stillman & Van Siclen, testing.

$9.75, Union Towel Supply, supplies.

$134.00, Union Printing Company, supplies.

$46.50, Union Printing Company, supplies.

$52.50, Union Printing Company, supplies.

$112.50, Union Printing Company, supplies.

$106.92, Valvoline Oil Company, supplies.

$41.50, J. H. Walton, horseshoeing.

$57.50, J. H. Walton, horseshoeing.

$887.22, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$1.65, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$59.68, Louis Max & Son, supplies.

$33.32, Stowell Manufacturing Company, supplies.

$72.00, Flockhart Foundry Company, supplies.

$7.68, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$8.28, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$7.56, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$8.28, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$40.00, Stillman & Van Siclen, tests.

$40.00, Stillman & Van Siclen, tests.

$112.50, Chas. Barbash, refund.

$63.50, Adam Black, repairs.

$27.00, O. J. Childs, Inc., supplies.

$297.88, Central Railroad of New Jersey, labor.

$23.64, Central Railroad of New Jersey, labor.

$11,418.00, East Jersey Water Company, supplies.

$18.00, J. H. Gautier & Co., supplies.

$385.40, Bernard Gannon & Son, supplies.

$44.53, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$20.40, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$143.00, J. F. Nagel, insurance.

$112.60, J. F. Nagel, insurance.

$380.07, National Meter Company, repairs.

$10.50, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$131.00, Chris. Smith Co., insurance.

$48.00, Stillman & Van Siclen, tests.

$192.00, A. P. Smith Mfg. Co., supplies.

$75.00, A. P. Smith Mfg. Co., supplies.

$150.00, A. P. Smith Mfg. Co,, supplies.

$2.13, Wallace & Tiernan, supplies.

$55.56, Wallace & Tiernan, supplies.

$396.09, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$314.07, F. N. Du Bois Co., supplies.

$3.00, Louis Frey, supplies.

$169.61, Geo. B. Gascoigne, services.

$16.15 Chas. T. Hansen, supplies.

$2.85, Mutual Iron Works, supplies.

$600, John H. Paul, supplies.

$683.33, C. G. Wigley, services, testimony.

$335.00, B. F. Batchelde, services, testimony.

$1,932.96, Clyde Potts services, testimony.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treaturer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$43.00, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$2.50, Great Gear Spring Co., water.

$8.00, Fleischman Bros., repairs to auto.

$62.10, Peter Jocham Co., auto supplies.

$125.00, James E. Pope, rent.

$1,026.86, Hawkins, Delafield & Longfellow, services.

$6.50, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$14.40, N. Y. Telephone Co., services.

$12.50, National Surety Co., premium of bond.

$7.30, N. Y. Telephone Co., services.

$93.10, Union Printing Co., printing.

$4.50, Baker, Voorhis & Co., Federal reports.

$45.00, Dispatch Printing Co., printing.

$4.00, Peerless Key Co., 1 set keys.

$10.80, Charles K. Hart, metered water.

$2.85, Union Towel Supply Co., towel service.

$18.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$84.90, E. W. Keeney, repairs to auto.

$9.24, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$9.12, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$9.12, Evening Journal, advertising.

$19.80, Columbia Ribbon & Carbon Mfg Co., typewriter supplies.

$18.00, Albert Datz Co., printing.

$7.50, Garfunkel Bros., 2 watt C lamps.

$4.00, Dobke Typewriter Co., rent of machine.

$472.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$480.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$15.25, Acme Card System Co., tube frames.

$1.25, Dobke Typewriter Exchange, repairing machine.

$.85, Louis Frey, exp. Bd. of Eng.

$2.53, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.

$3.70, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.

$44.80, the Bond Buyer, advertising sale.

$3.25, Union Towel Supply Co., towel service.

$200.00, Jos. Spingarn, rent.

$20.54, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.

$2.00, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.

$13.75, Albert Datz Co., 500 blanks.

$5.00, Paper Goods Co., royal cups.

$11.80, W. L. Ellis, paper.

$3.75, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$68.80, Hudson Observer ,advertising.

$12.05, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.

$74.48, Union Printing Co., printing.

$16.40, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.

$131.81, Albert Datz Co., printing.

$31.50, Bernstein & Co., clothing.

$5.50, Underwood Typewriter Co., rental of machine.

$22.00, Underwood Typewriter. Co., rental of machine.

$57.72, Evening Journal, advertising.

$7.15, Lamson Co., repairing cash system.

$15.00, Chas. F. Hansen, desk files.

$25.00, Kelly's Garage, storage.

$4.40, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., auto supplies.

$5.50, Underwood Typewriter Co., rental of machine.

$43.55, Belle Meade Garage, auto supplies.

$24.54, Burroughs Adding Machine Co., repairs to machine.

$125.00, James E. Pope, rent.

$20.00, Arthur C. Mullen, two

searches.

$11.85, Belle Meade Garage, auto supplies.

$119.50, U. S. Mortgage & Trust Co., preparing bond sale.

$8.00, Albert Datz Co., rebinding books.

$154.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$33.00, Evening Journal, advertising.

$212.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$10.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$3.37, U. S. Mortgage & Trust Co., expenses.

$49.00, the Bond Buyer, advertising.

$9.41, Burroughs Adding Machine Co., repairing machine.

$34.00, Albert Datz Co., machine and dating stand.

$23.75, Union Printing Co., printing.

$159.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$20.50, Dispatch Printing Co., printing.

$18.00, Evening Journal, advertising.

$18.00, Evening Journal, advertising.

$18.00, Hudson Observer, advertising.

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$67.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$15.00, Albert Datz Co., rebinding book.

$24.75, Albert Datz Co., printing cards.

$197.50, Albert Datz Co., tax sale blanks.

$121.50, Albert Datz Co., printing blanks.

$9.00, Evening Journal, advertising.

$11.28, Evening Journal, advertising.

$9.24, Evening Journal, advertising.

$3.45, Burroughs Adding Machine Co., new ribbon installed.

$25.00, Kelly's Garage, storage.

$36.44, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., auto supplies.

$91.50, J. W. Greene, Inc., furniture.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered the City Treasurer in payment of the following claims:

$85.43, Anderson Brothers, roof repair.

$3.50, Carl Luck, door check repair.

$32.00, Nathan & Co., basket ball goals.

$3.50, J. Harris, glass.

$8.00, J. Harris, glass.

$5.85, J. Harris, glass.

$5.50, J. Harris, glass.

$2.10, J. Harris glass.

$3.00, J. Harris, glass.

$7.50, J. Harris, glass.

$17.25, Henry Reitze, electric repairs.

$10.20, Henry Reitze, electrical supplies.

$415.00, J. I. Hass, painting.

$10.45, John Corcoran, plumbing.

$39.89, Thomas L. Higgins, axes and handles.

$10.00, Thomas L. Higgins, toilet paper.

$68.60, Thomas L. Higgins, rope.

$80.00, F. V. Kidder, music.

$91.00, F. V. Kidder, music.

$645.00, S. J. Crawford Co., new boiler $21.45, S. J. Crawford Co., plumbing.

$3,75, Carl Luck, lock repair.

$25.00, W. A. Barclay, leader repair.

$32.25, Stowell Manufacturing Company, shingles.

$3.40, Public Service Electric Company, electric service.

$39.20, Public Service Electric Company, electric service.

$208.50, Public Service Electric Company, electric service.

$17.40, Public Service Electric Company, electric service.

$154.60, Public Service Electric Company, electric service.

$1.00, Public Service Electric Company, electric service.

$1.12, Public Service Gas Company, gas service.

$63.91, Public Service Gas Company, gas service.

$14.00, Public Service Gas Company, gas service.

$300.00, W. A. Barclay, roof repair.

$39.13, James P. Hall, cement and sand.

$38.25, James P. Hall, cement and sand.

$65.62, James P. Hall, cement and sand.

$16.50, James P. Hall, cement and sand.

$203.50, James P. Hall, cement and sand.

$215.31, James P. Hall, cement and sand.

$234.00, J. F. Connors, horse and wagon hire.

$234.00, J. F. Connors, horse and wagon hire.

$7.65, New York Telephone Company, service.

$3.50, Great Bear Spring Company, water service.

$41.75, New York Telephone Company, service.

$41.70, James P. Hall, sand and cement.

$4.00, Public Service Electric Company, electric service.

$3.25, New York Telephone Company, telephone service.

$8.52, New York Telephone Company, telephone service.

$4.30, A. B. Kuntz, electric supplies.

$3.00, Great Bear Spring Company, water service.

$15.35, Charles Engler, roofing.

$1.85, New York Telephone Company, service.

$15.40, W. A. Barclay, heater repair.

$4.50, New York Telephone Company, service.

$4.06, Public Service Gas Company, service.

$23.00, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$22.10, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$352.00, S. J. Crawford Company, new heater.

$505.00, S. J. Crawford Company, new boiler.

$10.18, Standard Oil Company, oil.

$122.77, R. H. Perry Coal Company, coal.

$52.93, Charles Engler, lumber.

$5.55, Standard Oil Company, kerosene.

$2.50, Exide Battery Company, battery service.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioner Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following-named parties for the following amounts and purposes as hereinafter set forth:

$25.50, New York Telephone Company.

$24.00, C. J. Lutton.

$40.00, James Carroll.

$48.00, John Brennan.

$91.50, Wm. McKittrick.

$35.00, Oscar L. Nordine.

$73.25, John Kirkpatrick.

$22.05, Jos. H. Browne.

$11.28, The Evening Journal Association.

$108.00, Fire & Water Engineering.

$141.12, Voorhees Rubber Manufacturing Company.

$9.00, Thos. L. Higgins.

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$179.44, Whipple Hardware Company.

$1.60, Whipple Hardware Company.

$57.87, James J. Donohue.

$307.41, Julius Frey.

$51.45, Jos. T. Sack.

$68.60, Jos. T. Sack.

$7.60, Whipple Hardware Company.

$4.63, Standard Oil Company.

$16.65, Standard Oil Company.

$10.18, Standard Oil Company.

$5.55, Standard Oil Company.

$164.50, Public Service Gas Company.

$218.70, Public Service Electric Company.

$3.00, Public Service Electric Company.

$6.90, Public Service Electric Company.

$4.00, Public Service Electric Company.

$16.14, Whipple Hardware Company.

$101.20, Jersey City Storage Battery Company.

$6.90, Jersey City Supply Company.

$8.00, Lewis Max.

$1.80, Mutual Iron Works.

$10.20, Expert Auto Tire Repair Company.

$19.71, Keegan's Garage.

$27.97, Magneto Generator Starter Electric Company.

$5.50, John C. Wolf.

$498.50, The Peter Jocham Company.

$497.50, The Peter Jocham Company.

$407.85, The Peter Jocham Company.

$341.00, The Peter Jocham Company.

$16.00, S. F. Hayward & Co.

$266.00, American La France Fire Engine Company.

$221.00, American La France Fire Engine Company.

$36.00, American La France Fire Engine Company.

$17.00, Garfunkel Bros.

$17.35, Garfunkel Bros.

$275.00, Smith & Kelleher.

$696.52, Carscallen & Cassidy.

$418.35, Barnes Foundry Company, traffic stands.

$301.50, Barnes Foundry Company, traffic stands.

$10.31, Joseph H. Browne, soda.

$52.47, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

$14.58, H. C. Cassell, soft soap.

$19.50, T. T. Finnerty, ice.

$52.75, Fleischman Bros., repairs.

$96.00, J. W. Greene, Inc., chairs.

$450.67, Gulf Refining Company, gasoline.

$46.16, C. F. Hansen, stationery.

$84.00, Chas. Hayes, horseshoeing.

$19.20, A. Kuntz, lamps.

$48.00, Payton & Hoos, chairs.

$126.40, L. J. Tonnelle, tires.

$42.40, Valvoline Oil Company, oil.

$101.75, J. A. Vill & Son, supplies.

$83.00, J. A. Vill & Son, tire.

$489.80, West Side Auto Tire and Supply Company, tires, tubes.

$7.00, Whipple Hardware Company, hardware.

$47.25, John Gorman, ice.

$750.00, Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, care juvenile delinquents.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following named claimants for the amounts and purposes specified:

$58.83, Morris Motor Car Company auto repairs.

$113.05, Mrs. Norton, Queen's Daughters, coal and milk.

$7.00, Fleischman Bros., auto repairs.

$153.00, Bosquett Bros., groceries.

$1.30, New York Telephone Company, service.

$220.00, Joseph J. Maguire, burials.

$147.00, Flynn Bros., groceries.

$253.20, Geo. J. Gannon, insurance.

$11.22, New York Telephone Company, service.

$270.00 Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, antitoxin.

$27.53, New York Telephone Company, service.

$19.45, New York Telephone Company, service.

$34.49, New York Telephone Company, service.

$127.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$26.40, Initial Apron & Towel Supply Company, hand towels.

$12.25, Alex Scott, auto storage.

$80 50, Albert Datz, printing.

$25.00, A. Zipperstein, disinfectant.

$194.40, C. B. Dolge Company, simplex candles.

$5.95, Bernstein & Company, boots.

$16.75, Charles F. Hansen, office supplies.

$38.00, D. Donchillo, ice.

$16.00, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, vaccine virus.

$4.46, Joseph T. Sack, supplies.

$95.39, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$53 24, Thomas Finnerty, ice.

$4.80, Loori Bros, zinc ointment.

$15.63, Loori Bros., drugs.

$47.04, M. Weiss & Company, screen.

$24.00, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$18.50, New York Telephone Company, service.

$51.53, Thompson's Garage, Inc., auto storage, etc.

$10.00, Thomas A. Deming, chairs hired.

$11 00, James A. Sullivan, flowers.

$9.00, John J. Mooney, alcohol.

$105 51, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$56.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$23.25, D. Eisenberg, oranges.

$6.75, Charles F. Hansen, office supplies.

$47.70, Paul B. Hoeber, books.

$436.40, Otto Wilkens, instrument etc.

$102.92, McKesson & Robbins, Inc., drugs.

$8.48, New York Telephone Company, service.

$49.20, Otto Wilkens, instruments, etc.

$29.52, John S. Menagh Company, supplies.

$477.75, The Kleinhaus Store, caps, cuffs, etc.

$31.30, Essex Laboratories, Inc., books.

$10.50, Benj. Kuperman, auto windshield.

$6.50, Fleischman Bros., auto repairs.

$15.00, Hugo Berman, optical supplies.

$50.60, James Picker, X-ray plates.

$17.38, The Kleinhaus Store, dry goods.

$45.60, Meinecke & Company, solution basins.

$358.62, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$18.75, C. A. Woolsey Paint & Color Company, paints.

$18.00, John C. Wolf, curtain.

$18.40, Walter Le Blanc, ice cream.

$37.44, Calumet Tea & Coffee Company, gelatine.

$237.90, W. R. Holmes, tea and coffee.

$13.50, Meinecke & Company, dispensing tank.

$44.84, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

$22.76, William C. Hagen, fowl.

$210.03, Hamliton Meat Market, meat.

$41.80, Hamilton Market, chicken.

$17.01, William C. Hagen, fowl.

$179.99, Hamilton Market, meats.

$64.52, Hudson Surgical Company, drugs.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

PAY ROLLS.

By Commissioner Gannon.

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached payrolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being for services rendered during the periods specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS.

From Commissioner Fagen approving ordinance of the Natural Products Refining Company for the vacation and dedication of a portion of Commercial Street and Jane Street, providing the blue print is corrected as recommended by the Assistant Chief Engineer.

Received.

From Commissioner Gannon recommending annual charge of $100 in the ordinance for pipe lines for the relief of M. W. Kellogg Company at Droyer's Point.

Received.

From Commissioner Gannon recommending annual charge of $100 in th ordinance for spur track for the relief of M. W. Kellogg Company at Droyer's Point.

Received.

From Commissioner Gannon submtiting supplemental debt statement.

Received and ordered filed.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and requested to fix a date for public hearing and advertise the same as required by law, on the application of the Armour Company for permission to lay and maintain spur track or siding on Monmouth Street and Sixteenth Street, filed with the Board this day.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and requested to fix a date for public hearing and advertise the same as required by law, on the application of the Armour Company for permission to lay and maintain a spur track or siding on the southerly side of Eighteenth Street, filed with the Board this day.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, This Board met on the fourteenth day of December, 1920, to hear, consider and adjudicate upon objections which should be presented against the final assessment map and report for the improvement of St. Paul's Avenue, between Summit Avenue and Hudson Boulevard, conformably to the provisions of Chapter 217 of the Laws of 1895;

And whereas, This Board has considered each and all the objections presented at such meeting, and have adjudicated upon the same, and have determined that neither all nor any of them are sufficient; therefore,

Resolved, That said final assessment map and report, as filed by the Commissioners of Assessment on the twenty-third day of November, 1920, and the said assessments therein shown be and the same are hereby confirmed, and that the City Clerk be directed to file the same with the City Collector for collections.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen.

Resolved That the contract for furnishing and delivering f. o. b. at Morgan Street Dock, Jersey City, N. J., ten thousand (10,000) specification granite blocks, be and the same is hereby awarded to John Meehan & Son, at the price named in their proposal, namely, $139.50 per M. (One hundred thirty-nine dollars and fifty cents per thousand), this being the lowest bid; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the contract for the construction of a sewer in Sixteenth Street from a point about 50 feet east of Monmouth Street, to connect with sewer in Jersey Avenue, be and the same is hereby awarded to Grange & Cloan, at the price named in their proposal, namely, 99 per cent. of the standard, they being the lowest bidders; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, contract for furnishing and delivering hypochlorite of lime and liquid chlorine for treatment of Jersey City water supply at Boonton, N. J., for a period of twelve months from January 1st, 1921, to December 31st, 1921, be and the same is hereby awarded to Pennsylvania Salt Mfg. Co., at the price named in their proposal, namely,

150,000 pounds hypochlorite of lime, 3¾c. per lb., f. o. b. cars Boonton.

70,000 pounds liquid chlorine, 8¼c. per lb., f. o. b. cars Boonton,

5,000 pounds liquid chlorine, 8½c. per lb., f. o. b. cars Dover,

they being the lowest bidders; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance for the relief of E. Ferrett Estate, a body corporate of the State of New Jersey, in relation to the encroachment of the building situated on the southwesterly corner of Booraem and Webster Avenues in the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That pending final disposition by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, temporary permit be and the same is hereby granted to Armour & Co., the Delaware, Lackawana & Western Railroad Company and the Erie Railroad Company, to extend a certain spur track or siding now existing, which extends from a point in the westerly line of Coles Street extended, about ten feet from the southerly line of Eighteenth Street extended, easterly across Coles Street extended, and thence easterly along the southerly side of Eighteenth Street about one hundred (100) feet, said new extension to extend in an easterly direction from the point of the terminus of the present track in the southerly side of Eighteenth Street still easterly, along the southerly side of Eighteenth Street to the westerly line of Jersey Avenue.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission, has certified Mary R. Flaherty, 112 Fairview Avenue, Jersey City, as being eligible for appointment to the position of Senior Clerk; therefore be it

Resolved, That Mary R. Flaherty, be and she is hereby appointed Senior Clerk in the Purchasing Bureau, effective December 14, 1920, at an annual salary of $1,620.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the action of the Commission on Building Districts and Restrictions in appointing Harry W. Byrne as Secretary to said Commission at an annual salary of $3,500, effective November 10, 1920, is hereby approved.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission has certified Claude A. Flagg, 127 Summit Avenue, Jersey City, as being eligible for appointment to position of Map Draughtsman and Computer, therefore be it

Resolved, That Claude A. Flagg be and he is hereby appointed Map Draughtsman and Computer in the Department of Revenue and Finance, at a salary of $1,800.00 per annum, effective December 14, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That this Board hereby approves of the following sales of property acquired by the City under the Martin Act, made at Public Auction December 8, 1920 by the Director of Revenue and Finance, pursuant to a resolution of the Board of Commissioners, adopted April 18, 1916:

Price	Purchaser and Address		Lot	Block Street
23-24	1335	Fulton Ave.	$800	Philip Lahr
A	2112	Colden St.	125	Frank Cowan, 80 Fairview Ave.
37-15	1264	Greenville Ave.	375	E. C. Altshul, 151 Halliday St.
A3	1263	Linden Ave.	650	Graham VanKeuren, 162 Carteret Ave.
8-10-12	1269	Linden Ave.	200	Julius C. Selger, 1207 West Side Ave.
12	1079	Lundys Lane	95	E. C. Altshul, 151 Ralliday St.
70-71-72	1265	Lembeck Ave.	675	James Bosquett, 73 Laidaw Ave.
31	1893	Jordan Ave.	700	O. H. Wefing, 310 Ege Ave.
32-33	2007	Garfield Ave.	235	E. C. Altshul, 151 Halliday St.
42-43	2005	Garfield Ave.	725	E. C. Altshul, 151 Halliday St.
1	2002	Randolph Ave.	1525	James J. Bosquett, 73 Laidaw Ave.

Lot	Block	Street	Price	Purchaser and Address
19-20-21	2116	Wayne St.	2300	N. J. Paint Wks., Jersey City.
19-20-21	636	VanWagernen Ave.	960	Chas. A. Schmitt, 205 9th St.
180-181	662	Lewis Ave.	2750	E. C. Altshul, 151 Halliday St.
		Total..............	$12,115	

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commssioner Gannon:

Resolved, That an issue of one million, two hundred and seventy-one thousand dollars ($1,271,000) 6 per cent. General Improvement Bonds, be and the same is hereby awarded to the First National Bank of Jersey City at the price named in their bid, to wit., par and accrued interest, with deliveries to be made as soon as practicable in denominations suitable to the purchaser.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance authorizing $20,000 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the specifications submitted by the Director of Parks and Public Property for the furnishing and delivering of about 200 rolls of Standard Hardware Cloth, 18 in. wide, double selvage, be and they are hereby approved and the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the specifications submitted by the Director of Parks and Public Property for the furnishing and delivering of about 300 tons of well rotted horse manure, be and they are hereby approved and the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas bids were received by the Board of Commissioners for furnishing and installing of heating apparatus in the American Legion Club House; and

Whereas the bid of James P. Meehan was the lowest bid received; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for the furnishing and installing of heating apparatus be and is hereby awarded to James P. Meehan, at the price named in his bid and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for the same.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas the name of George D. White has been certified by the State Civil Service Commission as being eligible for appointment to the position of Chemist in the Fire Department; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said George D. White be and he is hereby appointed to the position of chemist in the Fire Department at a salary of $3,000 per annum. This appointment will be effective immediately.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas the Civil Service Commission having certified the names of the following as eligible for appointment to the positions set opposite the names; therefore be it

Resolved, That the following be and they are hereby appointed to the following positions, said appointments to take effect immediately at the salaries indicated below:

Mary A. Imke, Public Health Nurse, $1,300 per annum.

Gertrude C. Quinn, Public Health Nurse, $1,500 per annum.

Mary E. Brennan, Public Health Nurse, $1,300 per annum.

Hazel A. Smith, Public Health Nurse, $1,300 per annum.

Genevieve A. Hurley, Public Health Nurse, $1,300 per annum.

May O'Brien, Clerk, Hospital, $1,200 per annum.

Phyllis Boyle, Tel. Operator, Hospital, $900 per annum.

Margaret Cassidy, Clerk, Typist, Hospital, $1,200 per annum.

Anna Callaghan, Head Cleaner, Hospital, $95 per month.

John Oras, Cook, Hospital $1,500 per annum.

John Herold, Fireman, Hospital, $1,500 per annum.

Josephine Karhan, Supervising Nurse, Hospital, $1,200 per annum.

Louis Kinon, Asst. Pharmacist, Hospital, $1,800 per annum.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, John T. Rowland, Jr., Architect and John Nevin, M. D., Medical Director of Jersey City recommend to this Board that the award of contract for certain items as per the annexed list, for the furnishing and delivering of furniture and equipment to the Nurses' Home and New City Hospital Buildings, as specified under Section No. 1, should be made to the Kny-Scheerer Corporation, therefore be it

Resolved, That contract for furnishing and delivering furniture and equipment to the Nurses' Home and New City Hospital Buildings as specified under Section No. 1 be and the same is hereby awarded to the Kny-Scheerer Corporation at the prices named in their bid, as per the annexed list, and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for the same.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the Board adjourned.

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
CHARLES F. X. O'BRIEN,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

Approved.

FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF DECEMBER 21, 1920

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, December 21, 1920, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

RECEPTION OF BIDS.

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for furnishing supplies and performing certain work for the various departments of the city government, the City Clerk called for bids with the following result:

Printing and Binding 3,000 Reports.

1. Union Printing Company, $21.00 per page, with freeholder surety bond.

50 Miles Copper Wire, Department of Public Safety.

1. Garfunkel Bros., $3,450, with surety company bond.
2. Walter J. Coleman, $3,438, with surety company bond.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received opened and read and referred to the director of the department from which the specifications emanated.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the application of A. Hass, lessee, for permission to erect storm doors inside building line in two-story frame building No. 10 Newark Avenue, Jersey City, as shown on plan attached to application, the City Clerk read the application and then called for any one who might desire to protest against the granting of the application. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the granting of the application.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to A. Hass, lessee, to erect storm doors inside building line as shown on blue print attached to application in two-story frame building No. 10 Newark Avenue, Jersey City; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

At this time Miss Catherine Kelly and Miss Della Kelly of No. 72 Oakland Avenue, Jersey City, appeared before the Board and protested against the proposed erection of a garage by the Oakland Lumber Company adjacent to their property. Miss Catherine Kelly stated that she is the owner of the six-family frame apartment No. 72 Oakland Avenue; that the company operate a large lumber yard; that gasoline will be stored there when the garage is completed; that this lumber yard and proposed garage is detrimental to their property because fire insurance rates have been increased and will be further increased and the tenants of the apartment house do not remain there any length of time on account of the existing fire hazard and increased insurance rates. She also stated that the lumber company should pay the increased cost of insurance forced upon the tenants of her apartment house. Miss Kelly stated that work on the proposed garage had been started yesterday.

After discussion the following resolution was introduced.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and directed to notify the

Oakland Lumber Company to discontinue any further work on the erection of a garage at No. 76-78 Oakland Avenue, Jersey City, now in the course of construction; further

Resolved, That all further proceedings in the matter be referred to the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance with power.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From J. Hammerman requesting permission to erect electric sign at No. 342 Grove Street.

Received.

From the following named persons requesting permission to erect electric signs:

Dr. Silverstein, 565 Grove Street.

Henry Rawson, 731 Montgomery Street.

Henry Borger, 491 Grove Street.

David Cantor, 262 Newark Avenue.

Received.

From American Ice Cream Company requesting permission to convert stable into garage at No. 957 West Side Avenue.

Received.

From P. D. Calerie requesting permission to erect garage in cellar of No. 1968 Boulevard.

Received.

From Alex. Morton Lumber Company, lessee, requesting permission to alter building No. 71 Steuben Street for garage purposes.

Received.

From Morgan Engineering Company requesting permission to build frame structure for covering boiler at the foot of Morgan Street.

Received and referred to Commissioner Moore.

From Counsellor Robert Carey requesting refund of taxes for Lillian P. Steel et al. on land formerly owned by her which was acquired by the city for public market site.

Received and referred to Commissioner Gannon and the Law Department.

OFFICERS COMMUNICATIONS.

From Corporation Counsel John Milton submitting claims of Marshall Van Winkle and George L. Record for legal services in the matter of the charges preferred by the city against the Utility Commissioners and requesting payment of same.

Received and referred to Commissioner Gannon.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following-named persons in the amounts indicated:

$24.00, R. C. Brumfield, testing.

$294.00, L. Bellezze, blankets.

$24.00, Colacurcio & Tedesco, repairs.

$34.80, Walter J. Coleman, supplies.

$2,920.52, Fagan Iron Works, manhole rings and covers.

$6.00, Great Bear Spring Company, water.

$2.00, Great Bear Spring Company, water.

$90.00, Goodyear Rubber Company, boots.

$52.25, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$296.00, Chas. Hvass & Co., supplies.

$2.00, Geo. T. Krauss, horseshoeing.

$123.97, Library Bureau, cabinet.

$16.00, Public Service Electric Company.

$1,629.77, Public Service Gas Company, contract.

$12,685.73, Public Service Electric Company, contract.

$4.00, Peerless Key Company, supplies.

$8.25, W. H. Stewart, supplies.

$208.00, A. Steiert & Co., brooms.

$9.75, Union Towel Supply Company, services.

$200.00, Stillman & Van Siclen Co.

$20.00, Stillman & Van Siclen Co.

$20.00, Stillman & Van Siclen Co.

$160.00, Stillman & Van Siclen Co.

$23.17, Air Reduction Sales Company, supplies.

$3.25, L. Clark, repairs.

$75.00, Alfred L. Brown.

$124.00, A. Black, repairs.

$75.00, James S. Clark.

$23.45, G. De Puy, feed.

$8.50, Great Bear Spring Company, supplies.

$337.68, Hersey Manufacturing Company, supplies.

$13.90, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$8.28, I. Judge, supplies.

$75.00, Harold McCausland.

$4.20, John McWilliams & Sons, supplies.

$78.40, Edwin H. Moore Co., refund on permit.

$12.19, Neptune Meter Company, supplies.

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following-named persons in the amounts indicated:

$155.84, American Creosoting Company, supplies.

$20.00, Ahlmeyer Bros., supplies.

$12.50, Ahlmeyer Bros., supplies.

$175.08, Ahlmeyer Bros., supplies.

$200.00, Belle Meade Garage, supplies.

$196.00, Belle Meade Garage, team hire.

$280.00, Belle Meade Garage, team hire.

$77.62, L. A. Bellezza, supplies.

$87.55, L. A. Bittighofer, supplies.

$7.25, John F. Boyle, repairs.

$126.94, Barrett Co., supplies.

$450.00, Harry Clare, supplies.

$130.00, Frank A. Cascardo, reimbursement.

$98.00, James Casey, team hire.

$874.03, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$21.84, Evening Journal Association, advertisement.

$25.48, Evening Journal Association, advertisement.

$18.72, Evening Journal Association, advertisement.

$2.40, Evening Journal Association, advertisement.

$22.36, Evening Journal Association, advertisement.

$77.86, Louis Frey, supplies.

$472.75, Julius Frey, supplies.

$395.37, Gustav Frey, supplies.

$98.00, James P. Fay, team hire.

$11.75, Philip Gogarty, supplies.

$2.52, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$24.44, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$18.20, Hudson Observer advertisement.

$21.32, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$22.36, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$22.75, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$22.05, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$1.60, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$9.90, Hudson Real Estate Insurance Company, insurance.

$25.38, Hudson Real Estate Insurance Company, insurance.

$15.95, Hudson Real Estate Insurance Company, insurance.

$144.05, James P. Hall, supplies.

$30.00, Chas. Hayes, horseshoeing.

$25.00, Individual Drinking Cup Company, supplies.

$158.70, Jersey City Supply, supplies.

$42.70, Jersey City Lumber Company, supplies.

$274.25, Peter Jocham Co., repairs.

$259.00, C. J. Lutton, horseshoeing.

$61.00, Thos. J. Miskell, horseshoeing.

$23.05, Louis Max, glass.

$111.00, Rudolph C. E. May, insurance.

$17.50, Oscar L. Nordine, horseshoeing.

$6.75, New York Telephone Company, service.

$4.10, New York Telephone Company, service.

$4.75, New York Telephone Company, service.

$2.50, New York Telephone Company, service.

$7.75, New York Telephone Company, service.

$36.26, New York Telephone Company, service.

$294.58, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$54.50, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$5.74, Public Service Gas Company, service.

$500.00, A. Steiert & Son, supplies.

$500.00, A. Steiert & Son, supplies.

$500.00, A. Steiert & Son, supplies.

$73.00, Richard Stanton, horseshoeing.

$62.00, J. F. Sullivan, horseshoeing.

$74.00, James Sweeney, horseshoeing.

$372.91, Stillman & Van Siclen, inspectors.

$133.50, Union Printing Company, supplies.

$34.30, Union Printing Company, supplies.

$350.00, Graham Van Keuren, blocks.

$25.00, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

$180.00, Stillman & Van Siclen, tests.

$160.00, Stillman & Van Siclen, tests.

$213.22, Auto Economic Co., supplies.

$26.74, Boonton Auto Garage, supplies.

$15.52, Boonton Auto Garage, supplies.

$42.80, Battery Service, supplies.

$57.18, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., supplies.

$22.70, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$9.24, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$36.26, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$.75, Burroughs Adding Machine Co., supplies.

$17.40, Boonton Auto Garage Co., supplies.

$125.00, John Bardach, supplies.

$46.50, Crandall Packing Company, supplies.

$3.60, The Central Railroad Company of N. J., labor.

$27.13, Coleman Electric Service Co., repairs.

$9.00, W. L. Doremus, horse-shoeing.

$68.50, Frank Dceinelenski, refund.

$60.00, P. J. Dinan, supplies.

$78.04, Dodge & Bliss Co., supplies.

$23.40, The Eve. Journal Assn., adv.

$5.32, Eimer & Amend, supplies.

$2.28, Eimer & Amend, supplies.

$260.13, Expert Auto Fire Repair Co.

$40.00, Geo. Estler, hauling.

$28.50, Expert Radiator Repair Co., repairs.

$15.25, Arthur Erickson, supplies.

$30.00, Five Corners Paint Shop Company, services.

$100.00, Five Corners Paint Shop Company, services.

$360.80, Bernard Gannon & Son, supplies and services.

$344.40, Bernard Gannon & Son, supplies and services.

$126.94, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$54.07, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$19.71, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$15.85, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$10.10, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$10.88, Hudson Real Estate Co., insurance.

$6.60, Hudson Real Estate Co., insurance.

$3.25, Hudson County Storage Battery Co., rental.

$22.36, Hudson Observer, adv.

$82.08, James P. Hall, Inc., supplies.

$28.40, Jersey City Supply Co., supplies.

$171.50, Jersey City Lumber Company.

$30.50, E. Kelly, horse-shoeing.

$99.05, Keegan's Garage, supplies.

$154.65, George C. Lavery & Co., Inc., supplies.

$225.92, George C. Lavery & Co., Inc., supplies.

$114.27, Max Sash and Door Co., Inc., supplies.

$21.50, Morris Motor Car Company, supplies.

$58.99, Montgomery Garage, supplies.

$34.50, Elvir Merten, supplies.

$112.69, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$7.57, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$3.00, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$84.83, The Prest-o-Lite Company, Inc., supplies.

$818.26, Pennsylvania Salt Mfg. Co., supplies.

$3.70, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$39.90, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$54.49, Public Service Gas Company, service.

$27.00, Palace Garage, supplies.

$70.00, George A. Reilly, supplies.

$10.00 E. J. Steppanski, refund.

$48.00, Stillman & Van Siclen Chem. Co., testing.

$1.50, Herman F. Trautman, papers.

$317.19, The Texas Co., supplies.

$34.05, The Texas Co., supplies.

$52.75, Union Printing Company.

$133.75, Union Printing Company.

$116.65, Valvoline Oil Co., supplies.

$6.50, Joseph Weston, horse-shoeing.

$29.06, Wallace & Tiernan Co., Inc., supplies.

$3.00, John C. Wolf, repairs.

$10.98, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$30.26, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$39.20, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$65.07, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$34.11, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$3.60, Lexington Auto Tire Co., auto supplies.

$46.00, John A. Ward, repairs.

$50.00, M. McGiverin, postage stamps.

$14.00, Garfunkel Brothers, 16 Watt C. lamps.

$5.00, Underwood Typewriter Co., machine rental.

$328.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$2.00, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$307.00, Unon Printing Co., printing.

$10.00, West Publishing Co., law books.

$359.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$13.75, W. L. Lillis, paper.

$283.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$24.25, Chas. F. Hansen, Stationery.

$212.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$23.05, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.

$493.75, Union Printing Co., printing.

$6.80, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.

$192.10, Union Printing Co., printing.

$17.80, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.

$127.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$57.05, James Tunulty, extra expenses.

$338.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$32.20, Henry J. Reitze & Son, installing lights.

$5.75, J. W. Kelly, keys.

$3.00, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$1,000.00, Boyce, Hughes & Farrell, services.

$300.00, Boyce, Hughes & Farrell, services.

$10.00, Dispatch Printing Co., printing.

$30.00, Henry J. Russell, rent.

$5.75, J. C. Storage Battery Co., installing, rentals, recharging.

$4.00, Albert Datz Co., stationery.

$27.70, Albert Datz Co., stationery.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in payment of the following claims:

$2.77, Thomas L. Higgins, misc. hardware

$7.85, Thomas L. Higgins, bolts, enamel.

$9.08, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., auto parts.

$3.52, A. J. Haesloop, screws and locks.

$2.10, Thomas L. Higgins, nails and paper.

$5.50, Thomas L. Higgins, hinges.

$.89, Thomas L. Higgins, lock and shields.

$6.95, Thomas L. Higgins, kerosene and bolts.

$93.60, W. A. Barclay, plumbing.

$19.20, Thomas L. Higgins, metal strips.

$2.00, Stowell Mfg. Co., nails.

$17.00, J. S. Zelenski, roof repair.

$32.95, H. Sethman, roof repair.

$9.00, Thomas L. Higgins, ash cans.

$150.00, John M. Hughes, shoring wall.

$100.25, Underwood Typewriter Co., typewriter.

$132.30, R. H. Perry Coal Co., coal.

$367.19, R. H. Perry Coal Co., coal.

$46.00, Henry J. Reitze, elec. fixtures.

$5.50, Sam Borsky, glass.

$68.38, Patton Paint Co., velumina.

$38.30, Jos. Zumbusch, roof repair.

$107.99, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$93.70, Jos. Zumbusch, plumbing repairs.

$71.25, Van Houten & Sheerwood, insurance.

$22.88, Eve. Journal Assn., advertising.

$28.44, John A. Norton, insurance.

$16.40, Oscar Michler, saw repairs.

$275.00, J. I. Hass, painting.

$8.00, John Kirkpatrick, horse-shoeing.

$93.74, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., auto repairs.

$.82, J. H. Ohmer, bolts and punch.

$10.78, H. Sethman, leader repairs.

$9.36, P. S. Elec. Co., elec. services.

$50.00, Phil. Warn, decorating.

$100.00, Phil. Warn, decorating.

$307.10, Harry Max, rental lot 10, block 1859.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Director O'Brien:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named for the following amounts and purposes:

$255.60, Barnes Foundry Co., traffic stand. parts.

$9.29, Boller Bros., motorcycle parts.

$12.10, Coleman Elec. Service Co., parts.

$189.00, T. A. Demng, rental chairs.

$187.20, Mrs. E. Dougherty, prisoners' meals.

$9.84, Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$41.00, Garfunkle Bros., supplies.

$216.80, Gulf Refining Co., gasoline.

$13.10, C. F. Hansen, stationery.

$36.00, H. & F. Mesinger Mfg. Co., motorcycle parts.

$136.50, C. Hayes, horseshoeing.

$21.76, T. L. Higgins, supplies.

$17.71, T. L. Higgins, supplies.

$143.00, Mrs. M. Heitzman, prisoners' meals.

$9.84, Hudson Observer, adv.

$4.50, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$80.85, H. Jasper, batteries.

$191.75, P. Jocham Co., repairs.

$11.76, I. Judge, chains.

$70.00, J. Kirkpatrick, horseshoeing.

$12.00, National Gas Governor Co., rental regulators.

$141.65, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$28.42, J. H. Ohmer, supplies.

$45.08, J. H. Ohmer, cooler and stands.

$25.13, J. O'Keefe, toweling.

$41.16, Rockland Chemical Co., disinfectant.

$284.93, Public Service Elec. Co., service.

$192.25, Public Service Gas Co., service.

$8.72, C. D. Reese, badges.

$16.89, Splitdorf Elec. Co., ammeters.

$4.00, J. A. Vill and Son, repairs.

$77.00, J. A. Vill and Son, shoe.

$28.00, Union Printing Co., letterheads.

$5.49, Whpple Hdw. Co., cups.

$42.20, Whipple Hdw. Co., hardware.

$165.00, Phil. Warn, Jr., decorating.

$56.64, William Storage Battery Co., battery.

$1.35, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., repairs.

$2.70, J. A. Vill and Son, batteries.

$439.04, Wm. Farrell & Son, Inc.

$5.55, Standard Oil Co.

$50.00, S. F. Hayward & Co.

$32.25, S. F. Hayward & Co.

$10.00, S. F. Hayward & Co.

$4.04, S. F. Hayward & Co.

$20.79, Boyle-Loewus Motor Co.

$79.32, I. Judge.

$166.30, L. J. Tonnele.

$11.90, L. J. Tonnele.

$5.00, Jos. T. Sack.

$7.50, Union Printing Co.

$34.05, Albert Datz Co.

$12.00, J. H. Ohmer.

$8.00, J. H. Ohmer.

$23.52, J. H. Ohmer.

$9.00, Thos. L. Higgins.

$9.00, F. K. Schmidt, Inc.

$75.00, Phil. Warn, Jr.

$1.60, J. S. Menagh Co.

$22.67, David I. Cohen.

$40.00, Geo. C. Krauss.

$35.00, Oscar L. Nordine.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Frank Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following named claimants for the amounts and purposes specified:

$11.20, William Bill, groceries.

$17.01, William C. Hagen, poultry.

$64.52, Hudson Surgical Company, supplies.

$16.81, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$109.34, Hamilton Meat Market, meat.

$77.97, W. H. Waltery, hams.

$135.74, P. Loffredo, meat.

$56.06, Hamilton Meat Market, meat.

$184.22, Hamilton Meat Market, meat.

$22.05, Meincke & Company, tubing.

$119.41, L. L. Croner, groceries.

$12.50, Haggerty Bros., pill boxes

$23.05, The Norwich Pharmacal Company, supplies.

$1.90, L. L. Croner, cornstarch.

$23.91, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$9.60, Ganz & Goodman, dry goods.

$109.91, The Kleinhaus Store, dry goods.

$94.28, Austin Nichols & Company, groceries.

$98.98, Otto Wilkens, surgical supplies.

$31.75, Hudson Surgical Supply Company, drugs, etc.

$129.26, Griswoldville Manufacturing Company, gauze bandages.

$12.05, The Mallinckrodt Chemical Works, drugs.

$4.90, Loori Bros., drugs.

$221.23, Joseph H. Browne, soap, etc.

$344.96, The Griswoldville Manufacturing Company, gauze bandages.

$318.31, General Baking Company, bread.

$113.04, John F. Crosby, vegetables.

$246.06, D. Eisenberg, fruits and vegetables.

$44.88, Borden's Farm Products Company, milk and cream.

$54.00, Tom Murray's Shoe Store, slippers.

$89.20, S. W. Kagan & Co., meats.

$8.85, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$119.25, L. L. Croner, groceries.

$136.75, New York Telephone Company, service.

$93.28, Kleanco Manufacturing Company, soap.

$144.17, New York Telephone Company, service.

$247.50, Hudson Mattress Manufacturing Company, mattress covers.

$416.53, Edward M. Dixon, fish and clams.

$3.75, Maresca Safe Company, repairing safe.

$17.61, American Auto Tire Company, tire repairs.

$136.00, The Watters Laboratories, surgical apparatus.

$25.75, Valvoline Oil Company, engine oil.

$174.24, F. A. Van Winkle, police beaver cloth.

$4.25, The Hamilton Low Company, basket.

$15.50, Priscilla Mop Company, mops.

$24.00, Albert Ball, bulbs.

$465.89, Charles H. Nolte, butter.

$68.35, Haggerty Bros., surgical supplies.

$22.64, Charles F. Hansen, supplies.

$40.38, J. V. Calley, fruits and vegetable.

$84.67, S. W. Kagan, meats.

$88.20, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$67.62, William Bill, groceries.

$75.85, Austin, Nichols & Company, groceries.

$116.91, D. E. Cleary Company, groceries.

$4.92, Joseph E. Brown, salt.

$19.03, William Bill, groceries.

$38.02, Austin, Nichols & Company, groceries.

$16.47, The Norwich Pharmacal Company, morphine.

$151.88, W. B. Saunders, books.

$68.89, Loori Bros., drugs

$1.72, Loori Bros., drugs.

$110.00, Colonial Advertising Agency, advertising.

$7.80, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$137.73, New York Telephone Company, service.

$266.40, Meade, Johnson & Company, dextrine maltose.

$73.66, R. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$5.07, David I. Cohen, dextrine maltose.

$4.50, John J. Mooney, barley.

$26.66, Metropolitan Building & Window Cleaning Company, cleaning windows.

$68.37, Public Service Gas Company, gas.

$30.80, Public Service Electric Company, light.

$12.00, Payton & Hoos, umbrella stand.

$10.00, Thomas A. Denning, folding chairs.

$156.31, Hamilton Meat Market, meat.

$4.75, L. L. Kroner, sugar.

$6.25, Armour & Co., green soap.

$3.60, David I. Cohen, colic nipples.

$10.10, Loori Bros, drugs.

$8.50, D. Eisenberg, oranges.

$95.00, Edgar J. Snell, engrossing.

$17.00, J. J. Zelinski, platform.

$23.52, Evening Journal Assn., advertising.

$7.95, J. V. Calley, vegetables, etc.

$2.75, John S. Menagh, counter.

$98.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$72.00, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, antitoxin.

$136.80, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, Serum.

$153.12, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, antitoxin.

$16.00, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, Vaccine.

$91.80, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, antitoxin.

$36.00, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, horse serum.

$20.00, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, vaccine.

$80.00, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, vaccine.

$183.60, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, antitoxin.

$60.00, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, vaccine.

$267.84, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, diptheria antitoxin.

$54.00, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, tetanus antitoxin.

$58.93, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$23.14, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$47.91, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$7.65, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$449.34, Payton & Hoos, carpet.

$422.51, Payton & Hoos, carpet.

$24.92, Eimer & Amend, drugs, etc.

$63.42, J. Decker, milk.

$50.00, McConnell Coal Co., coal.

$5.00, Hugo Berman, spectacles.

$7.90, Public Service Elec. Co., light.

$10.50, George J. Murray, auto plates.

$459.00, A. McDonough, grocery tickets.

$32.12, A. McDonough, groceries.

$36.68, H. L. McDermott, ice.

$18.71, William Bill, groceries.

$16.75, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$58.64, Public Service Elec. Co., light.

$34.35, Public Service Gas Co., gas.

$7.65, Tom Murray, slippers.

$45.19, Jerome O'Keefe, dry goods.

$21.09, Wm. Bill, groceries.

$20.63, The Kleinhaus Store, flannel.

$11.25, W. R. Holmes, tea and coffee.

$44.10, Tom Murray's Shoe Shop, shoes.

$181.92, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$5.99, W. H. Walthery, bacon.

$2.40, Joseph H. Browne, ammonia.

$32.53, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$79.47, William Bill, groceries.

$24.14, D. E. Cleary Co., groceries.

$127.21, Joseph T. Sack, utensils, etc.

$86.64, W. H. Walthery, meats.

$30.06, John S. Menagh Co.; asbestos.

$6.24, Evening Journal Assn., advertising.

$18.82, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$19.20, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$10.50, N. Y. World, advertising.

$7.20, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$265.20, Morris Weismann, eggs.

$51.10, Wm. C. Hagan, bacon and fowl.

$79.20, Ideal Quilting Co., muslin.

$426.20, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$352.05, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$3,941.99, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$294.00, The Asceptic Products Co., adhesive plaster.

$2.65, Joseph H. Browne, paint.

$42.84, James Picker, dental films.

$44.00, I. Rice, uniforms.

$81.92, Joseph T. Sack, supplies.

$22.31, Keegan's Garage, auto sundries.

$10.75, Carman Supply Co., Marking ink, etc.

$24.30, H. Kohnstamm & Co., canvas sacks.

$18.50, Walter J. Coleman, sewing machine motor.

$15.00, J. E. Carlock, sawdust.

$259.54, American Auto Tire Co., auto sundries.

$2.50, Victor Lambert, apple corer.

$79.81 Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., auto supplies.

$26.32, American Oil & Supply Co., washing soda.

$48.24, Victor Electric Corp., dental supplies.

$129.76, Joseph T. Sack, utensils, etc.

$47.25, Albert Datz, engrossing diplomas.

$9.00, L. Steinberger, cider.

$49.28, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$134.25, Mountain Ice Co., ice.

$46.10, Garfunkel Bros., flashlights, lamps, etc.

$12.00, E. R. Squibb & Son, drugs.

$42.00, Standard Oxygen Co., oxygen.

$122.39, E. Leitz, apparatus.

$10.65, John Mooney, drugs.

$193.55, Colson Co., mortuary truck.

$49.80, McCloskey Drug Co., drugs and supplies.

$11.20, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., Carbon & Radiator cover.

$357.00, The Kleinhaus Store, uniforms.

$83.28, Joseph T. Sack, supplies.

$28.94, Baldwin Lumber Co., white pine.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, Joseph L. Gavin be and he is hereby appointed Superintendent in the Bureau of Street Repairs and Sewer Reconstruction, Department of Streets and Public Improvements, at a salary of twenty-five hundred dollars ($2,500.00) per annum, payable semi-monthly, the Civil Service Commission having certified that he is first on the eligible list for appointment; this resolution to take effect immediately.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improveprovements, Charles W. O'Neill be and he is hereby appointed Assistant Superintendent, Laying and Repairing of Water Pipe, Bureau of Water, Department of Streets and Public Improvements, at a salary of twenty-four hundred dollars ($2,400.00) per annum, payable semi-monthly, the Civil Service Commission having certified that he is on the eligible list for appointment; this resolution to take effect immediately.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, contract for furnishing and delivering at the Wayne Street Stable—

Twenty (20) dozen Bass Push Brooms, 36 inch,
Three hundred and fifty (350) Machine Brooms, to be refilled with best bamboo,
Twelve (12) dozen Broom Handles,
One Hundred and Fifty (150) dozen 16-inch Bass Push Brooms—

be and the same is hereby awarded to A. Steinert & Son, at the prices named in their proposal, there being no lower bidder; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the work under contract No. 2331 for the improvement of Seaview Avenue between Princeton Avenue and Garfield Avenue, with sheet asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation, by W. T. S. Crichfield, contractor, be and the same is hereby accepted as completed, and that the Chief Engineer be and he is hereby directed to file with the Commissioners of Assessments a statement showing the entire cost of said improvement, and that thereupon said Commissioners of Assessments shall proceed to make a proper assessment on any lands or real estate that may have been benefited or increased in value by such improvement, conformably to the provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer, for regulating and repaving with sheet asphalt on present stone block foundation the roadway of West Side Avenue, between Communipaw Avenue and the northerly line of Montgomery Street (excluding such portion as lies between the tracks), also the portion outside of rails for a width of 6 inches which shall be paved with wooden blocks, be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, Elal Schwartz, Police Court Interpreter, was suspended by Judge Leo Sullivan, upon court action to recover the salary due for suspension period, which action was decided against the City, the court awarding Schwartz salary due him up to March 8th, 1920, and

Whereas, Schwartz died August 30th, 1920, and his administrator now makes claim for balance of salary due him and has offered to waive any claim for interest, the claims being for $430, for five months and twenty-two days, at $75.00 per month and

Whereas, The Corporation Counsel has advised that the City is liable for the salary of Elal Schwartz for a period of five months and twenty-two days, and recommends that a warrant be ordered drawn to Warren Dixon in the amount of $430 in payment of said claim, therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw warrant under City Treasurer in favor of Warren Dixon, in the amount of $430 in full settlement of the claim to the administrator of Elal Schwartz, for salary due from March 8th, 1920, to time of his death August 30th, 1920, as per voucher attached.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

From Commissioner Gannon:

21 December, 1920.

Hon. Board of Commissioners,
Jersey City.

Gentlemen:—

I beg to report that on Thursday, December 16th, 1920, at 12 o'clock noon, I offered for sale and sold to the National City Company, $864,000 in School Bonds, for which the best bid was $864,016.23 for $847,000 in bonds.

I considered the bid satisfactory under present market conditions and awarded the sale of these bonds to the National City Company, subject to the ratification of this Board.

Very truly yours,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
Director.

Commissioner Gannon moved the adoption of the following resolution and Commissioner Moore seconded the motion:

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That $847,000.00 being the bonds first to mature of an issue of $864,000 School Bonds of the City authorized by an ordinance finally adopted on November 30th, 1920, are hereby awarded to the National City Company at the price bid of $864,016.23 and accrued interest at the rate borne by the bonds from the date of the bonds to the date of payment of the purchase price.

Further Resolved, That the proper officials of the City are hereby authorized and directed to execute said bonds and to deliver them to the said purchasers upon receipt of payment therefor in accordance with this resolution.

The foregoing resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Ayes: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the contract for printing and binding 3,000 reports for the Board of Engineers, Jersey City Development Plan, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Union Printing Company, at the price named in their bid, namely, $21.00 per page, that being the lowest bid received, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to have prepared and executed the necessary contracts therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The City recently acquired title to Lots 29 and 30 in Block 952, known as the property of the Robert Davis Association, or the Democratic Club of Hudson County, through means of a sale under execution on a judgment obtained by Burns Brothers. The amount paid for the property being $250; and

Whereas, Corporation Counsel recommends that the City obtain quit-claim deed from the trustees of the Democratic Club of Hudson County, and

Whereas, In order to obtain said deed it will be necessary to pay to the trustees of the Democratic Club of Hudson County, the sum of $650, which money is to be used by them to pay several outstanding claims and judgments against the Club; therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Clerk be Treasurer to the order of John Milton, and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw warrant on the City Corporation Counsel, which warrant is to be paid upon the surrender of deed to the trustees of the Democratic Club of Hudson County, as per claim attached.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners on December 14th, 1920, for the furnishing and delivering of one 1½-ton motor truck to the Department of Parks and Public Property; and

Whereas, The bid of the Morris Motor Car Company was the lowest bid received in accordance with the specifications; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for the furnishing and delivering of one 1½-ton motor truck be and is hereby awarded to the Morris Motor Car Company at the price named in their bid and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for the same.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, Charles Burgess has been duly elected Pension Commissioner by the vote of the members of the Jersey City Police Department under the provisions and authority of Chapter 160, Laws 1920; therefore be it

Resolved, That the name of Charles Burgess be and the same is hereby certified to by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City as the Pension Commissioner of the Jersey City Police Department.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, James J. Donohue has been duly elected Pension Commissioner by the vote of the members of the Jersey City Fire Department under the provisions and authority of Chapter No. 160, Laws 1920; therefore be it

Resolved, That the name of James J. Donohue be and the same is hereby certified to by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City as the Pension Commissioner of the Jersey City Fire Department.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, John T. Rowland, Jr., Architect, and John Nevin, M. D., Medical Director, of Jersey City, recommend to this Board that the award of contract for furnishing and delivering 16 Costumers No. 57-C to the Private Rooms of the Nurses' Home and New City Hospital Buildings, as specified under Section No. 1, should be made to Payton & Hoos; therefore be it

Resolved, That contract for furnishing and delivering 16 Costumers No. 57-C to the Private Rooms of the Nurses' Home and New City Hospital Buildings, as specified under Section No. 1, be and the same is hereby awarded to Payton & Hoos at the price named in their bid, namely, $9.25 each, and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for the same.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, John T. Rowland, Jr., Architect, and John Nevin, M. D., Medical Director, of Jersey City, recommend to this Board that the award of contract for certain items as per the annexed list, for the furnishing and delivering of furniture and equipment to the Nurses' Home and New City Hospital Buildings, as specified under Section No. 1, should be made to the Associated Furniture Manufacturers, Inc.; therefore be it

Resolved, That contract for furnishing and delivering furniture and equipment to the Nurses' Home and new City Hospital Buildings as specified under Section No. 1, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Associated Furniture Manufacturers, Inc., at the prices named in their bid, as per the annexed list, and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for the same.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance relating to taxes for the year nineteen hundred and twenty-one."

Be it ordained by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City that there shall be assessed, raised by taxation and collected for the fiscal year 1921, the sum of five million four hundred eighty-nine thousand three hundred ninety and 91-100ths dollars ($5,489,390.91) for the purpose of meeting the appropriations set forth in the following statement of resources and appropriations for the fiscal year 1921:

Resources.

Surplus revenue appropriated	$1,900,000.00
Miscellaneous revenues	1,153,800.83
Amount to be raised by taxes	5,489,390.91
Total resources	$8,543,191.74

Budget appropriations.

Total	$8,543,191.74

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO TAXES FOR THE YEAR NINETEEN HUNDRED AND TWENTY-ONE

BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City that there shall be assessed, raised by taxation, and collected for the fiscal year 1921, the sum of FIVE MILLION FOUR HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-NINE THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED AND NINETY and 91-100th Dollars ($5,489,390.91), for the purpose of meeting the appropriations set forth in the following statement of resources and appropriations for the fiscal year 1921.

RESOURCES.

Surplus Revenue Account...$1,900,000.00

Revenues which are required by law to be applied to specific purposes, to wit:

Permits issued by Bureau of Combustibles and Fire Risks—Dedicated to Firemen's Pension Fund.

Criminal Court Motor Vehicle Fines—dedicated to State of New Jersey.

Sundry Criminal Court Fines—Dedicated to Police Widow's Pension Fund.

Hunting and Fishing Licenses—Dedicated to State of New Jersey.

ANTICIPATED REVENUES:		1921.	1920.
Surplus Revenue Appropriated		$1,900,000.00	$1,425,000.00
MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES:			
1. Jitney Licenses	$40,000.00		
2. Public Service Car Licenses	1,900.00		
3. Marriage Licenses	3,000.00		
4. Trade Licenses	7,500.00		
5. District Court Fees	12,000.00		
6. Search Fees	8,000.00		
7. Health Bureau Permits	8,000.00		
8. Building Bureau Permits	15,000.00		
9. Sewer and Street Opening Permits	5,000.00		
10. Interest on Bank Deposits	30,000.00		
11. Interest on Deferred Taxes	250,000.00		
12. Special privileges granted to corporations and individuals	12,000.00		
13. Hudson & Manhattan R. R. Co	5,000.00		
14. South Cove	17,000.00		
15. Morgan Street Dock	20,000.00		
16. Criminal Court Fines	12,000.00		
17. N. J. State Franchise Taxes	266,083.60		
18. Gross Receipts from Public Utilities Corporation in Lieu of Personal Property Taxes	370,445.00		
19. Poll Taxes	7,100.00		
20. From Water Acct. for Water Sinking Fund Installments per Chapter 212, Section 15, P. L. 1017	63,772.23	1,153,800.83	914,621.46
(The above is offset by appropriations for Water Sinking Funds of $63,772.23.)			
Amount to Be Raised by Taxes		5,489,390.91	5,560,267.66
		$8,543,191.74	$7,899,889.12

APPROPRIATIONS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE:	Appropriations. 1921.	Appropriations. 1920.
Salaries:		
Mayor	$8,000.00	$5,500.00
Deputy Director	6,000.00	4,000.00
Stenographers	6,000.00	6,000.00
Claims—		
Memorial Day Celebration	2,500.00	1,050.00
Printing, Stationery and Supplies	1,000.00	800.00
MAIN HOSPITAL:		
Administration—Salaries:		
Medical Director	4,000.00	4,000.00

	Appropriations. 1921.	Appropriations. 1920.
EXECUTIVE OFFICE:		
Salaries:		
Secretary	3,000.00	2,500.00
Assistant Superintendent, Clerks, Stenographers, Telephone Operators, Hall-man, Technicians, Sanitary Inspector, Investigators	21,100.00	25,600.00
Professional Care of Patients—Salaries:		
Superintendent of Nurses, Assistant Superintendents, Supervising Nurses, Night Supervisor, Pupil Nurses, Male Nurses, Druggist and Assistant Orderlies, Radiologist, Pathologist, Instructor, Services of Internes, Laboratory Assistant, Cleaner for Chemical Laboratory	93,600.00	63,300.00
Ambulance Corps—Salaries.		
Chauffeurs and Ambulance Drivers	10,680.00	9,480.00
Housekeeping—Salaries:		
Matron, Seamstresses, Linen Room Attendant, Cleaners, Utility-men, Porters	36,685.00	38,940.00
Kitchen—Salaries:		
Storekeeper, Steward, Chief Cook and Cooks, Kitchen Helpers, Waitresses, Butcher	26,560.00	24,880.00
Laundry—Salaries:		
Foreman, Checker, Laundrymen, Laundresses	14,880.00	15,180.00
Power House—Salaries:		
Chief Engineer, Assistant Engineer, Fireman, Elevator Men, Night Watchman, Carpenter	26,520.00	28,880.00
Administration—Expenses:		
Printing, Stationery, Telephone, Office Supplies	6,000.00	6,000.00
Professional Care of Patients:		
Training School, including books, prizes and uniforms for nurses, Alcohol and Whiskey, X-Ray Supplies, Uniforms for Doctors, etc.	7,600.00	9,000.00
Medical and Surgical Supplies	15,500.00	18,000.00
Department Expenses:		
Maintenance of Ambulances, Repairs, Housekeeping Supplies, Linen, Kitchen Supplies, Utensils, Silver, Laundry	17,500.00	17,500.00
Steward's Department:		
Bread, Rolls, Milk, Cream, Groceries, Butter, Eggs, Fruit, Vegetables, Meat, Poultry, Fish	95,000.00	96,000.00
General House and Property Expenses:		
Electric Light Supplies, Oil, Waste, Fuel, Gas, Ice, Tools, Window Cleaning	24,000.00	43,000.00
ISOLATION HOSPITAL.		
Salaries.		
Medical Inspector, Supervising Nurse, Nurses, Orderlies, Cooks, Waitresses, Laundresses, Utilityman, Cleaners	20,760.00	17,157.50
Maintenance and Supplies:		
Bread, Meat, Fish, Groceries, Milk, Ice, Gas, Electricity, Coal and Wood, Dry Goods, Dishes and Utensils, Telephone, New Furnishings	17,785.00	15,635.00
HEALTH BUREAU.		
Sanitary Division—Salaries:		
Health Officer, Clerks, Stenographers, Sanitary Inspectors, Milk Inspectors, Veterinarian, Plumbing Inspectors, Chemists, Utilityman, Cleaners, Scow Captain, Laboratory Assistant, Driver and Remover of Dead Animals, Plumber	82,700.00	79,200.00
Maintenance and Supplies:		
License Plates, Permit Books, Printing, Stationery, Reports, Advertising Ordinances, Towing and Maintenance of City Scow, Clean-up Week, Repairs to Equipment, Expressage, Railway Fare, Board. Hire of Vehicles for County Milk Inspectors, Plumbing Inspection Work, Laboratory Equipment and Supplies, Storage of Automobiles, Hudson County District Society Prevention Cruelty to Animals	22,653.00	19,044.00

	Appropriations. 1921.	Appropriations. 1920.
EXECUTIVE OFFICE:		
Salaries:		
Medical Division—Salaries:		
Chief Medical Officer, Diagnostician, Medical Inspectors, Supervising Nurses, Public Health Nurses, Health Investigators, Stenographer	56,900.00	54,900.00
Parochial Schools:		
Printing and Supplies	2,000.00	2,000.00
Division of Communicable Diseases:		
Vaccine, Antitoxin, Neo Salvarsan, Carfare for Nurses, Postage, Medical Supplies, Anti Rabies Treatment, Printing and Stationery	19,500.00	18,000.00
DIVISION OF CHILD HYGIENE.		
Mothers' Institute and 12 Infant Welfare Stations.—Salaries:		
Chief of Division, Medical Inspectors, Supervising Nurse, Assistant Nurses, Clerk, Stenographer, Laundresses, Cleaners, Asst. Chief Dietitian, Utilityman, Nursemaids, Cook	66,400.00	63,358.00
Maintenance and Supplies:		
Rental, Light, Telephone, Fuel, Food, Printing, Stationery, Carfare, Equipping and Establishing New Stations	17,790.00	16,710.00
BUREAU OF MUNICIPAL RELIEF.		
Salaries:		
Superintendent, Assistant Superintendents, Keeper, Investigator, Stenographer, Clerk, Janitress	14,000.00	14,000.00
Relief of Outdoor Poor	18,000.00	18,000.00
Office Supplies, Printing, Stationery, Transportation of Inmates, Maintenance of Auto and Ambulance	1,800.00	1,800.00
BUILDING INSPECTION BUREAU.		
Salaries:		
Superintendent, Chief Inspector and Assistants, Clerks, Plant and Record Custodian	29,800.00	26,900.00
Printing, Stationery, Printing Revised Building Code, Incidentals	2,500.00	2,500.00
MAIN HOSPITAL.		
Professional Care of Patients—Salaries.		
5 Supervising Nurses @ $1,200	6,000.00	
10 Pupil Nurses @ $30 per month	3,600.00	
30 Pupil Nurses @ $20 per month	7,200.00	
3 Orderies @ $1,200	3,600.00	
Housekeeping—Salaries:		
1 Seamstress	720.00	
13 Utilitymen @ $1,080.00	14,040.00	
Kitchen:		
4 Kitchen Helpers, Male, @ $900.00	3,600.00	
Laundry:		
1 Laundry Superintendent	2,500.00	
1 Painter	2,200.00	
1 Electrician	2,200.00	
1 Oiler	1,500.00	
1 Mattress Maker	2,200.00	
HEALTH BUREAU.		
Sanitary Division—Salaries:		
1 Clerk	1,800.00	
6 Investigators @ $5.50 per diem each	11,880.00	
1 Junior Clerk	1,800.00	
1 Assistant Clerk	1,500.00	
1 Laboratory Assistant	1,500.00	
Bureau of Municipal Relief:		
4 Investigators @ $1.400	$872,153.00	$768,814.50
Total for Dept. of Public Affairs	5,600.00	

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND FINANCE.

APPROPRIATIONS.

		Appropriations. 1921.	Appropriations. 1920.
EXECUTIVE OFFICE.			
Salaries:			
Director		$7,500.00	$5,000.00
Deputy Director		4,000.00	4,000.00
Secretary		3,000.00	2,500.00
Stenographer and Senior Clerk		2,000.00	2,700.00
Messenger		1,800.00	1,800.00
Municipal Publicity and Advertising		5,000.00	10,000.00
Railroad Tax, Litigation, Real Estate and Personal Property Appraisal		10,000.00	20,000.00
Printing, Stationery, Miscellaneous Supplies		10,000.00	10,000.00
Contingent Expenses		15,980.00	75,000.00
CITY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE.			
Salaries:			
City Collector		5,000.00	4,000.00
Chief Clerk		3,500.00	3,500.00
Deputy Personal Tax Collector		2,000.00	2,000.00
Auditor of Receipts		2,500.00	2,500.00
Clerks		30,000.00	30,500.00
Search Clerks		6,000.00	6,000.00
Stenographer		1,800.00	1,200.00
BUREAU OF TAX ASSESSMENTS.			
Salaries:			
Board of Tax Assessors		20,000.00	15,000.00
Secretary		1,500.00	1,200.00
Chief Clerk and Assistant Clerks		37,850.00	36,200.00
Clerk—Pensioned		600.00	600.00
Assistant Surveyor and Map Tracers		6,100.00	6,100.00
Stenographer		1,200.00	1,200.00
CITY COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE.			
Salaries:			
Deputy Comptroller		5,000.00	5,000.00
Chief Clerk		3,500.00	3,500.00
Bookkeepers		6,000.00	5,500.00
Auditor of Receipts		3,000.00	2,500.00
Clerks		6,500.00	6,600.00
Utilityman		None	1,700.00
BUREAU OF AUDITOR OF SCHOOL DISTRICT.			
Salary of Utilityman		3,000.00	2,500.00
CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE.			
Salaries:			
Deputy Treasurer		4,000.00	3,750.00
Cashiers		4,600.00	4,600.00
Clerks		3,800.00	3,800.00
CITY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE.			
Custodian of Records	$2,000.00	2,000.00	
BUREAU OF TAX ASSESSMENTS.			
Statistician	3,500.00	3,500.00	
Four Investigators at $1,500.00 each	6,000.00	6,000.00	
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE.			
Stenographer	1,500.00	1,500.00	
Investigator of Tax Titles	2,300.00	2,300.00	
Custodian of Records	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Senior Clerk	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Search Clerk	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Record Clerk	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Total for Department of Revenue and Finance		$240,030.00	$280,450.00

APPROPRIATIONS.

DEBT SERVICE.

		Appropriations. 1921.	Appropriations. 1920.
GENERAL BONDS.			
3½% Fire House Serial due January 1, 1921.	$1,000.00		

		Appropriations. 1921.	Appropriations. 1920.
GENERAL BONDS.			
5% City Hall, due January 1, 1921	20,000.00		
3¾% School Site Serial, due March 1, 1921	1,500.00		
4% Public Square Serial, due May 23, 1921	1,000.00		
4% Funding Assessments Serial, due July 1, 1921	4,166.66		
4% Funding Assessments Serial, due July 1, 1921	1,711.82		
4½% Refunding Serial, due September 1, 1921	9,000.00		
4½% School Serial, due September 1, 1921	10,000.00		
4¾% School (Series A) Serial, due December 1, 1921	39,000.00		
4¾% School (Series B) Serial, due December 1, 1921	4,000.00		
4% Floating Debt Serial, due December 31, 1921	59,539.00	$150,917.48	$150,917.48
TEMPORARY IMPROVEMENT BONDS.			
Bond No.			
339 Additional land Jersey City Hospital	$5,130.00		
340 Additional land Jersey City Hospital	3,000.00		
352 Ten new motorcycles, Police Dept.	3,749.30		
386 New athletic field, Montgomery Park	15,000.00		
Repaving Washington Street	7,200.00	34,079.30	216,280.00
EMERGENCY BONDS.			
32 Judgment—Carscallen & Cassidy	$7,740.60		
33 Purchase of War Memorial Design	5,000.00		
34 Development Plan for Jersey City	10,000.00		
35 New Filtering Plant for Coles Street Bath	3,251.00		
36 Memorial Day Celebration	3,000.00		
37 Repairs to Asphalt Streets	20,000.00		
38 Hudson & Manhattan R. R. rate contest	10,000.00		
39 Election Expenses	27,000.00	85,991.60	55,211.04
Interest on Funded Debt		810,338.52	715,174.71
Interest on Temporary Bonds and Promissory Notes		523,716.77	331,269.51
Interest on Tax Revenue Bonds of 1920		60,000.00	100,000.00
Interest on Emergency Bonds		3,000.00	2,208.44
Interest on Tax Revenue Bonds of 1917		None	4,000.00
Interest on Tax Revenue Bonds of 1918		None	14,000.00
Interest on Tax Revenue Bonds of 1919		None	30,000.00
Interest on Tax Anticipation Notes of 1921		100,000.00	
General Sinking Fund Installments per Certificate for 1921	$239,056.44		
Less amount used from Sinking Fund Surplus	119,528.22	119,528.22	121,738.29
Water Sinking Fund Installments per certificate for 1921		63,772.23	127,554.46
Total, Debt Service		$1,956,344.12	$1,868,343.93
MISCELLANEOUS.			
Abatement of Taxes for 1920		$154,000.00	$246,466.82
Free Public Library		150,000.00	141,957.20
CITY CLERK'S OFFICE.			
Salaries:			
City Clerk		$6,000.00	$5,000.00
Assistants to City Clerk		5,800.00	5,600.00
Clerks		36,030.00	32,200.00
Office Printing and Supplies		8,500.00	8,500.00
Municipal Primary and General Election		23,000.00	4,000.00
Printing Minutes		5,000.00	4,000.00
Proclamations, etc.		3,500.00	3,500.00
Salaries:			
City Marshal	$2,500.00	2,500.00	
Total for City Clerk's Office		$90,330.00	$62,800.00
LEGAL AND JUDICIAL.			
LAW DEPARTMENT.			
Salaries:			
Corporation Counsel		$8,000.00	$8,000.00

		Appropriations. 1921.	Appropriations. 1920.
Corporation Attorney		6,000.00	6,000.00
Assistants to Corporation Counsel		19,000.00	19,000.00
Clerks		5,000.00	5,000.00
Stenographers		4,600.00	4,600.00
Services rendered to all Departments		5,000.00	5,000.00
Custodian of Records	$1,800.00	1,800.00	
Sr. Clerk and Stenographer	1,500.00	1,500.00	
DISTRICT COURT.			
Salaries:			
Judges		8,000.00	8,000.00
Clerks		12,000.00	9,800.00
Sergeants-at-Arms		3,600.00	2,250.00
Printing, Stationery and Supplies		1,000.00	1,000.00
Total for Legal and Judicial		$76,000.00	$68,650.00
PURCHASING DEPARTMENT.			
Salaries:			
Purchasing Agent		$4,000.00	$3,750.00
Storekeeper		3,250.00	3,250.00
Stenographer		3,300.00	2,700.00
Clerks		11,020.00	8,600.00
Printing, Stationery and Supplies		1,000.00	1,000.00
Total for Purchasing Department		$22,570.00	$19,300.00
LABOR BUREAU.			
Salaries:			
Superintendent		$2,500.00	$2,500.00
Labor Investigator		2,300.00	2,300.00
Clerks		4,700.00	4,400.00
Utilityman		1,800.00	1,500.00
Total for Labor Bureau		$11,300.00	$10,700.00
JITNEY TRAFFIC BUREAU.			
Salaries:			
Inspector		$1,800.00	$1,800.00
Starter and Assistant Starters		12,600.00	10,800.00
Night Supervisor		2,100.00	1,800.00
Printing, Stationery and Supplies		500.00	500.00
Mechanical Supervisor		2,500.00	2,500.00
Total for Jitney Traffic Bureau		$19,500.00	$14,900.00
SINKING FUND COMMISSION.			
Salaries:			
Secretary		$1,800.00	$1,800.00
Printing and Stationery		200.00	200.00
Total for Sinking Fund Commission		$2,000.00	$2,000.00
COMMISSION ON BUILDING DISTRICTS AND RESTRICTIONS.			
Salaries:			
Secretary		3,500.00	$2,750.00
Draughtsman			1,000.00
Printing, Stationery, Office, Supplies, Advertising, Rent, Telephone, Miscellaneous		6,400.00	3,545.00
Salary of one Commissioner	$3,000.00	3,000.00	
Salaries of two Commissioners at $2,500.00 each	5,000.00	5,000.00	
One Investigator	2,100.00	2,100.00	
Total for Commission on Building Districts and Restrictions		$20,000.00	$7,295.00

JERSEY CITY DEVELOPMENT BUREAU.

	Appropriations. 1921.	Appropriations. 1920.
Salaries:		
Secretary	$5,200.00	
Architectural and Engineering Draftsman	3,500.00	
Architectural and Engineering Draftsman	3,380.00	
Special Investigator	3,900.00	
Architectural Designer (temporary)	1,000.00	
2 Transitmen at $250.00 per month (temporary)	1,000.00	
4 Chainmen at $175.00 per month (temporary)	1,400.00	
4 Plotters at $150.00 per month (temporary)	1,200.00	
1 Stenographer and Statistical Clerk	2,080.00	
Stationery, Blue Prints, Drafting and Office Supplies, Furniture, One Ford Auto, Publication of Reports, Miscellaneous	6,540.00	
Total for Jersey City Development Bureau	$29,200.00	

DEPARTMENT OF STREETS AND PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

APPROPRIATIONS.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE.		
Salaries:		
Director	$7,500.00	$5,000.00
Deputy Director	4,000.00	4,000.00
Chief Clerk	4,500.00	4,500.00
Stenographer	1,600.00	1,600.00
Utilityman	None	1,800.40
Maintenance and Supplies	2,500.00	2,500.00
ENGINEERING BUREAU.		
Salaries and Wages:		
Chief Engineer, Asst. Engineers, Rodman, Draftsmen, Chainmen, Transitmen, Utilitymen, Stenographer and Chauffeur	52,950.00	52,650.00
Maintenance and Supplies	4,000.00	4,000.00
BUREAU OF STREET LIGHTING.		
Salaries:		
Inspectors and Utilitymen	7,998.00	6,174.00
Municipal Street Lighting (Contract)	189,415.62	178,099.17
Maintenance and Supplies	1,500.00	1,100.00
BUREAU OF HEALTH AND SANITATION.		
Salaries:		
Inspector and Assistant Inspector	15,600.00	13,000.00
Removal of Ashes and Garbage	162,000.00	130,000.00
Maintenance and Supplies	1,000.00	1,000.00
BUREAU OF CLEANING SEWERS AND BASINS.		
Salaries and Wages:		
Superintendent, Foreman, Sewermen, Laborers, Drivers, Watchmen, Utilitymen	56,461.00	51,296.50
Maintenance and Supplies	3,000.00	3,000.00
STREET CLEANING BUREAU.		
Salaries and Wages:		
Asst. Superintendents, Clerks, Timekeepers, Tool Clerk, Foremen, Stable Foremen, Stablemen, Drivers, Laborers, Repairmen, Utilitymen, Washers and Cleaners	337,787.50	368,864.50
Maintenance and Supplies:		
Feed for horses, horse shoeing, insurance, repairs to equipment, office supplies, light, power, new harness, new blankets	84,550.00	109,575.00
Repairs to Wayne Street Stable	1,000.00	1,500.00
BUREAU OF SIDEWALK REPAIRS.		
Salary:		
Sidewalk Inspector	2,100.00	1,800.00
Sidewalk Repairs by Contract	3,000.00	5,000.00
Miscellaneous Expense	200.00	200.00

	Appropriations. 1921.	Appropriations. 1920.
BUREAU OF ASSESSMENTS.		
Salaries:		
Commissioners of Assessment	7,500.00	7,500.00
Secretary	2,250.00	2,250.00
Draughtsman	2,800.00	2,800.00
Maintenance and Supplies	125.00	125.00
BUREAU OF STREET REPAIRS.		
Salaries and Wages:		
Superintendent, Foremen, Utilitymen, Mason, Pavers, Rammers, Laborers, Drivers, Inspectors	139,105.00	78,205.00
Maintenance and Supplies	45,000.00	32,000.00
Repairs over Street Openings	5,000.00	5,000.00
Carts and Horses	None	2,000.00
BUREAU OF MOTOR VEHICLES.		
Equipment	1,000.00	1,000.00
MISCELLANEOUS.		
Street Signs	3,000.00	3,000.00
Yearly Sewer and Path Rentals	3.00	3.00
Repairs to Asphalt Pavement out of guarantee	60,000.00	40,000.00
Repairs to Montgomery Street Shed	1,000.00	1,000.00
Rebuilding of Laidlaw Avenue Steps	None	1,600.00
EXECUTIVE OFFICE.		
Salary.		
Clerk $2,100.00	2,100.00	None
Total for Dept. of Streets and Pub. Improvements	$1,211,545.12	$1,124,742.17

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

APPROPRIATIONS.

	Appropriations. 1921.	Appropriations. 1920.
EXECUTIVE OFFICE.		
Salaries:		
Director	$7,500.00	$5,000.00
Deputy Director	5,000.00	4,000.00
Secretary	3,500.00	2,500.00
Stenographer	2,500.00	2,500.00
Incidentals for Director	6,000.00	5,000.00
POLICE DEPARTMENT.		
Salaries:		
Chief of Police	5,500.00	5,500.00
Inspectors	13,800.00	13,800.00
Captains	36,000.00	36,000.00
Lieutenants	162,000.00	152,000.00
Round Sergeants, Detectives, Patrolmen	1,667,500.00	1,449,600.00
Police Surgeons	10,000.00	10,000.00
Asst. Laborers	10,037.00	6,205.00
Matron	1,200.00	1,200.00
Janitresses	11,000.00	11,000.00
Chief Clerk, Clerks and Stenographers	14.800.00	12,300.00
Superintendent Signal System	3,300.00	3,300.00
Drill Master	2,300.00	2,300.33
City Physicians	6,300.00	6,300.00
Chaplains	3,000.00	3,000.00
Police Pensions	78,200.00	91,000.00
Light, Heat, Maintenance and Supplies	70,000.00	75,000.00
Detention Home for Juveniles	1,500.00	1,500.00
Utilitymen	5,475.00	1,500.00
POLICE DEPARTMENT.		
Salaries:		
Painter	2,400.00	2,400.00
Wire Man....$2,200	2,200.00	
CRIMINAL COURTS.		
Salaries:		
Judges	9,000.00	9,000.00
Court Clerks	5,000.00	5,000.00
Court Attendants	8,400.00	8,400.00
Printing, Stationery, Telephone, etc	800.00	500.00

		Appropriations. 1921.	Appropriations. 1920.
FIRE DEPARTMENT.			
Salaries:			
Chief of Fire Department		5,500.00	5,500.00
Deputy Chiefs		9,000.00	9,000.00
Battalion Chiefs		24,500.00	24,500.00
Chief Clerk and Asst. Clerks		9,000.00	9,000.00
Inspector of Horses		3,500.00	3,500.00
Inspector of Combustibles and Asst. Inspectors		14,800.00	13,200.00
Chemist		3,000.00	2,500.00
Medical Examiner		3,300.00	3,300.00
Supt. of Telegraph, Linemen and Assistants		18,000.00	18,000.00
Supt. of Repairs and Assts		8,900.00	8,500.00
Harness Maker		2.200.00	2,200.00
Chaplains		3,000.00	3,000.00
Fire Captains		94,500.00	94,500.00
Fire Lieutenants		84,000.00	84,000.00
Engineers and Firemen		646,100.00	626,000.00
Fire Pensions		37,964.00	4,150.00
Light, Heat, Supplies and Maintenance		60,000.00	69,600.00
AMUSEMENT BUREAU.			
Salaries:			
Inspectors		5,000.00	3,000.00
BUREAU OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.			
Salaries:			
Superintendent and Assistants		12,900.00	11,100.00
Auto, Maintenance, Printing, Stationery and Supplies.		1,200.00	900.00
FIRE DEPARTMENT.			
Salaries:			
Firemen required to install two-platoon system	$102,000.00	102,000.00	
Utilityman	1,800.00	1.800.00	
Total for Department of Public Safety		$3,304,376.50	$2,921,255.00

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND PUBLIC PROPERTY.

APPROPRIATIONS.

	Appropriations. 1921.	Appropriations. 1920.
EXECUTIVE OFFICE.		
Salaries:		
Director	$7,500.00	$5,000.00
Secretary	3,500.00	3,000.00
Engineer	3,500.00	3,000.00
Chief Clerk, Clerks and Stenographer	7,200.00	7,200.00
Printing and Stationery	1,000.00	1,000.00
BUREAU OF SHADE TREES, PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS.		
Salaries and Wages:		
City Forester	$3,500.00	$3,000.00
Superintendent of Parks	1,800.00	1,800.00
Foreman and Timekeeper	2,500.00	2,200.00
Assistant Clerk	1,300.00	1,300.00
General Foreman	3,000.00	2,500.00
Head Gardener	2,500.00	2,200.00
Foreman, Gardeners, Tree Trimmers, Laborers	90,433.00	81,975.00
Male and Female Instructors	15,356.00	9,000.00
Seasonal Playground Instructors	4,500.00	2,500.00
Attendants and Laborers, Playgrounds	17,986.00	13,058.00
Cart and Wagon Hire	5,142.00	5,142.00
Upkeep and Maintenance, Parks, Lawns, Trees, Etc.	17,000.00	22,000.00
Upkeep of Parks, Ball Fields, Tennis Courts and Additional Equipment	3,500.00	3,500.00
Rent of Shop	600.00	400.00
BUREAU OF PUBLIC BATHS.		
Salaries:		
Superintendent	$2 000.00	$1,800.00
FOURTEENTH STREET BATH.		
Salaries:		
Fireman and Attendants	10,300.00	8,500.00
Insurance	225.00	225.00
Light, Power and Fuel	1,800.00	1,800.00
Repairs and Miscellaneous Supplies	2,200.00	3,400.00

		Appropriations. 1921.	Appropriations. 1920.
COLES STREET BATH.			
Salaries:			
Fireman and Attendants		8,800.00	7,200.00
Insurance		225.00	225.00
Light, Power and Fuel		2,000.00	2,000.00
Repairs and Miscellaneous Supplies		2,500.00	4,000.00
CITY HALL BUILDING BUREAU.			
Salaries:			
Engineer, Firemen, Porters, Cleaners, Elevatormen, Telephone Operators		41,727.50	35,031.00
Insurance		2,800.00	900.00
Light, Power and Fuel		8,000.00	11,000.00
Repairs, Supplies, Snow Removal		2,500.00	10,000.00
Telephone—Switchboard (contract and tolls)		1,500.00	1,500.00
BUREAU OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS.			
Salaries and Wages:			
Inspector, Architectural Draftsman, Masons, Carpenters, and Electricians		25,701.00	22,000.00
Mechanics employed for seasonal work		5,000.00	5,000.00
Laborers, Utilitymen, Etc		14,800.00	15,188.50
Miscellaneous Supplies and Repairs		3,500.00	3,500.00
CITY HOSPITAL BUILDINGS.			
Insurance		3,180.00	1,800.00
Repairs		1,500.00	3,000.00
ISOLATION HOSPITAL BUILDING.			
Insurance		100.00	250.00
Repairs		200.00	500.00
FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY BUILDING.			
Insurance		500.00	500.00
Repairs		1,000.00	1,500.00
MOTHERS' INSTITUTE.			
Repairs and Insurance		250.00	500.00
CITY SCOW.			
Insurance		520.00	520.00
Repairs		100.00	100.00
POORMASTER'S BUILDING.			
Insurance		25.00	25.00
Repairs		200.00	200.00
FIRE DEPARTMENT BUILDINGS.			
Insurance		1,400.00	500.00
Repairs		5 250.00	11,250.00
POLICE DEPARTMENT BUILDINGS.			
Insurance		500.00	800.00
Repairs		3,000.00	5,300.00
RENTAL OF BUILDINGS.			
Second District Court		1,800.00	1,800.00
Labor Bureau		3,500.00	3,500.00
Fourth Regiment Armory (Salaries of Armorer and Superintendent)		1,800.00	1,800.00
Light, Power and Fuel		3,500.00	3,500.00
CITY PLAN BUREAU.			
Surveys and Maps		100.00	100.00
BUREAU OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.			
Salaries:			
Engineer		4,000.00	4,000.00
Mechanical Draftsman		1,200.00	1,200.00
Superintendent of South Cove		2,000.00	2,000.00
Wharfinger of Morgan Street Dock		2,500.00	2,000.00
Watchman, Morgan Street Dock		1,500.00	1,200.00
Repairs, Printing, Stationery and Supplies		2,000.00	4,000.00
Utilitymen (South Cove, Morgan and Howell Street Docks)		4,722.50	3,600.00
PLAYGROUND BUREAU.			
Salary of Industrial Recreation Instructor	$2,500.00	2,500.00	
AMERICAN LEGION CLUBHOUSE.			
Rental	2,400.00	2,400.00	
Lighting	1,200.00	1,200.00	
Fuel and Repairs	4,000.00	4,000.00	
Total for Dept. of Parks and Public Property		$383,843.00	$362,214.50

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the foregoing ordinance entitled "An ordinance relating to the taxes for the year Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-one," be and the same is hereby approved, and the City Clerk is directed to advertise the same, according to law, for hearing thereupon, on Tuesday, January 4, 1921, on which day, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, any persons desirous of being heard thereupon shall appear.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner O'Brien the Board adjourned.

Approved,

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
CHARLES F. X. O'BRIEN,
FRANK HAGUE.
Commissioners

FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF DECEMBER 28, 1920

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, December 28, 1920, at 2 P. M.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

CITY ORDINANCES.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the final passage of the following ordinance: "An ordinance authorizing $20,000 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City" (Construct Sixteenth Street Sewer), the City Clerk read the ordinance, and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of said above described ordinance. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of said above described ordinance.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the ordinance was referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications for permission to erect electric signs at the following described locations:

Dr. Silverstein, 565 Grove Street,
Henry Rawson, 731 Montgomery Street,
Henry Borger, 491 Grove Street,
David Cantor, 262 Newark Avenue,
J. Hammerman, 342 Grove Street,

the City Clerk read each application and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of any of the above described applications. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the granting of any of the above described applications.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Dr. Silverstein to erect electric sign to project eight feet from building line as shown on plan attached to application, at No. 565 Grove Street, Jersey City;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Henry Rawson to erect electric sign to extend eight feet from building line as shown on plan attached to application, at No. 731 Montgomery Street, Jersey City;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Henry Borger to erect electric sign to extend seven feet six inches from building line as shown on plan attached to application, at No. 491 Grove Street, Jersey City;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and

the same is hereby granted to David Cantor to erect electric sign to extend seven feet from building line as shown on blue print attached to application, at No. 262 Newark Avenue, Jersey City;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to J. Hammerman to erect electric sign to extend five feet six inches from building line at No. 342 Grove Street, as shown on plan attached to application;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications for alteration privileges:

American Ice Cream Co., convert present stable into garage at No. 957 West Side Ave.

P. D. Calerie, erect garage in cellar of No. 1968 Boulevard,

the City Clerk read each application and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of any of the above described applications. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to the American Ice Cream Co. to convert present stable into garage, fireproof walls, columns, girders and ceiling, and replace present girders with new girders in two-story frame building, No. 957 West Side Ave., Jersey City, as shown on blue print attached to application; further,

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to P. D. Calerie to erect garage in cellar of 2½-story frame building, No. 1968 Boulevard, Jersey City, as shown on blue print attached to application, provided the street and sidewalk level is not altered in any manner; further,

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the application of the Alex. Morton Lumber Co., lessee, for permission to repair present building, No. 71 Steuben Street, to be used for garage purposes, the City Clerk read the application and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of the application. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the granting of the above described application. The City Clerk advised the Board that the Building Department had approved the application for advertising only.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the application of the Alex. Morton Lumber Co., lessee, for permission to repair present building, No. 71 Steuben Street, to be used for private garage, be and the same is hereby referred to the Mayor and Superintendent of Buildings for investigation and recommendation.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From Melosh, Morten & Melosh, relative to claim of Olof Guffersen of No. 6 Orient Avenue for damages sustained by him, his horse and wagon, caused by Engine No. 19 on October 5 last.

Received and referred to the Director of Public Safety and the Law Department for investigation.

From Minnie Genis, requesting permission to erect brick front and rear extensions, No. 499 Jackson Avenue.

Received.

From John T. Rowland, Jr., architect, requesting permission to erect frame storage shed for Mitchell-Rand Mfg. Co., at the Jersey Avenue yard of the Central R. R. of N. J., being Plot 19, Block 60-863, foot of Jersey Ave.

Received and referred to the Mayor and Superintendent of Buildings for investigation and recommendation.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

From Superintendent of Buildings John Saul, advising the Board that he had issued a permit for the erection of the Central Theatre at 269-275 Central Ave., the plans having been revised as recommended by the Commission appointed by the Board of Commissioners and the Building Department.

Received.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$50.00, T. F. Aaron, signs.

$370.00, American Creosoting Company, blocks.

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$212.68, American Creosoting Company, blocks.

$299.00, M. J. Curley, repairs.

$66.23, Walter J. Coleman, repairs.

$91.08, Walter J. Coleman, repairs.

$10.01, Walter J. Coleman, repairs.

$43.75, John F. Crosby, carrots.

$47.30, J. W. Greene, repairs.

$4.90, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$5.20, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$150.60, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$42.00, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$163.41, Van Keuren Contg. Company, asphalt binder,.

$370.00, American Creosoting Company, blocks.

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$230.60, Ajax Insurance Agency, insurance.

$18.22, Blakeslee Cadillac Company, supplies.

$24.00, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$12.55, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$110.28, Keegan Garage, supplies.

$2.50, Carl Luck, repairs.

$7.60, Nathan & Co., supplies.

$64.00, A. P. Smith Manufacturing Company, supplies.

$324.00, A. P. Smith Manufacturing Company, supplies.

$132.30, Washburn Bros. & Co., supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$2.00, Evening Journal Association, application, Hass.

$48.00, Hudson Observer publishing audit of city books.

$19.24, Evening Journal Association, prop. printing.

$5.25, J. Esposito, locks.

$84.00, Sanborn Map Company, corrections to maps.

$1.80, Hudson Observer, pub. notice, Sussman.

$1.80, Hudson Observer, pub. notice, Foundas Bros.

$1.92, Hudson Observer, pub. notice, Akerley.

$3.52, Hudson Observer, pub. notice, Simpson M. E. Church.

$1.92, Hudson Observer, pub. notice, Hoar.

$3.30, Hudson Observer, pub. notice, Snellgrove.

$1.80, Hudson Observer, pub. notice, Rawson.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, pub. notice, Morten Lumber Company.

$2.00, Evening Journal Association, pub. notice, Hammermann.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, pub. notice, American Ice Cream Company.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, pub. notice, Caleri.

$2.00, Evening Journal Association, pub. notice, Silverstein.

$15.60, Hudson Observer, prop. school bonds.

$18.20, Hudson Observer, prop. printing.

$24.44, Evening Journal Association, hearing, Vulcan Iron works.

$1.92, Hudson Observer, application.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the City Treasurer in payment of the following claims:

$1,039.14, R. H. Perry Coal Co., coal.

$10.50, Carl Luck, lock repair.

$12.60, Thos. Higgins, mop handles.

$22.75, Colgate Company, soap powder.

$17.64, Jos. Flannery, lamps.

$7.80, Jos. Flannery, lamps.

$8.70, Lexington Auto Tire Co., tubes repair.

$17.20, M. Evers, leather.

$35.40, Geo. W. Irving, toilet repair.

$2.75, Henry Reitze, electric material.

$21.00, Jersey City Supply Company, tanks.

$40.85, M. Trachtenberg, glass.

$10.00, Phil Warn, decorating.

$25.00, Geo. Aspinwall, soap powder.

$37.55, Chas. H. Hansen, stationery.

$37.24, Jersey City Lumber Company, spruce.

$98.00, Albert Datz, form printing.

$23.20, Frank Sheer, glass.

$1.75, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$24.30, A. J. Haesloop, nails.

$108.35, Union Printing Company, printing.

$23.50, Jersey City Supply Company, valves.

$7.97, Jersey City Supply Company, material.

$11.27, Jersey City Supply Company, material.

$0.90, Jersey City Supply Company, plates.

$1.80, M. Trachtenberg, glass.

$250.00, Charles N. Lowrie, services.

$72.44, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$13.60, Jersey City Lumber Company, spruce.

$118.00, Jersey City Lumber Company, flooring.

$42.34, Thos. L. Higgins, wire.

$23.52, Jersey City Lumber Company, oak and spruce.

$450.00, A. Lemon, painting.

$16.20, A. B. Kuntz, electric lamps.

$45.75, Western Union Telegraph Company, hire of clocks.

$53.45, W. A. Barclay, furnace repair.

$5.12, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$15.00, W. Trachtenberg, glass.

$7.54, H. J. Reitze, electric supplies.

$4.60, Thos. L. Higgins, material.

$1.20, Thos. L. Higgins, basin stoppers.

$3.97, Thos. L. Higgins, hardware.

$5.50, Cartaret Garage Company, anti freeze.

$7,560.00, Hartung Bros., nursery stock.

$450.00, Hartung Bros., trees.

$191.20, Hartung Bros., trees.

$480.00, William Gotthardt, bulbs.

$485.00, J. I. Hass, painting.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named for the following amounts and purposes:

$580.00, Bergen Horse Company, horses.

$106.98, Blakeslee-Cadillac Company, repairs.

$449.93, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$457.00, S. J. Crawford Company, labor and material.

$5.00, G. D. Davidson Company, repairs.

$34.30, A. Datz Company, printing.

$60.00, A. Datz Company, printing.

$20.00, A. Datz Company, printing.

$70.56, S. R. Fletcher, tubes.

$19.60, Garfunkle Bros., supplies.

$24.50, Garfunkle Bros., supplies.

$48.80, Garfunkle Bros., supplies.

$9.17, Garfunkle Bros., supplies.

$43.50, Great Bear Spring Company, water.

$13.50, J. P. Hall, Inc., sand.

$7.20, T. L. Higgins, supplies.

$15.70, T. L. Higgins, supplies.

$4.20, T. L. Higgins, supplies.

$131.12, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$8.50, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$78.40, P. Jocham Company, repairs.

$189.45, Junction Milling Company, lumber.

$6.00, T. J. Murphy, auto cover.

$145.90, Murphy Tire Company, tires.

$16.09, J. S. Menagh Company, supplies.

$10.30, L. Max & Son, glass.

$47.17, J. H. Ohmer, supplies.

$45.00, H. J. Reitze, cable.

$35.28, Union Printing Company, printing.

$38.22, Union Printing Company, printing.

$33.07, Union Printing Company, printing.

$125.10, Valvoline Oil Co.

$36.84, R. H. Perry Co.

$84.00, Union Printing Co.

$3.95, Garfunkel Bros.

$12.69, Garfunkel Bros.

$4.45, Garfunkel Bros.

$18.53, Garfunkel Bros.

$17.15, Walter J. Coleman.

$3.00, Joseph Flannery.

$96.33, H. Jasper.

$19.11, Thomas L. Higgins.

$8.00, S. Miller.

$42.50, Wm. McKittrick.

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$120.00, Garfunkel Bros.

$4.33, American Atmos Corp.

$45.00, Phil Warm, Jr.

$180.00, Dempsey Bros.

$130.36, Joseph H Browne.

$7.50, Western Union Telegraph Co.

$72.33, Keegan's Garage.

$6.28, Commercial Acetylene Co.

$18.63, Jersey City Storage Battery Co.

$2.76, E. A. Williams & Son

$99.25, Fleischman Bros.

$285.85, J. H. Ohmer.

$330.02, J. H. Ohmer

$16.00, S. F. Hayward & Co.

$258.70, American La France Fire Engine Co.

$5.00, American La France Fire Engine Co.

$51.20, American La France Fire Engine Co.

$100.00, American La France Fire Engine Co.

$686.52, Standard Oil Co.

$682.00, Carscallen & Cassidy.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

PAY ROLLS.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached payrolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being for services rendered during the periods specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS.

From Commissioner Gannon, submitting supplemental debt statement.

Received and ordered filed.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering f. o. b. at Morgan Street Dock, Jersey City, N. J., ten thousand (10,000) specification granite blocks, be and the same is hereby awarded to John Meehan & Son, at the price named in their proposal, namely, $139.50 per M. (one hundred and thirty-nine dollars and fifty cents per thousand), this being the lowest bid; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the contract for the construction of a sewer in Sixteenth Street from a point about 50 feet east of Monmouth Street, to connect with sewer in Jersey Avenue, be and the same is hereby awarded to Grange & Cloan, at the price named in their proposal, namely, 99 per cent. of the standard, they being the lowest bidders; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, contracts for furnishing and delivering Hypochlorite Lime and Liquid Chlorine for treatment of Jersey City Water Supply at Boonton, N. J.; for a period of twelve months from January 1, 1921, to December 31, 1921, be and the same is hereby awarded to Pennsylvania Salt Manufacturing Co., at the price named in their proposal, namely, 150,000 pounds Hypochlorite of Lime, 3¾c. per lb. f. o. b., cars Boonton; 70,000 pounds Liquid Chlorine, 8¼c. per lb., f. o. b., cars Boonton; 5,000 pounds Liquid Chlorine, 8½c. per lb. f. o. b., cars Dover, they being the lowest bidders; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing $20,000 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City.

Whereas, In pursuance of Chapter 152, P. L. 1917, as amended by Chapter 163, P. L. 1918, this Board of Commissioners determines that it is necessary to construct sewer in Sixteenth Street from a point about 50 feet east of Monmouth Street to connect with sewer in Jersey Avenue, and, having received bids, will enter into a contract for the carrying out of said improvement in accordance with plans and specifications which have been or may be adopted from time to time by this Board, after the introduction and passage of this ordinance;

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That, for the purpose of constructing a sewer in Sixteenth Street, between Jersey Avenue and Monmouth Street, the sum of $20,000.00 be and is hereby appropriated and to meet the cost of carrying out the provisions of said contract.

Sec. 2. That, pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 252, P. L. 1916, as amended by Chapter 240, P. L. 1917, and for the purpose of meeting said appropriation, this Board authorizes and directs that $20,000.00 of Temporary Improvement Bonds be issued as the money may be needed, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed six per cent. per annum. Said bonds shall mature in not exceeding six (6) years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment, and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Sec. 3. Said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall state that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing construction of sewer in Sixteenth Street. The other matters in respect of the issuance of said Bonds shall be determined by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Sec. 4. That the said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be paid or funded within six (6) years after the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out.

Sec. 5. That the interest on said Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be raised in the annual tax levy.

Sec. 6. The aforesaid appropriation is to apply to local improvements and as assessment is thereafter to be levied on property in the vicinity thereof benefited or increased in value by reason thereof.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to approve, ratify and confirm an ordinance entitled 'An Ordinance authorizing the issuance of $682,000.00 temporary street improvement bonds of the City and providing for their payment,' finally adopted November 23, 1920, and all acts and things done or to be done in pursuance thereof."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to approve, ratify and confirm an ordinance entitled 'An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $198,000 temporary harbor improvement bonds of the City and providing for their payment,' adopted November 23, 1920, and all acts and things done or to be done in pursuance thereof."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to approve, ratify and confirm an ordinance entitled 'An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $179,000 temporary playground bonds of the City and providing for their payment,' finally adopted November 23, 1920, and all acts and things done or to be done in pursuance thereof."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to approve, ratify and confirm an ordinance entitled 'An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $103,000 temporary fire department improvement bonds of the City and providing for their payment,' finally adopted November 23, 1920, and all acts and things done or to be done in pursuance thereof."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to approve, ratify and confirm an ordinance entitled 'An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $65,000 temporary police department bonds of the City and providing for their payment,' finally adopted November 23, 1920, and all acts and things done or to be done in pursuance thereof."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled

"An ordinance to approve, ratify and confirm an ordinance entitled 'An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $17,000 temporary library bonds of the City and providing for their payment,' finally adopted November 23, 1920, and all acts and things done or to be done in pursuance thereof."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, Douglas J. Rickard, of No. 1 Clinton Avenue, Jersey City, has been certified by the Civil Service Commission as being eligible for the position of Statistician in the Department of Revenue and Finance; therefore be it

Resolved, That Douglas J. Rickard be and he is hereby appointed Statistician in the Department of Revenue and Finance at an annual salary of $3,500.00, effective December 28, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission has certified Thomas J. Fleming, 122 Randolph Avenue, Jersey City, as eligible for appointment to position of Search Clerk; therefore be it

Resolved, That Thomas J. Fleming be and he is hereby appointed Search Clerk in the office of the City Collector, in the Department of Revenue and Finance, at a salary of $2,000.00 per annum, effective December 28, 1920.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners for furnishing and installing of heating apparatus in the American Legion Club House; and

Whereas, The bid of James P. Meehan was the lowest bid received; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for the furnishing and installing of heating apparatus be and is hereby awarded to James P. Meehan, at the price named in his bid, and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for the same.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners on December 14, 1920, for the furnishing and delivering of one 1½-ton motor truck to the Department of Parks and Public Property; and

Whereas, The bid of the Morris Motor Car Company was the lowest bid received in accordance with the specifications, therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for the furnishing and delivering of one 1½-ton motor truck be and is hereby awarded to the Morris Motor Car Company at the price named in their bid and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for the same.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering fifty (50) miles of No. 10 hard drawn copper wire to the Department of Public Safety of Jersey City, be and the same is hereby awarded to Walter J. Coleman at the price named in his bid, namely $3,438.00, that being the lowest bid received, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to have prepared and executed the necessary contracts therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner O'Brien:

Whereas, Lieutenant William Maxwell, Third Precinct, has made application to be retired; and

Whereas, He is under the law qualified to be retired, having served more than twenty years and having reached the age of fifty years; therefore be it

Resolved, That Lieutenant William Maxwell be placed on the retired list, to be effective from January 1st, 1921.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

At this time the City Clerk read the following communication:

"December 28, 1920.

"To the Honorable Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City.

"Gentlemen:—I hereby tender my resignation as Director of Public Safety of the Board of City Commissioners of Jersey City to take effect January 1, 1921.

"Faithfully yours,

"CHARLES F. X. O'BRIEN,
"Director."

After the reading of the foregoing communication, Commissioner A. Harry Moore addressed the Board as follows:

"Mr. Mayor and members of this Commission:—Men have gone out of this commission from time to time. Some have retired to private life and others have been called to their great reward. In this instance here, one of our members has been called to one of the highest positions in the Federal Government. We meet today with a feeling of joy and congratulation. There is also a note of regret because of our more than pleasant associations. We are sorry in one sense, to see Commissioner O'Brien leave our midst. Naturally that regret is because of his genial disposition, his willingness always to aid his fellow Commissioners in any way that he could. Because of his outstanding loyalty to the people who elected him to the high position of Commissioner and because of the friendship that has existed between us, we would indeed depart far from our duty and feeling would we not at this time attempt to indicate to Commissioner O'Brien the feelings which actuated us upon this his last official day in the Commission. There are men whom we are always glad to have with us, because when they leave they leave traces of their visit behind, and your visit, Commissioner O'Brien, of four years, is one of the type that has left traces behind it. Traces of good feeling, traces of friendship and traces of a desire to be of service to the people and to your fellow Commissioners. You have succeeded Commissioner O'Brien, most admirably in all your undertakings, and the record you have made should be a matter of pride, and so on behalf of the Commission, not to harrow your feelings, on behalf of the members of the Commission, it is my very great honor to present to you something which has been made by skilled hands of masters, and we know that as you will look at it and use it on your trips to Washington, where we know you will take your place among the high legislators, and put Jersey City on the map because of your eloquence, we know that you will not look at it only as a gift, but you will see behind it something greater than that which skilled workmen can make, something that God alone can place in the hearts of the people, the feeling of friendship and love. There was a man once who traveled all over the world and in every place he visited he purchased a souvenir and placed each memento over the doors of his rooms so that when he looked at each souvenir he could recall the pleasant visits he had made. So Commissioner O'Brien, when for you the western sun is setting in all its glory and your tired hands lay down the greater tasks, may it indeed be pleasant for you to look back upon this gift and recall your pleasant visit with us.

"My closing thought is contained in the words of that poem which runs something like this: 'There is a gleam in your eye, there is a grip in your hand, there is a note in your voice always new; and we fancy that heaven must be some kind of a place, with a regular fellow like you. Our prayer is that we may live while we live, with a regular fellow like you. So here's to your health, prosperity and success, for fellows of your kind are few. We toast you again. We shall always regret every hour that we miss from a regular fellow like you.'"

Commissioner Fagen followed Commissioner Moore with the following address: "Mr. Mayor and Commissioner O'Brien, just to lend my small, weak voice on such an occasion. I have not the eloquence that our worthy associate, Commissioner Moore has, still I might say that Commissioner O'Brien feels the same today as he did when graduating from school. You, Commissioner O'Brien, are being graduated from a smaller sphere to a larger sphere. You are going to a place that you are well fit for. It is the day that we wish to congratulate you and shake your hand, shower whatever praise we can upon you, and in concluding I can only say 'God bless you.'"

Commissioner Gannon followed with the following remarks: "Mr. Mayor, I wish also to add my felicitations to what was said to our fellow member of the City Commission who is about to leave us. I feel, Commissioner O'Brien, that you have been elevated to a position that you will be able to serve the people in. It is indeed a great pleasure to see that you have been successful in your ambition to be elevated to the position you are about to occupy, and I want to congratulate you upon your record in this City Commission, and upon your appointment and say sincerely as a friend, that nobody wishes you better luck than your friend and fellow member of the City Commission, than myself."

Mayor Hague then arose and made the following address:

"I presume that if I did not make a few closing remarks people would say that I am not in sympathy. However, I know that his ambition in life has been attained. I know that his desire was to be elevated to the halls of Congress and I also know that Commissioner O'Brien desires nothing further. It is indeed with a great deal of pleasure that I sit here and see him submit his resignation, now that he has accomplished the ambition of his life. From the past I know that he is going to make a record in the house of Congress; therefore, it is with my best wishes, I bid him godspeed."

In response to the remarks of the previous speakers, Commissioner O'Brien addressed the Commission as follows: "Mr. Mayor and fellow Commissioners—I have before me a paper on which I have jotted down perhaps a few perfunctory remarks that would be entirely in keeping with the sense of the occasion, but there is not quite enough sentiment in them to satisfy me on this occasion. I don't say that I am completely surprised today. I am surprised to a certain extent in the turn that affairs have taken in connection with this event. I did think there would be expressions of felicitation and congratulation, but the thought that I was to receive a substantial token of remembrance was about the last thing that came to me today. I wish to respond by saying that 'parting is such sweet sorrow.' I regret to leave inasmuch as I must sever such pleasant connections with this Board, and, as the Mayor has so sincerely said, he rejoices as well as the other Commissioners with me in my elevation to the position of national importance. That thought is perhaps satisfying in the knowledge and recollection that the people of Jersey City have given me a vote of confidence which will be reflected in the vote that the present Commission is to receive in the near future. If I may, I would like to submit this paper so that it may become a part of the proceedings of this Commission today. It does not, I know, express all the sentiment within me, because while the Celt is sentimental and emotional, there are times when such individual cannot give real expression to his feelings, but they are in his heart, and when the opportunity presents itself he goes to his opportunity, and at that time he can give it its fullest possible measure of sentiment. That is my devotion today. My heart is bubbling over with sentiment."

The City Clerk then read the following report submitted by Commissioner O'Brien:

"Dec. 28, 1920.

"In submitting my resignation as a member of the governing board of the municipality of Jersey City I do so with considerable regret and no little feeling of personal satisfaction.

"My regret lies in the fact that I am severing my connections with as genial and sincere a body of men as ever attempted to control the municipal affairs of a city. My satisfaction results from the magnificent vote the people of Jersey City gave me in sending me to represent them in Congress. To be a member of the House of National Representatives has been the goal of my ambition for many years, and now that it has been reached I wish to thank again the people of Jersey City for the confidence they placed in me and to reassure them that I will fully endeavor to faithfully represent them as their public servant.

"Moreover, I feel that the time has come when I must look out for the future, and as the duties and responsibilities devolving upon me are many, I must make use of whatever talents or knowledge of the law I possess in earning a competence for my support.

"Let me say emphatically that I believe that no governing body of any city in New Jersey has ever striven more earnestly or honestly to live up to the pledges they made four years ago in their desire to improve conditions in Jersey City. It is not my purpose to review what has transpired here during those years, but when it is considered that untoward and unforeseen obstacles were put in our path such as could never have been foreseen by any human agency, the City Commissioners may take to themselves the assurance that they acted not only faithfully and well, but that their achievements merit the sanction of their own conscience.

"Let me further express the hope that the coming year will contain the best temporal success for the new governing body and that the people of Jersey City may realize to the fullest the actual meaning of the wish for a prosperous and happy New Year."

Commissioner Gannon then moved that the resignation of Commissioner O'Brien as a member of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City and Director of the Department of Public Safety of Jersey City be accepted as of January 1, 1921, with the sincere regrets of the members of the Board.

On rollcall the resignation was accepted by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

Excused: Commissioner O'Brien.

The City Clerk then read the following communication from Corporation Counsel John Milton:

"Dec. 28, 1920.

"Hon. Board of Commissioners, City Hall.

"Gentlemen—I beg to advise you that Mr. John Bentley presented to me his resignation as Corporation Attorney of Jersey City, same to take effect on December 31, 1920.

"I further advise that Mr. Thomas J. Brogan also presented his resignation as Assistant Corporation Attorney, same to take effect on December 31, 1920.

"To fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Bentley, I have appointed Mr. Brogan, at an annual salary of $6,000.

"To fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Brogan, I have appointed Mr. Myron C. Ernst as assistant to myself, at an annual salary of $4,500, the appointment in both instances to take effect January 1, 1921.

"I request that you confirm my action. Very truly yours,

(Signed) "JOHN MILTON."

Received.

Commissioner Fagen then moved the following resolution:

By Commissioner Fagen:

The Honorable Charles F. X. O'Brien having this day tendered to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City his resignation as a member of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, and the same having been accepted to take effect on January 1, 1921, and such resignation having created a vacancy in this Board and in the Department of Public Safety, and it being advisable in the judgment of this Board to fill such vacancy, it is therefore, on motion of Commissioner Michael I. Fagen,

Resolved, That John Bentley of Jersey City, a fit and discreet person in the judgment of this Board, be and he hereby is selected and appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of the said Charles F. X. O'Brien, said appointment to take effect on January 1, 1921;

Further resolved, That said John Bentley be and he hereby is designated as Director of the Department of Public Safety of Jersey City, with all the powers and duties attaching to such department.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, The Corporation Counsel of Jersey City reports to this Board that there is a vacancy in his department caused by the resignation of Corporation Attorney John Bentley, and that he has appointed Thomas J. Brogan to fill said vacancy at an annual salary of $6,000.00, to take effect January 1, 1921; be it

Resolved, That the action of the Corporation Counsel be approved, and the appointment of the said Thomas J. Brogan as Corporation Attorney at an annual salary of $6,000.00, to take effect January 1, 1921, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of John Bentley, be and the same is hereby confirmed.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, The Corporation Counsel of Jersey City reports to this Board that there is a vacancy in his department caused by the resignation of Thomas J. Brogan, Assistant Corporation Attorney, and that he has appointed Myron C. Ernst to fill said vacancy, with the title of Assistant to the Corporation Counsel, at an annual salary of $4,500.00, to take effect January 1, 1921, be it

Resolved, That the action of the Corporation Counsel be approved, and the appointment of Myron C. Ernst as Assistant to the Corporation Counsel at an annual salary of $4,500.00, to take effect January 1, 1921, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Thomas J. Brogan, be and the same is hereby confirmed.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That when this Board adjourns it does adjourn to meet on Saturday, January 1, 1921, at 12 o'clock noon, in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon,
Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the Board adjourned.

Approved:

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
CHARLES F. X. O'BRIEN,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF JANUARY 1, 1921

Minutes of a regular adjourned meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Saturday, January 1, 1921, at 12 o'clock noon.

Present: Commissioner Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

The City Clerk advised the Board that Hon. Charles F. X. O'Brien had tendered his resignation to the Board on December 28, 1920, as Director of the Department of Public Safety of Jersey City, to take effect January 1, 1921, which resignation was duly accepted, and that the Board appointed Mr. John Bentley to fill said vacancy by resolution adopted December 28, 1920, said appointment to take effect January 1, 1921.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the Board of Commissioners proceed to the induction into office of Commissioner-elect John Bentley.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague:

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That three Commissioners of this Board be appointed by the Mayor to act in escorting Commissioner-elect John Bentley forthwith from the office of the Department of Public Safety to this meeting.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

The Chair appointed Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore to act in escorting Commissioner-elect John Bentley to the meeting.

Commissioners Fagen, Gannon and Moore, returning, presented Commissioner-elect John Bentley to the Board.

The City Clerk then read the following certificate:

Jersey City, December 29, 1920.

To Whom It May Concern:

This is to certify that John Bentley was appointed at a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners held on December 28, 1920, to fill the vacancy in the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, caused by the resignation of Charles F. X. O'Brien, Director of the Department of Public Safety of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, and that the said John Bentley has qualified for said office in the manner required by law.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and corporate seal of "The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City" this twenty-ninth day of December, A. D., nineteen hundred and twenty.

(Seal) FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to place the name of John Bentley on the membership roll of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

Commissioner Bentley thereupon took his seat among the Commissioners.

Retiring Commissioner O'Brien then addressed the Board as follows:

"Mr. Mayor, and Members of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City: This is something more than a mere political occasion. It is certainly with a great feeling of regret that I sever today my connections with this Commission, with which I worked so harmoniously for the best interests of the City of Jersey City. That may sound like a stock quotation, but it is absolutely true that every move that was made by this Commission in a municipal manner, was surely for the benefit of the people of Jersey City. I realize that this is not a time for vain, glorious boasting, or sounding our own praises, yet we cannot but take notice of the fact that in the installation of Commissioner Bentley today it marks somewhat of an epoch in the municipal history of Jersey City. If I may be pardoned for using the first personal pronoun, it is only because I wish very briefly indeed to dwell upon what may be of interest, not only to this Commission, but to the people who on a former occasion were very kind to me indeed."

"The office of the Director of Public Safety, while other members of the Commission may disagree with me, is to a large extent the most important office in the City Commission of Jersey City. It is important in the sense that the power and dignity that is connected with it, is at least equal to the office of any other member of this Commission or any other Board of Commission-governed individuals in the State of New Jersey. So, when, as Director of Public Safety of Jersey City, I succeeded the present Mayor of Jersey City, I think I am saying what everybody knows and everybody realizes, that the Police and Fire Departments of Jersey City were on as high a plane of efficiency and honesty as anywhere in the State of New Jersey, and it was no easy matter for a man who succeeded the present Mayor of Jersey City to keep aloft that status, and today, Commissioner Bentley, in my humble way, I am trying to hand to you the commission that I received nearly four years ago, when I was placed at the head of this important department. Fortunately, not only for the benefit of the department itself, but the people of Jersey City, you, Commissioner Bentley, have had army training, and in particular in these days when lives and property are at stake, that training is going to stand you in wonderful stead in managing the affairs in the Police and Fire Departments. The question of duty applies very particularly to the Director of the Department of Public Safety of Jersey City, because the opportunity presents itself so often as standing between so-called friendship and duty to the people of Jersey City, and I venture to opine that any man who has had the training in the greatest organization in the history of the world, the United States Army, will not flinch now or back away from the duties that confront him. One question should be borne in mind as to whether the rights of the men or friendship are superior to the interests of the people of Jersey City, and with your legal acumen and with your own personality, training, faculties and virtues, by reason of appointing you Director of Public Safety, the future for Jersey City, and particularly for the Police and Fire Departments is bright indeed. And, if Commissioner Bentley will live up to, as I know he will, the record that has been established primarily by the Mayor of Jersey City as the first Director of Public Safety of Jersey City, the commission of Director of Public Safety has been entrusted to worthy, clean and able hands, and today, Commissioner Bentley and other members of the Commission, I think I echo the sentiments of the great many people of Jersey City, the vast majority of the people in Jersey City, not only in wishing you a very happy term of office until the Commission election next May, but even in that short time your record will not only vindicate the confidence and respect that this Commission gives you today, but your conduct will be sufficient recommendation for the entire people to say of the entire commission, 'Well done, thou good and faithful servant.' And today the hopes and prayers and good wishes of all of Jersey City go out to you that this indeed may be a prosperous New Year to you and to the people who are fraught with honesty and sincerity in the management of the municipal affairs of Jersey City."

The Mayor then addressed the Board with the following remarks:

"I think it is only fair that the Mayor should talk for the entire Commission. The people must realize that in selecting a successor to the outgoing Director of Public Safety, the welfare of the people of our City must be taken into consideration. We have some very large problems to be solved by this Commission which mean a great deal to the City of Jersey City. To select a man to succeed and to place him as a member of this Commission without the legal training, without familiarizing himself with the duties appertaining to the Commission, I say that it would be a serious mistake. Yes, it would be a very serious mistake for this Commission to select a man not possessing the qualifications that the new Commissioner possesses, not alone to this Commission, but to the entire people and the good name of Jersey City.

"It is true that the people of our city are interested in the Police and Fire Departments. They have demonstrated that on more than one occasion. They demand that these departments be kept clean. They demand that the man who presides over these departments do so, and you can readily see in the conferences held by this Commission in their efforts to select the new member of the Commission, a great deal of thought and consideration was required, and when Captain Bentley's name was presented for consideration to the Commission of Jersey City and his qualifications were considered, he stood alone from all the applicants to succeed Commissioner O'Brien. We had to take into consideration what the qualifications of the new Commissioner should be. Captain Bentley has served the City of Jersey City in the legal department for over seven years. He has taken part in every problem that has been solved by this Commission, and therefore we felt that he alone was the proper man to fill the vacancy. And I want to say to the people of Jersey City, that the Commission is very much interested in the Police Department. The City Commission is very careful in their selection of the man who is to preside over those two departments, the Police and Fire Department, and there is no need of me stating at this time the interest that the Commission has in both of those departments, and if Captain Bentley will follow my advice, he will be just as strict and severe as I was in the management of the Department of Public Safety. The people demand that politics be eliminated from these two departments, and I know that Captain Bentley will live up to the standard that has been laid down not alone by me, but by Commissioner O'Brien. Ladies and Gentlemen, in concluding, I want to congratulate the people of our city in the selection of the Commission of Captain John Bentley as Director of the Department of Public Safety of Jersey City."

In response to the remarks of Commissioner O'Brien and the Mayor, Commissioner Bentley made the following address: "Mr. Mayor and fellow members of the Commission, and Congressman-Elect O'Brien, my friends and fellow citizens of Jersey City: I would be less than human if I were not impressed by what has been said here today. I will enter upon the discharge of my duties with a real realization of the importance of them, and spurred on as I will be by the kind and perhaps unmerited compliments that have been paid me by the two previous speakers. I would be unworthy to live in our city if I did not try my best in conducting the department in a successful manner. I am going to say this to you: My term of office is a very short one, extending a little more than four months. I will not have time to have a comprehensive plan laid out because the time is too short. However, I will familiarize myself with the duties of the Department of Public Safety and with the kind permission of the public, I will endeavor to give the public the best that my efforts will afford. I would like the co-operation of any one in this city who will assist me in the discharge of the affairs of the department. I, of course, will be the ultimate judge, but I will welcome advice, suggestions and information from anybody who can help me to make the Police Department and the Fire Department and other branches of the Department of Public Safety better than they are at present, if that is possible. I realize what it means to take over from Congressman-elect O'Brien a department that as he said was whipped into magnificent shape by the Mayor and has been in that condition during the administration of my predecessor. If I live up to what they have done, I will be discharging my duties properly to you. I may not be able to carry out the duties exactly as they have done, yet I will give the very best that is possible, and I hope that I will not be in your disfavor. To you gentlemen of the Commission, I don't know how to describe my gratitude for the evidence of trust that you have bestowed upon me. I will be glad to work in harmony with you, and to my friends who have honored me with their presence here today, my heart goes out. I am unable to express the feelings that overcome me at the marks of friendship you have extended to me, and I will only say that I will strive to merit your approbation, and wish you all a very happy and prosperous New Year.

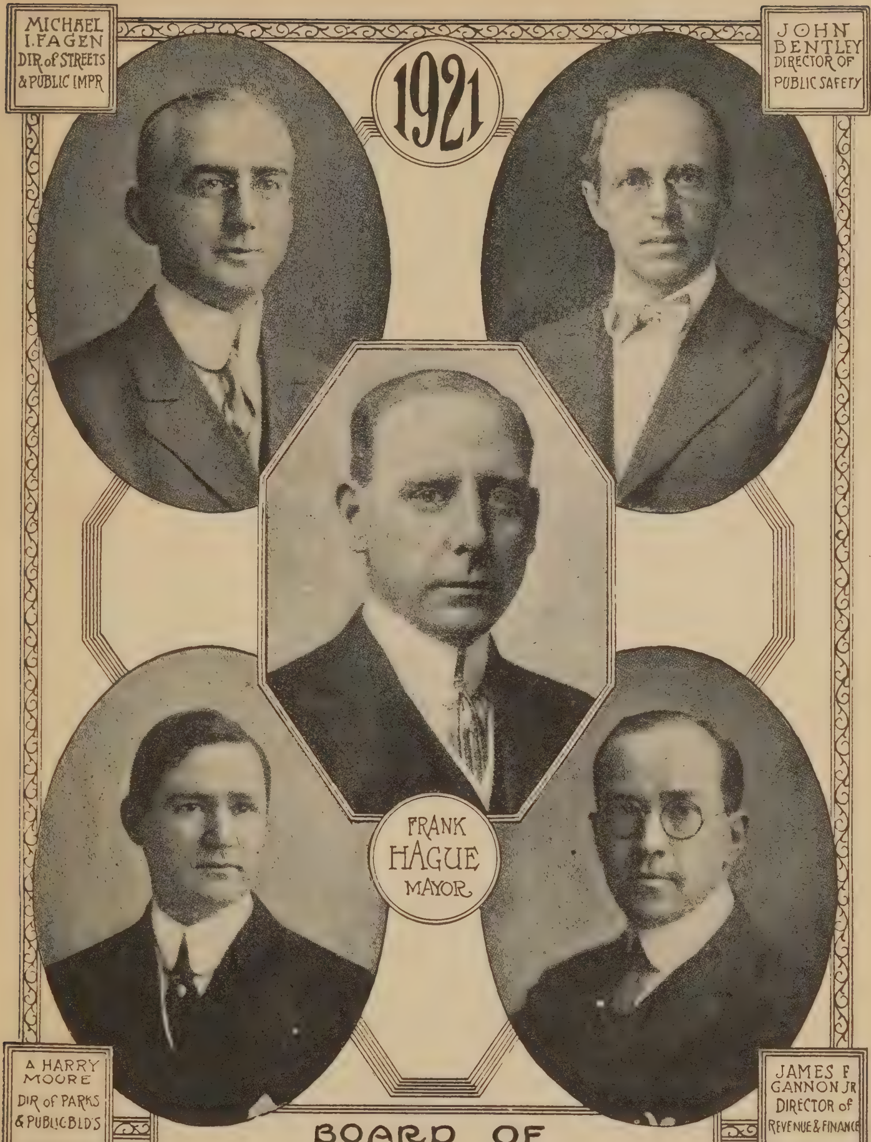
At this time the Mayor extended to the people of Jersey City the best wishes of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City for a cheerful, prosperous New Year.

The City Clerk advised the Board that there was no further business before the Board.

On motion of commissioner Gannon the Board adjourned.

JOHN BENTLEY,
MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

Approved:
FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.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BOARD OF
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JERSEY CITY

Minutes of Meetings

of

Board of Commissioners

January, 1921

MEETING OF JANUARY 4, 1921.

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, January 4, 1921, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

RECEPTION OF BIDS:

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for furnishing material and performing certain work for the various departments of the city government, the City Clerk called for bids with the following result:

300 tons Manure, Dept. of Parks & P. P.

1. J. C. Horse Manure Co., $5.45 per ton, with freeholder surety bond.

2. Howard Doyle, $5.48 per ton, with surety company bond.

200 rolls Hardware Cloth, Dept. P. & P. P.

1. Penn. Metal Co., Inc., $7.48 per roll, with surety company bond (sample submitted).

2. Whipple Hdw. Co., $4.98 per 100 sq. ft. (sample submitted), with freeholder surety bond.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received opened and read, and referred to the Director of the Dept. of Parks and Public Property for investigation and recommendation.

FRANCHISE HEARINGS:

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications for franchise privileges:

Armour & Co. to lay and maintain spur track on Monmouth St. and Sixteenth St.

Armour & Co. to lay and maintain spur track on Eighteenth St.

The City Clerk read each public notice and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against any of the above-described applications. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the applications.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the following described applications for franchise privileges:

Armour & Co., spur track, Monmouth St. and 16th St.

Armour & Co., spur track, 18th St., be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to January 18, 1921, at 2 p. m., in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

The hearing on the following described applications for franchise privileges having been adjourned and continued to this time and place,

M. W. Kellogg, pipe lines, Droyer's Point,
M. W. Kellogg Co., spur track, Droyer's Point,
E. Ferrett Estate, encroachment, 67 Booraem Ave.,
E. Fleckenstein's Sons, pipe line Griffith St. and Cambridge Ave.,

and the City Clerk having caused to be advertised the fact that the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City would consider the final passage of the foreing ordinances at this time and place, the City Clerk then read each ordinance and called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of any of the foregoing ordinances. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances.

On motion of Commissioner Moore, the ordinances were referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the application of Minnie Genis, for permission to erect a three-story brick addition in front and one-story frame extension in rear of No. 499 Jackson avenue, build new partitions and stairs, increasing area of frame building for commercial purposes, the City Clerk read the applcation and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of the application. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the granting of the application.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Minnie Genis, to erect three-story brick addition 6 ft. by 20 ft. by 34 ft. high in front, also one-story frame extension in rear of third floor, to be 12 ft. 8 in. by 15 ft. 2 in. by 12 ft. high, build new partitions and stairs throughout, in three-story store and dwelling two-family frame building No. 499 Jackson avenue, Jersey City, increasing area of frame building for commercial purposes;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and directed to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From Nelson R. Vanderhoof Company, requesting permission, by letter, to alter premises 347-349 Grand Street, for garage purposes.

Received and referred to the Superintendent of Buildings.

From Harry J. Max, requesting permission to build brick extension in front and lower first floor beams; also put in store in Nos. 194-198 Jackson Avenue.

Received.

From National-Central Theatres, Inc., requesting permission to erect one upright electric sign and three signs to go around marquise at Nos. 273-275 Central Avenue.

Received.

From Sarnoff-Irving Hat Stores, requesting permission to erect sheet metal reflector sign at No. 407 Central Avenue.

Received.

From Samuel Schlossberg and Moses Solomon, requesting permission to maintain encroachment on building situated on the southwesterly corner of Central Avenue and Thorne Street.

Received.

From American Sugar Refining Co. and Pennsylvania Railroad Co., requesting permission to maintain single line of railroad track on the easterly side of Warren Street and to construct switch connection with said track and the track of the Pennsylvania R. R. Co.; also on said Warren Street.

Received, and referred to Commissioner Fagen and Corporation Counsel John Milton.

From Jersey City Chamber of Commerce, relative to the acquisition by Jersey City of the Morris Canal property running through Jersey City, in accordance with the terms of the grant made to the Morris Canal and Banking Company in 1824, by which the State can re-acquire the right of way of the canal and the basin by purchase in 1924.

Received and referred to the Corporation Counsel for investigation.

Received and recommendations adopted.

From Superintendent of Buildings John Saul, advising the Board that permission should not be granted to the Mitchell-Rand Mfg. Co. to erect frame building in the Central Railroad yards at the foot of Jersey Avenue, because it will increase the fire hazard.

Rceived.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$254.80, L. A. Bellezza supplies.

$299.00, Michael J. Curley, repairs.

$839.00, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$770.75; Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$5.00, Dobke Typewriter Exchange, repairs.

$9.24, The Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$75.00, General Machine & Iron Works, supplies.

$252.00, General Machine & Iron Works, supplies.

$360.58, James P. Hall, Inc., supplies.

$4.40, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$452.35, The Peter Jocham Company, repairs.

$15.00, August Lentz, horseshoeing.

$7.00, Public Service Gas Company, service.

$69.03, Public Service Electric Company.

$245.54, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$137.64, Stillman & Van Siclen Chemical Lab. Co., Inc.

$366.67, Stillman & Van Siclen Chemical Lab. Co., Inc.

$1,000.00, A. Steiert & Son, machine brooms refilled.

$108.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$3.00, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$29.50, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$180.00, Stillman & Van Siclen Chemical Lab. Co., Inc.

$60.00, Stillman & Van Siclen Chemical Lab. Co., Inc.

$11.50, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

$11.69, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$14.00, Bridget Corcoran, refund.

$10.50, Massimo Fiore, ice.

$2.75, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$30.50, E. Kelly, horseshoeing.

$18.00, M. J. Moran, supplies.

$16.05, Mary Ryan, refund.

$440.00, A. P. Smith Mfg. Co., supplies.

$84.00, Sanborne Map Co., map corrections.

$118.00, the Texas Co., gas.

$298.59, the Texas Co., gas.

$39.17, the Texas Co., gas.

$223.50, Union Printing Co., supplies.

$108.41, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in payment of the following claims:

$315.00, John J. Corcoran, gas heater.

$749.00, George A. Reilly, screenings.

$4.00, Public Service Electric Company, electric service.

$16.50, Public Service Electric Company, electric service.

$1.00, Public Service Electric Company, electric service.

$3.70, Public Service Electric Company, electric service.

$265.00, Public Service Electric Company, electric service.

$174.20, Public Service Electric Company, electric service.

$17.70, Public Service Electric Company, electric service.

$42.60, Public Service Electric Company, electric service.

$30.00, Public Service Electric Company, electric service.

$37.86, Public Service Gas Company, gas service.

$1.26, Public Service Gas Company, gas service.

$59.45, Public Service Gas Company, gas service.

$12.32, Public Service Gas Company, gas service.

$240.00, Junction Milling Company, partitions.

$15.35, Charles H. Engler, roofers.

$4.73, Lincoln Automobile Repair Company, auto parts.

$20.00, Philip A. Tully, cart hire.

$366.20, Walter J. Coleman, electrical repairs.

$223.47, Walter J. Coleman, electrical repairs and material.

$456.00, Joseph F. Ledger, removing stone animals.

$235.00, Henry J. Reitze, electrical repairs.

$250.00, W. A. Barclay, skylight installing.

$399.55, W. A. Barclay, roof repair.

$120.00, Joseph Ledger, removing coping.

$90.00, W. A. Barclay, new radiator.

$375.00, W. A. Barclay, boiler repair.

$157.65, W. A. Barclay, roof repair.

$127.30, S. J. Crawford, new drain.

$217.20, S. J. Crawford, roof repairs.

$364.79, S. J. Crawford, new gas heater.

$8.00, S. J. Crawford, pipe repair.

$59.50, S. J. Crawford, boiler repair.

$20.50, S. J. Crawford, toilet repairs.

$15.40, S. J. Crawford, tank repairs.

$7.50, Thomas L. Higgins, oil.

$3.00, Benjamin Kuperman, glass.

$1.90, Thomas L. Higgins, pail and brush.

$23.00, Benjamin Kuperman, glass.

$4.38, Smith-on Manufacturing Company, cement.

$3,467.50, William Gotthardt, nursery stock.

$2,286.00, J. F. Craig, elevator repair.

$21.84, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$13.92, Thomas L. Higgins, paper and pails.

$5.00, Thomas L. Higgins, scoops.

$1.22, Burroughs Adding Machine Company, repairs.

$2.75, Carl Luck, lock repairs.

$50.00, Lafayette Window Cleaning Company, service.

$29.00, Joseph Browne, towels and fixture.

$8.00, John Kirkpatrick, shoes and pads.

$115.00, Albert Datz, printing.

$31.18, Jersey City Lumber Company, sidings.

$15.00, Carl Luck, lock and keys.

$31.22, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$12.75, New Jersey Paint Works, paint.

$25.00, Benjamin Kuperman, glass.

$55.00, Philip Tully, horse and cart hire.

$59.00, Philip Tully, horse and cart hire.

$88.00, Philip Tully, horse and cart hire.

$64.00, Philip Tully, horse and cart hire.

$5.00, Mrs. Royal, flag repair.

$47.78, F. B. Brill, material.

$36.84, R. H. Perry Coal Company, coal.

$682.85, R. H. Perry Coal Company, coal.

$90.69, A. L. Hunt, elevator repairs.

$482.00, Hartung Brothers, trees.

$50.00, Thomas Finnerty, ice.

$10.05, S. J. Crawford Company, radiator repairs.

$248.00, Arthur Keppler, horse and wagon hire.

$243.00, J. F. Connors, horse and wagon hire.

$7.20, George C. Lavery Company, spruce.

$1.58, Elliott-Kiel Company, chain links.

$1.50, Thomas L. Higgins, saw handles.

$9.00, Joseph Sacks, toilet paper.

$4.20, Thomas L. Higgins, globes.

$13.65, Thomas L. Higgins, brushes and polish.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Director Bentley:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named for the following amounts and purposes:

$10.20, Baker, Murray & Imbrie, Incorporated, auto parts.

$213.70, Barnes Foundry Company, metals.

$55.02, Blakeslee-Cadillac Company, auto parts.

$11.50, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$71.88, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$300.00, John Daly, rent.

$12.00, Albert Datz & Company, printing.

$22.36, Evening Journal Association, supplies.

$9.85, Expert Auto Tire Repair Company, repairs.

$19.50, Thomas Finnerty, supplies.

$31.75, Fleischman Brothers, repairs.

$22.70, Garfunkel Brothers, supplies.

$22.67, David I. Cohen, supplies.

$45.57, Garfunkel Brothers, supplies.

$5.98, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$20.78, Charles F. Hansen, supplies.

$2.85, Charles F. Hansen, supplies.

$20.02, Charles F. Hansen, supplies.

$48.50, William R. Harrison, photos.

$77.00, Chas. Hayes, horseshoeing.

$175.00, Herald Printing Company, printing.

$47.61, Hendee Manufacturing Company, cycle parts.

$1.40, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$138.28, Harry Jasper, supplies.

$37.50, Jersey City Horse Manure Company, service.

$342.40, Peter Joacham Company, repairs.

$319.00, Peter Joacham Company, repairs.

$56.45, A. Kuntz, supplies.

$9.70, Keegan's Garage, supplies.

$12.45, Keegan's Garage, parts.

$77.00, J. Kirkpatrick, horseshoer.

$4.50, Lilly Cup Co., cups.

$99.47, F. R. Lyman, cloths.

$11.25, L. Max & Sons, glass.

$150.00, Etta S. Meyers, rent.

$70.00, O. L. Nordine, horseshoer.

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$15.80, Jerome O'Keefe, sheeting.

$24.55, R. H. Perry Co., coal.

$207.25, Public Service Gas Co., service.

$7.80, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$319.39, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$4.58, C. D. Reese Co., badge.

$10.80, J. T. Sack, supplies.

$42.00, J. T. Sack, supplies.

$45.00, J. T. Sack, supplies.

$48.30, T. J. Sheridan, ice.

$92.25, Underwood Typewriter Co., typewriter.

$108.00, Union Printing Co., stationery.

$42.00, Valvoline Oil Co., oil.

$3.75, N. R. Vanderhoef Co., canvas.

$389.73, J. A. Vill & Son, tires.

$39.00, J. A. Vill & Son, chains.

$179.37, J. A. Vill & Son, supplies.

$79.37, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$32.05, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$18.15, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$3.75, Western Union Telegraph Co., rental.

$12.50, J. C. Wolfe, carpet.

$10.50, John S. Burke, auto license.

$300.70, Public Service Electric Co.

$178.89, Public Service Gas Co.

$6.20, Public Service Electric Co.

$3.10, Public Service Electric Co.

$4.00, Public Service Electric Co.

$2.50, Keegan's Garage.

$197.89, The Peter Jocham Co.

$149.00, Jersey City Auto Mach. Co.

$225.79, Republic Rubber Co.

$1.40, Commercial Acetylene Supply Co.

$10.00, Morris Motor Car Co.

$183.00, L. J. Tonnele.

$30.00, Eckel Bros.

$27.00, Kenneth Apolant.

$80.00, Harry Jasper.

$64.03, Whipple Hardware Co.

$69.83, Whipple Hardware Co.

$45.00, Thos. L. Higgins.

$3.80, Whipple Hardware Co.
$1.00, New York Central R. R.
$60.00, John S. Menagh.
$38.00, John Brennan.
$20.80, Hudson Observer.
$22.05, Union Printing Co.
$20.34, Herald Printing Co.
Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following-named claimants for the amounts and purposes specified:

$47.50, Union Printing Co., printing.
$193.06, M. Weiss & Co., furniture.
$12.80, Joseph P. Sack, supplies.
$17.50, Garfunkel Bros., electrical supplies.
$9.75, J. V. Calley, vegetables.
$61.75, Public Service Gas Co., service.
$6.00, W. R. Holmes, coffee.
$10.75, Thomas J. Stewart Co., cleaning carpets.
$2.00, C. E. Hamblen, oysters.
$78.10, I. Judge, steel mats.
$73.68, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.
$20.00, Union Printing Co., printing.
$36.70, Public Service Electric Co., service.
$20.00, Metropolitan Bldg. & W. C. Co., cleaning windows.
$12.30, Henry Reitze, lamps.
$75.47, J. Decker, milk and cream.
$37.25, M. Miller, hardware supplies.
$137.50, Union Printing Co., printing.
$281.00, John F. Von der Leith, analyzing samples.
$61.45, Charles F. Hansen, stationery supplies.
$24.55, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.
$1.50, John F. Kelly, keys.
$13.20, Initial Apron & Towel Supply Co., towels.
$20.70, Donato Dachillio, ice.
$13.95, John Gorman, ice.
$31.50, Charles F. Hansen, stationery supplies.
$13.95, Thomas Sheridan, ice.
$25.50, A. Zipperstein, disinfectant.
$6.85, H. B. Kuntz, lamps.
$105.50, Palisade Auto Supply Co., tubes and repairing.
$20.66, Alec. Scott, gas and storage of autos.
$26.27, Jersey City Lumber Co., lumber.
$56.00, August Kost, spectacles.
$10.40, Thomas Finnerty, ice.
$63.00, Palisade Auto Supply Co., auto supplies.
$40.00, Joseph Sack, fumigating pans.
$4.80, J. H. Ohmer, flashlights, etc.
$77.00, William Wallace, removing dead animals.
$4.00, Munson Supply Co., speed keys.
$3.30, Success Mfg. Co., hinges.
$33.00, Peter Trainor, collecting dead animals.
$280.00, Union Printing Co., printing.
$1.80, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, Bacillus Bulgarius.
$444.11, the Hudson Co. S. P. C. A., wagon service.
$17.00, the Interstate Map Co., maps.
$133.22, D. Eisenberg, vegetables, etc.
$81.73, W. H. Walthery, pork.
$343.98, Pettit & Reed, butter.
$178.65, David I. Cohen, drugs.
$5.94, Parke, Davis & Co., drugs.
$16.76, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.
$16.20, W. H. Walthery, loins of pork.
$83.10, P. Loffredo, chicken, etc.
$39.45, Charles Hansen, stationery.
$14.40, Whipple Hardware Co., mops
$20.80, D. E. Cleary Co., washing soda.
$91.28, Joseph H. Browne, paper and soap.
$20.71, S. W. Kagen & Co., salt pork.
$417.95, Morris Weisman, butter.
$71.69, Swift & Co., bacon and ham.
$88.91, W. H. Walthery, pork.
$23.80, J. H. Ohmer, waste.
$5.00, Hamilton Market, sauerkraut.
$14.70, L. L. Croner, syrup and Jam.
$128.18, Swift & Co., lambs.
$28.51, McKisson & Robbins, drugs and chemicals.
$105.84, E. B. Skelton, crash.
$95,34, The Kleinhaus Store, cotton, etc.
$1.20, Joseph H. Browne, pepper.

$351.92, General Baking Co., bread.

$75.46, Jerome O'Keefe, muslin.

$391.04, E. B. Skelton, cases and spreads.

$113.86, L. L. Kroner, groceries.

$14.55, Whipple Hardware Co., mops.

$184.67, Hamilton Meat Market, lamb.

$3,184.31, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$130,66, P. Loffredo, lambs.

$299.88, Morris Weismann, eggs.

$339.75, General Baking Co., white bread.

$321.24, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$45.57, Otto Wilkens, supplies.

$6.00, Benjamin Kupperman, window frame.

$326.00, Westinghouse Air Spring Company, shock absorbers.

$3.00 The Battery Service Company, recharging batteries.

$30.80, Otto Wilkens, drugs and supplies.

$402.43, J. L. Decker, milk and cream.

$150.00, N. J. Window Cleaning Company, cleaning windows.

$10.75, Alexander Hamill, repairs.

$185.60, Otto Wilkens, instruments.

$15.73, J. V. Calley, vegetables.

$13.50, Hynson, Westcott & Dunning, benzoate of soda.

$48.61, Mckesson & Robbins Co., cotton oil, etc.

$21.22, William Bill, groceries.

$65.17 Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$18.39, D. E. Cleary Co., groceries.

$9.75, William Bill, groceries.

$71.00, Colgate & Co., soap.

$4.15, Norwich Pharmacal Co., benzoate.

$36.34, McKesson & Robbins, supplies.

$86.64, W. H. Walthery, pork.

$75.60, Jerome O'Keefe, crib spreads.

$124.80, H. W. Baker Linen Co., sheets.

$8.50, G. Y. Lewis, surgeon's caps.

$99.90, The Kny-Scheerer Corporation of America, apparatus parts.

$47.00, The Kleinhaus Store, vests and netting.

$18.75, C. A. Woolsey Works, paint.

$11.00, L. L. Kroner, flour.

$20.50, Thomas L. Higgins, scoops and handles.

$80.35, Valvoline Oil Co., motor oil and grease.

$180.66, Francis H. Leggett & Company, groceries.

$28.22, Otto Wilkens, drugs.

$12.00, Joseph T. Sack, labels.

$6.80, John F. Crosby, vegetables.

$148.84, P. Loffredo, beef and lamb.

$14.00, J. H. Ohmer, alcohol.

$45.50, F. B. Brill, mop wringers.

$54.10, The Kleinhaus Store, stockings.

$101.62, Parke, Davis & Co., drugs.

$16.13, Parke, Davis & Co., drugs.

$235.20, Parke, Davis & Co., cocaine.

$215.50, Lewis Mfg. Co., gauze bandage.

$5.25, Parke, Davis & Co., drugs.

$140.83, Francis H. Leggett & Co., canned goods.

$8.00, Jerome O'Keefe, tape.

$61.28, William Bill, groceries.

$434.34, D. Eisenberg & Co., vegetables.

$271.66, Tom Murray's Shoe Shop, slippers.

$16.25, Jerome O'Keefe, ticking.

$12.70, Loori Bros., drugs.

$23.52, Archbold & Gallagher, toilet paper.

$6.15, Austin, Nichols & Co., groceries.

$2.55, Armour & Co.

$13.15, The Norwich Pharmacal Co., drugs.

$8.00, Thomas L. Higgins, Lifebuoy soap.

$76.70, General Baking Co., bread.

$29.01, William C. Hagen, meat.

$21.44, William Bill, groceries.

$23.95, H. B. Kuntz, lamps.

$16.05, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies

$20.70, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$5.55, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$181.93, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$3.50, W. R. Holmes, tea.

$190.71, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$11.89, D. C. Markus, meats.

$7.78, I. Britten, fish.

$10.26, Hudson Surgical Co., instruments.

$121.85, Ammon & Person, eggs and butter.

$22.00,	John F. Crosby, vegetables.
$38.93,	William Bill, groceries.
$58.37,	William Bill, groceries.
$12.60,	Charles F. Hansen, stationery.
$3.50,	Great Bear Spring Co., cooler and water.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, Lieutenant Eugene Frank of the Jersey City Fire Department has made application to be retired; and

Whereas, He is under the law qualified to be retired, having served more than twenty years, and having attained the age of fifty years; therefore be it

Resolved, That Lieutenant Eugene Frank be placed on the retired list, to take effect January 16th, 1921.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, Patrolman Arthur Bruhn has made application to be retired; and

Whereas, He is under the law qualified to be retired, having served more than twenty years, and having passed the age of fifty years, as required by law; therefore be it

Resolved, That Patrolman Arthur Bruhn be retired on half pay, to take effect January 15, 1921.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, The Director of Public Safety has this day submitted to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City specifications for 12 motorcycles and 24 side cars for use in the Jersey City Police Department; and

Whereas, The Board of Commissioners has approved said specifications; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said specifications, covering motorcycles and side cars, be and they are hereby approved and ordered filed and the City Clerk authorized and requested to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, The Director of Public Safety has this day submitted to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City specifications for touring car for use in the Department of Public Safety; and

Whereas, The Board of Commissioners has approved said specifications; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said specifications, covering one touring car, be and they are hereby approved and ordered filed and the City Clerk authorized and requested to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, The Director of Public Safety has this day submitted to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City specifications for chassis for use in the Jersey City Police Department, and

Whereas, The Board of Commissioners has approved said specifications; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said specifications, covering three patrol wagon chassis, be and they are hereby approved and ordered filed and the City Clerk authorized and requested to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements proposals, three in number, received at meeting of the Board of Commissioners October 5, 1920, for the improvement of Terrace Avenue from Labriskie Street to Lincoln Street with bituminous concrete on concrete foundation, be and they are hereby rejected, the Chief Engineer of the Department having reported to the Director that the bids are excessive.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, proposals, two in number, received at the meeting of the Board of Commissioners October 19, 1920, for regulating and repaving with sheet asphalt on present stone foundation the roadway of Whiton Street between Johnston Avenue and the terminus of the present stone pavement south of Communipaw Avenue and Pine Street between Johnston Avenue and the Newark and New York R. R. (excepting such portions as lie between the tracks and portion now paved with asphalt and asphalt block pavement) be and they are hereby rejected, the Chief Engineer of the Department having recommended to the Director that the bids are excessive.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That His Honor, the Mayor, be and he is hereby authorized and requested to sign, and the City Clerk to attest, and the Corporation Counsel to file in the Register's Office of the County of Hudson, an agreement between Rudolph Carrado, Anthony Maturi and Joseph Machetto and the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, for an easement for sewer and water connections to four certain lots fronting on the Hudson County Boulevard at the southeast corner of Warner Avenue and the said Hudson County Boulevard.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That His Honor, the Mayor, be and he is hereby authorized and requested to sign, and the City Clerk to attest, and the Corporation Counsel to file in the Register's Office of the County of Hudson, an agreement between Harry B. Brockhurst and Mary H. Brockhurst, and the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, in re easement for water and sewer connections to Lots 0 to 25 in Block 1890, on City Assessment Map.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the Public Service Electric Company be and they are hereby authorized to place thirty-six electric arc lights on Grand Street, between Washington Street and Bramhall Avenue, the location to be as shown on the map prepared by the Lamp Inspector and approved by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, in accordance with the terms of contract, and subject to conditions as set forth in resolution passed by the Board of Street and Water Commissioners, April 29th, 1912.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the Public Service Electric Company be and is hereby authorized to place nine electric arc lights on Mercer Street between Baldwin Avenue and Varick Street, the location to be as shown on the map prepared by the Lamp Inspector and approved by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements; in accordance with the terms of contract, and subject to conditions as set forth in resolution passed by the Board of Street and Water Commissioners, April 29th, 1912.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, contract for furnishing and delivering at the Wayne Street Stable—

Twenty (20) dozen Bass Push Brooms, 36 inch;

Three hundred and fifty (350) Machine Brooms to be refilled with best bamboo;

Twelve (12) dozen Broom Handles;

One hundred and fifty (150) dozen 16-inch Bass Push Brooms—

be and the same is hereby awarded to A. Steinert & Son, at the prices named in their proposal, there being no lower bidder; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and requested to fix date for public hearing, and advertise the same as required by law, on application of Moses Solomon and Samuel Schlossberg for permission to maintain encroachment on building owned by them situated on the southwesterly corner of Central Avenue and Thorne Street.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and requested to fix a date for public hearing, and advertise the same as required by law, on application of American Sugar Refining Company and Pennsylvania Railroad Company for permission to maintain and operate single line of railroad track on the easterly side of Warren Street and to construct, maintain and operate such connection with said track and tracks of Pennsylvania Railroad also on said Warren Street.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, The application of the Mitchell-Rand Manufacturing Company for permission to erect frame building on property of the Central Railroad Company of New Jersey, foot of Jersey Avenue (Plot 19, Block 60) was received by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City at meeting held December 28th, 1920, which application was referred to the Superintendent of Buildings for investigation and recommendation; and

Whereas, Said Superintendent of Buildings has returned the application with the recommendation that the erection of such building would increase the fire hazard in that vicinity; therefore be it

Resolved, Upon recommendation of the Superintendent of Buildings, that the application of the Mitchell-Rand Manufacturing Company for permission to erect frame building on property of Central Railroad of New Jersey be and the same is hereby denied, due to the fact that such building will increase the fire hazard.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An Ordinance for the relief of Ed. Fleckenstein's Sons, in the construction and maintenance of steam pipe lines to connect their buildings on Cambridge Avenue and Griffith Street, Jersey City.

Whereas, Application was heretofore filed with the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City by Ed. Fleckenstein's Sons, seeking permission to construct and maintain steam pipe lines to connect their buildings on Cambridge Avenue and Griffith Street, Jersey City, as will more fully appear by the blueprint annexed to the said petition on file in the office of the City Clerk; and

Whereas, A public hearing has been held on said petition after due notice given in accordance with the statute, and there being no objection thereto;

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1.—That Ed. Fleckenstein's Sons be and they are hereby permitted to construct and maintain steam pipe lines, which steam pipe lines are to run as follows: Beginning at a point on the northerly side of Griffith Street in front of the building line known as 116 Griffith Street and from thence southerly from said building line twenty (20) feet; thence running westerly parallel with Griffith Street one hundred and twenty-three (123) feet to a point approximately thirty-three (33) feet westerly from the westerly side of Cambridge Avenue; thence northerly one hundred (100) feet parallel with Cambridge Avenue; thence westerly seventeen (17) feet to the building line of the building known as 81 Cambridge Avenue, Jersey City, in accordance with the plans attached to the petition on file in the office of the City Clerk.

Section 2.—Said steam pipe lines to be about three (3) inches in diameter and to be laid about four (4) feet below the surface of the street, and enclosed in a casing of sectional earthen pipe.

Section 3.—The work herein authorized is to be done in a workmanlike manner and to the satisfaction of the proper department of the city government, and this ordinance is granted upon the express condition that should the surface of the street in front of the premises above described be in any wise interfered with, it shall be restored to its former condition by the said petitioner.

Section 4.—This ordinance shall be in full force and effect for a period of twenty (20) years and thereafter until such time as the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City shall revoke or modify the same; an acceptance of any of the privileges herein contained being a recognition of the right of the City to so amend or revoke,

Section 5.—That all costs and expenses incident to the introduction, passage and publication of this ordinance and the construction and maintenance of the said steam pipes shall be paid by the said Ed. Fleckenstein's Sons.

Section 6.—This ordinance shall not become effective unless an acceptance in writing thereof shall be filed by the beneficiary hereof with the City Clerk within thirty (30) days after receiving notice of the passage thereof.

Section 7.—In consideration of the passage of this ordinance, the beneficiary hereby agrees to assume full, complete and undivided responsibility for any and all injury or damage to persons or property by reason of the laying or maintaining of such steam pipe lines, and to save the city harmless therefrom.

Section 8.—For the privileges herein accorded the said beneficiary shall pay annually in advance to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City the sum of Twenty-five Dollars ($25.00) said payment to be made to the City Comptroller of Jersey City at his office in the City Hall on the first day of February next succeeding the time when this ordinance shall become effective; and this ordinance being for the sole relief of the said Ed. Fleckenstein's Sons in the facilitating of its business, shall not be assigned or permitted to be used by any other person, company or corporation whatsoever, except by the authority or subsequent resolution of this Board.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance for the relief of E. Ferrett Estate, a body corporate of the State of New Jersey, in relation to the encroachment of the building situated on the southwesterly corner of Booraem and Webster Avenues in the city of Jersey City.

Whereas, It has been reported to the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of Jersey City by the petition of the E. Ferrett Estate, a body corporate of the State of New Jersey, that there is erected a certain building on the southwesterly corner of Booraem and Webster Avenues, which building is erected upon Lot 30 in Block 713 and known by street number 67 Booraem Avenue, Jersey City, N. J., which said building encroaches along and beyond the westerly building line of Webster Avenue to the extent of one-fourth inch at the northeasterly corner thereof to four inches at the southeasterly corner thereof, and the bay window of said building encroaches to the extent of 3 feet 4¾ inches as shown upon a survey made by Edward W. Insley & Son dated October 7, 1920, copy of which survey is attached to the petition of the said E. Ferrett Estate; and

Whereas, The said E. Ferrett Estate prays permission to maintain the said encroachment, and a public hearing having been held thereon after due notice given in accordance with the statute, and there being no objection thereto;

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That permission be and the same is hereby granted to the E. Ferrett Estate, a body corporate, its successors and assigns, to maintain the said building now erected on said land as the same now stands, insofar as it relates to the aforesaid encroachment, until such time as the same shall be removed or require a reconstruction or rebuilding, at which time the same shall be made to conform to the building line as established.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, In anticipation of the receipt of taxes to be levied or of taxes levied and not delinquent, this municipality may borrow and have obligations outstanding to provide such moneys as may be necessary to meet its lawful expenditures under the appropriations for the year for which such taxes are levied or are to be levied, to-wit, the fiscal year 1921; therefore, be it

Resolved, That in pursuance of Chapter 192, P. L. 1917, approved March 28, 1917, as amended, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do and they hereby authorize and direct that tax anticipation notes of the city of Jersey City be issued to the amount of $180,000.00 bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum payable July 1, 1921, and at maturity; said notes to be dated January 6, 1921, to become due and payable December 31, 1921, or sooner if called by the city, and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission has certified the name of Thomas B. Kenney as being eligible for appointment as Searcher in the City Clerk's Office; therefore be it

Resolved, That Thomas B. Kenney be and he is hereby appointed as Searcher in the City Clerk's Office, at annual salary of $2,000.00, payable in equal semi-monthly instalments, said appointment to take effect January 1, 1921.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the contract for printing and binding 3,000 reports for the Board of Engineers, Jersey City Development Plan, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Union Printing Company, at the price named in their bid, namely, $21.00 per page, that being the lowest bid received, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to have prepared and executed the necessary contracts therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass.

An Ordinance granting permission to the M. W. Kellogg Company, a corporation, to lay and maintain oil and water pipes under the surface of a portion of certain lands and premises of Jersey City, forming part of Droyer's Point, or at or near the same, and which portion of said lands and premises is to be dedicated as a public street or highway.

Whereas, The M. W. Kellogg Company made application to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City by petition for permission to lay and maintain oil and water pipes under the surface of a portion of certain lands and premises of Jersey City at or near Droyer's Point, beginning at a point in the westerly line of certain lands to be conveyed to the M. W. Kellogg Company approximately two hundred (200) feet southerly from the northwesterly corner of the tract of land so to be conveyed, running thence in a westerly direction south seventy-five degrees twenty minutes (75" 20') west to the bulkhead at the easterly shore of the Newark Bay, approved by the Secretary of War May 10, 1915; said petition having annexed thereto and made a part thereof a plan showing the proposed location of such oil and water pipes, and the said Board of Commissioners having duly advertised the same and having held a public hearing for objections thereto; and

Whereas, No reason appears why said permission should not be granted; now, therefore,

The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do now ordain:

Section 1. Permission is hereby granted to the M. W. Kellogg Company, a corporation, to construct or cause to be constructed and maintained pipes for the transportation of oil and water under the surface of certain lands and premises owned by Jersey City at or near Droyer's Point and which said lands form part of a tract of land to be dedicated to public use as a street or highway.

Sec. 2. Said pipe shall be constructed of iron or steel, shall not exceed sixty-six inches (66") in diameter, shall be placed not less than three (3') feet below the established surface grade of the street so to be indicated, and the several pipes shall be laid parallel and adjacent to the northerly line of such proposed street, occupying a total width of not more than twenty-two (22') feet, all as shown upon blue print annexed to the petition of said M. W. Kellogg Company.

Sec. 3. There shall be reserved to and retained in the City full and complete use of the surface of the lands under which said pipes are to run, subject to the privilege or franchise to operate railroad tracks thereover desired by said company; provided, however, that the use of such surface shall not be such as to prevent the M. W. Kellogg Company from having free access at all times to said pipes so as to repair or remove the same.

Sec. 4. The ordinance granting this privilege, except as herein provided, to be in full force and effect for a period of twenty years; that no work of construction shall be begun hereunder until an acceptance of this ordinance shall be filed with this Board in the manner required by law.

Sec. 5. Refusal by the beneficiary under this ordinance to comply with any of the obligations or requirements expressed or implied in any section hereof shall constitute sufficient reason for the amendment or revocation hereof, and the subsequent removal of any pipe laid under the provisions hereof without recourse by said beneficiary for damage of any character.

Sec. 6. In accepting the privilege of this ordinance and the operating and maintenance hereby authorized, the beneficiary hereunder hereby agrees to assume full, complete and undivided responsibility for any and all injury or damage to persons or property by reason of such operation, and to hold the City harmless therefrom.

Sec. 7. In case the City shall within the life of this ordinance change the legal grade of said proposed street, the beneficiary hereunder shall and does waive any right to damage to its pipes and structure caused by said change.

Sec. 8. For the privilege herein accorded the beneficiary hereunder shall pay annually to the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey Ctiy the sum of One Hundred Dollars ($100.00), proper proportions of which payment shall be made semi-annually in advance to the Comptroller of Jersey City at his office in the City Hall upon the first days of February and August next succeeding the date when this ordinance becomes effective, and all costs and expenses incident to the introduction, passage and publication of this ordinance shall be paid by the applicant.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance granting permission to the M. W. Kellogg Company, a corporation, to lay and maintain a certain track or siding upon and along certain lands of Jersey City, forming part of Droyer's Point.

Whereas, The M. W. Kellogg Company made application to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City by written petition for permission to lay and maintain a certain railroad track or siding upon and along certain lands of Jersey City, forming part of Droyer's Point and into the property of the company, beginning at a point in the westerly line of said property to be conveyed by Jersey City to said company, said beginning point being fifty (50) feet southerly from the northerly line of a certain portion of such lands which are to be dedicated as a public highway or street and running in a westerly direction south seventy-five (75) degrees twenty (20) minutes west to the bulkhead line of the easterly shore of Newark Bay approved by the Secretary of War May 10, 1915; said petition having annexed thereto and made a part thereof a plan showing the proposed location of said track or siding, and said Board of Commissioners having duly advertised the same and having held a public hearing for objections thereto; and

Whereas, No reason appears why said permission should not be granted;

Therefore, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. Permission is hereby granted to the M. W. Kellogg Company, a corporation, to construct or cause to be constructed and maintained a certain railroad track or siding along said lines, starting at a point in the westerly line of said property owned by Jersey City and forming part of the so-called "Droyer's Point" tract, said beginning point being fifty (50) feet southerly from the northerly line of said proposed street and running in a westerly direction south seventy-five (75) degrees twenty (20) minutes west and to the bulkhead line of the easterly shore of Newark Bay approved by the Secretary of War May 10, 1915, in the manner shown upon the plan annexed to the said petition presented to and filed with this Board.

Section 2. That the said railroad track or siding hereby authorized to be laid in the manner shown on the plan attached to said application shall be constructed and maintained in such a manner as to afford the least inconvenience to the public, and any operation and maintenance hereunder shall, during the entire period and life of this ordinance be subject to regulation by properly constituted City authorities. The beneficiary under this ordinance shall also protect any and all portions of any public or private sewer or sewers, and any water pipes now laid or hereafter to be laid in said proposed streets or other public property over which it may be necessary to place the track or siding herein authorized, against any damage by reason of the construction or maintenance of said track.

The municipal authorities shall have the right at any time to enter upon the roadway traversed by the said track and structure, to examine, repair, relocate, restore and install any municipal property.

Section 3. The City hereby reserves the right at any time during the life of this ordinance to grant similar privileges to other applications, and in so doing to permit and require the use in common, under reasonable regulations, of the aforedescribed track or siding or any portion thereof.

Section 4. In accepting the privilege of this ordinance, and the operating and maintenance hereby authorized the beneficiary hereunder hereby agrees to assume full, complete and undivided responsibility for any and all injury or damage to persons or property by reason of such operation and to hold the City harmless therefrom.

Section 5. The ordinance granting this privilege to be of full force and effect, except as hereinafter provided, for a period of twenty (20) years, but no work or construction shall be begun until an acceptance hereof shall be filed with the Board in the manner required by law.

Section 6. Refusal by the beneficiary hereunder to comply with any of the obligations or requirements expressed or implied in any section hereof shall constitute sufficient reason for the amendment or revocation hereof and the subsequent removal of any tracks laid under the provisions hereof without recourse of the said beneficiary for damage of any character.

Section 7. For the privilege herein accorded the beneficiary hereunder shall pay annually in advance to the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City the sum of One Dollar ($1.00), which payment shall be made to the Comptroller of Jersey City at his office in the City Hall on the first day of February next succeeding the date when this ordinance becomes effective.

Section 8. In case the City shall, during the life of this ordinance, change the legal grade of said proposed street the beneficiary hereunder shall waive any right to damage to its railroad track and structure caused by such change.

Section 9. All costs and expenses incident to the introduction, passage and publication of this ordinance shall be paid by the applicant.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, In order to properly draw contract and specifications for the improvement of Droyers Point, according to the plans presented by the Director of Parks and Public Property and approved by the Commission, it is necessary to make soundings, drive test piles, make surveys, etc.; be it

Resolved, That out of the sum of $650,000, appropriated for this purpose by the Commission the sum of $12,500 be made available immediately and that the Director of Parks and Public Property be and he is hereby authorized to have the necessary surveys and soundings made and test piles driven.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the specifications presented to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, as prepared by the Medical Director of Jersey City, for furnishing and delivering linen, flannel, etc., to Jersey City Hospital, be and the same are hereby adopted, and ordered filed and the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the specifications presented to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, as prepared by the Medical Director of Jersey City, for furnishing and delivering six food carriers and fourteen milk urns, to Jersey City Hospital, be and the same are hereby adopted, and ordered filed and the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

This time and place having been fixed, and the City Clerk having caused to be advertised the fact that a public hearing would be held, as required by law, when any tax payer of the city might present objections to the passage of an ordinance entitled: "An ordinance relating to taxes for the year nineteen hundred twenty-one," the City Clerk read the public notice of hearing and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the passage of said above described ordinance.

Alexander C. Clerihew of No. 203 Hoboken Avenue, Jersey City appeared before the Board and stated that he was a certified public accountant and that in connection with his business, he was desirous of obtaining information relative to the various items in the budget.

Commissioner Gannon replied to Mr. Clerihew's inquiries.

The City Clerk then read a communication received by him from J. Harvey Murphy, president of the Men's Club, Central Avenue Reformed Church, in which he stated that he was unable to attend the budget hearing today and urging the Board to reconsider the items in the budget carefully and cut down materially the appropriations made especially for new jobs.

In answer to the foregoing communication, Commissioner Fagen, Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, stated that in the compilation of the budget the Board of Commissioners adhered to strict economy; that the budget of each of the city departments was cut to the bone, and that no appropriations had been made for the so-called new jobs.

Rev. James B. Parker of the United Presbyterian Church, appeared before the Board and requested information on the various items as set forth in the budget. The members of the Board of Commissioners replied to Dr. Parker.

The City Clerk then called for anyone else who might desire to protest against the passage of the budget.

No one else appeared to protest and

no further written protests were received.

Commissioner Gannon advised the Board at this time that in the preparation of the budget, certain figures were not ascertainable because the fiscal year had not closed, and since the close of said fiscal year the books showed certain balances which would increase the total of "Miscellaneous Revenues." Thereupon, on motion of Commissioner Gannon, the following amendments were incorporated into the budget under the caption of "Miscellaneous Revenues":

		Instead of
5. District Court fees..	$13,000	$12,000
7. Health Bureau pmts	9,000	8,000
9. Sewer and street opening permits...	6,000	5,000
10. Int. on bank deposits	55,000	30,000
12. Special priv. granted to corporations and individuals	14,000	12,000
16. Criminal Court fines	13,500	12,000

Commissioner Fagen then moved that the hearing on the ordinance relating to the taxes for 1921 be closed, and the ordinance as amended be adopted, which motion was seconded by Commissioner Moore.

The Mayor took occasion to thank the citizens who appeared at the hearing for the interest displayed by them in attending such hearing.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance relating to taxes for the year nineteen hundred and twenty-one.

Be it ordained by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City that there shall be assessed, raised by taxation and collected for the fiscal year 1921 the sum of Five Millions Four Hundred Fifty-seven Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety and 91/100ths Dollars ($5,457,890.91) for the purpose of meeting the appropriations set forth in the following statement of the resources and appropriations for the fiscal year 1921:

RESOURCES.

Surplus revenue appropriated	$1.900,000.00
Miscellaneous revenues ...	1,185,300.83
Amount to be raised by taxes	5,457,890.91
Total resources	$8,543,191.74

BUDGET APPROPRIATIONS.

Appropriations	$8,543,191,74

This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

AN ORDINANCE RELATING TO TAXES FOR THE YEAR NINETEEN HUNDRED AND TWENTY-ONE

BE IT ORDAINED by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City that there shall be assessed, raised by taxation, and collected for the fiscal year 1921, the sum of FIVE MILLION FOUR HUNDRED AND EIGHTY-NINE THOUSAND THREE HUNDRED AND NINETY and 91-100ths Dollars (5,489,390.91), for the purpose of meeting the appropriations set forth in the following statement of resources and appropriations for the fiscal year 1921.

RESOURCES.

Surplus Revenue Account $1,900,000.00

Revenues which are required by law to be applied to specific purposes, to wit:

Permits issued by Bureau of Combustibles and Fire Risks—Dedicated to Firemen's Pension Fund.

Criminal Court Motor Vehicle Fines—Dedicated to State of New Jersey.
Sundry Criminal Court Fines—Dedicated to Police Widow's Pension Fund.
Hunting and Fishing Licenses—Dedicated to State of New Jersey.

		1921.	1920.
ANTICIPATED REVENUES:			
Surplus Revenue Appropriated......................		$1,900,000.00	$1,425,000.00
MISCELLANEOUS REVENUES:			
1. Jitney Licenses..............................	$40,000.00		
2. Public Service Car Licenses.................	1,900.00		
3. Marriage Licenses..........................	3,000.00		
4. Trade Licenses.............................	7,500.00		
5. District Court Fees........................	13,000.00		
6. Search Fees................................	8,000.00		
7. Health Bureau Permits......................	9,000.00		

8. Building Bureau Permits	15,000.00		
9. Sewer and Street Opening Permits	6 000.00		
10. Interest on Bank Deposits	55,000.00		
11. Interest on Deferred Taxes	250,000.00		
12. Special privileges granted to corporations and individuals	14,000.00		
13. Hudson & Manhattan R. R. Co	5,000.00		
14. South Cove	17,000.00		
15. Morgan Street Dock	20,000.00		
16. Criminal Court Fines	13,500.00		
17. N. J. State Franchise Taxes	266,083.60		
18. Gross Receipts from Public Utilities Corporation in Lieu of Personal Property Taxes	370,445.00		
19. Poll Taxes	7,100.00		
20. From Water Acct. for Water Sinking Fund Installments per Chapter 212, Section 15, P. L. 1917	63,772.23	1,185,300.83	914,621.46
(The above is offset by appropriations for Water Sinking Funds of $63,772.23.)			
Amount to be raised by Taxes		5,457,890.91	5,560,267.66
		$8 543,191.74	$7,899,889.12

APPROPRIATIONS.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS.

	Appropriations. 1921.	Appropriations. 1920.
EXECUTIVE OFFICE:		
Salaries:		
Mayor	$8,000.00	$5,500.00
Deputy Director	6,000.00	4,000.00
Stenographers	6,000.00	6,000.00
Claims—		
Memorial Day Celebration	2,500.00	1 050.00
Printing Stationery and Supplies	1,000.00	800.00
MAIN HOSPITAL:		
Administration—Salaries:		
Medical Director	4,000.00	4,000.00
Secretary	3,000.00	2,500.00
Assistant Superintendent, Clerks, Stenographers, Telephone Operators, Hall-man, Technicians, Sanitary Inspector, Investigators	21,100.00	25,600.00
Professional Care of Patients—Salaries.		
Superintendent of Nurses, Assistant Superintendents, Supervising Nurses, Night Supervisor, Pupil Nurses, Male Nurses, Druggist and Assistant, Orderlies, Radiologist, Pathologist, Instructor, Services of Internes, Laboratory Assistant, Cleaner for Chemical Laboratory	93,600.00	63,300.00
Ambulance Corps—Salaries:		
Chauffeurs and Ambulance Drivers	10,680.00	9,480.00
Housekeeping—Salaries:		
Matron, Seamstresses, Linen Room Attendant, Cleaners, Utility-men, Porters	36,685.00	38,940.00
Kitchen—Salaries:		
Storekeeper, Steward, Chief Cook and Cooks, Kitchen Helpers, Waitresses, Butcher	26,560.00	24,880.00
Laundry—Salaries:		
Foreman, Checker, Laundrymen, Laundresses	14,880.00	15,180.00
Power House—Salaries:		
Chief Engineer, Assistant Engineer, Fireman, Elevator Man, Night Watchman, Carpenter	26,520.00	28,880.00
Administration—Expenses:		
Printing, Stationery, Telephone, Office Supplies	6,000.00	6 000.00
Professional Care of Patients:		
Training School, including books, prizes and uniforms for nurses, Alcohol and Whiskey, X-Ray Supplies, Uniforms for Doctors, etc	7,600.00	9,000.00
Medical and Surgical Supplies	15,500.00	18,000.00

Department Expenses:		
Maintenance of Ambulances, Repairs, Housekeeping Supplies, Linen, Kitchen Supplies, Utensils, Silver, Laundry	17,500.00	17,500.00
Steward's Department:		
Bread, Rolls, Milk, Cream, Groceries, Butter, Eggs, Fruit, Vegetables, Meat, Poultry, Fish	95,000.00	96,000.00
General House and Property Expenses:		
Electric Light Supplies, Oil, Waste, Fuel, Gas, Ice, Tools, Window Cleaning	24,000.00	43,000.00
ISOLATION HOSPITAL.		
Salaries.		
Medical Inspector, Supervising Nurse, Nurses, Orderlies, Cooks, Waitresses, Laundresses, Utilityman, Cleaners	20,760.00	17,157.50
Maintenance and Supplies:		
Bread, Meat, Fish, Groceries, Milk, Ice, Gas, Electricity, Coal and Wood, Dry Goods, Dishes and Utensils, Telephone, New Furnishings	17,785.00	15,635.00
HEALTH BUREAU.		
Sanitary Division—Salaries:		
Health Officer, Clerks, Stenographers, Sanitary Inspectors, Milk Inspectors, Veterinarian, Plumbing Inspectors, Chemists, Utilityman, Cleaners, Scow Captains, Laboratory Assistant, Driver and Remover of Dead Animals, Plumber	82,700.00	79,200.00
Maintenance and Supplies:		
License Plates, Permit Books, Printing, Stationery, Reports, Advertising Ordinances, Towing and Maintenance of City Scow, Clean-up Week, Repairs to Equipment, Expressage, Railway Fare, Board, Hire of Vehicles for County Milk Inspectors, Plumbing Inspection Work, Laboratory Equipment and Supplies, Storage of Automobiles, Hudson County District Society Prevention Cruelty to Animals	22,653.00	19,044.00
Medical Division—Salaries:		
Chief Medical Officer, Diagnostician, Medical Inspectors, Supervising Nurses, Public Health Nurses, Health Investigators, Stenographer	56,900.00	54,900.00
Parochial Schools:		
Printing and Supplies	2,000.00	2,000.00
Division of Communicable Diseases:		
Vaccine, Antitoxin, Neo Salvarsan, Carfare for Nurses, Postage, Medical Supplies, Anti Rabies Treatment, Printing and Stationery	19,500.00	18,000.00
DIVISION OF CHILD HYGIENE.		
Mothers' Institute and 12 Infant Welfare Stations.		
Salaries:		
Chief of Division, Medical Inspectors, Supervising Nurse, Assistant Nurses, Clerk, Stenographer, Laundresses, Cleaners, Asst. Chief Dietitian, Utilityman, Nursemaids, Cook	66,400.00	63,358.00
Maintenance and Supplies:		
Rental, Light, Telephone, Fuel, Food, Printing, Stationery, Carfare, Equipping and Establishing New Stations	17,790.00	16,710.00
BUREAU OF MUNICIPAL RELIEF.		
Salaries:		
Superintendent, Assistant Superintendents, Keeper, Investigator, Stenographer, Clerk, Janitress	14,000.00	14,000.00
Relief of Outdoor Poor	18,000.00	18,000.00
Office Supplies, Printing, Stationery, Transportation of Inmates, Maintenance of Auto and Ambulance	1,800.00	1,800.00
BUILDING INSPECTION BUREAU.		
Salaries:		
Superintendent, Chief Inspector and Assistants, Clerks, Plan and Record Custodian	29,800.00	26,900.00
Printing, Stationery, Printing Revised Building Code, Incidentals	2,500.00	2,500.00

MAIN HOSPITAL.		
Professional Care of Patients—Salaries:		
5 Supervising Nurses @ $1,200	6,000.00	
10 Pupil Nurses @ $30 per month	3,600.00	
30 Pupil Nurses @ $20 per month	7,200.00	
3 Orderlies @ $1,200	3,600.00	
Housekeeping—Salaries:		
1 Seamstress	720.00	
13 Utilitymen at $1,080.00	14,040.00	
Kitchen.		
4 Kitchen Helpers, Male, @ $900.00	3,600.00	
Laundry:		
1 Laundry Superintendent	2,500.00	
1 Painter	2,200.00	
1 Electrician	2,200.00	
1 Oiler	1,500.00	
1 Mattress Maker	2,200.00	
HEALTH BUREAU.		
Sanitary Division—Salaries:		
1 Clerk	1,800.00	
6 Investigators @ $5.50 per diem each	11,880.00	
1 Junior Clerk	1,800.00	
1 Assistant Clerk	1,500.00	
1 Laboratory Assistant	1,500.00	
Bureau of Municipal Relief:		
4 Investigators @ $1,400	5,600.00	
Total for Dept. of Public Affairs	$872,153.00	$768,814.50

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND FINANCE.

APPROPRIATIONS.

	Appropriations. 1921.	Appropriations. 1920.
EXECUTIVE OFFICE.		
Salaries:		
Director	$7,500.00	$5,000.00
Deputy Director	4,000.00	4,000.00
Secretary	3,000.00	2,500.00
Stenographer and Senior Clerk	2,000.00	2,700.00
Messenger	1,800.00	1,800.00
Municipal Publicity and Advertising	5,000.00	10,000.00
Railroad Tax, Litigation, Real Estate and Personal Property Appraisal	10,000.00	20,000.00
Printing, Stationery, Miscellaneous Supplies	10,000.00	10,000.00
Contingent Expenses	15,980.00	75,000.00
CITY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE.		
Salaries:		
City Collector	5,000.00	4,000.00
Chief Clerk	3,500.00	3,500.00
Deputy Personal Tax Collector	2,000.00	2,000.00
Auditor of Receipts	2,500.00	2,500.00
Clerks	30,000.00	30,500.00
Search Clerks	6,000.00	6,000.00
Stenographer	1,800.00	1,200.00
BUREAU OF TAX ASSESSMENTS.		
Salaries:		
Board of Tax Assessors	20,000.00	15,000.00
Secretary	1,500.00	1,200.00
Chief Clerk and Assistant Clerks	37,850.00	36,200.00
Clerk—Pensioned	600.00	600.00
Assistant Surveyor and Map Tracers	6,100.00	6,100.00
Stenographer	1,200.00	1,200.00
CITY COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE.		
Salaries:		
Deputy Comptroller	5,000.00	5,000.00
Chief Clerk	3,500.00	3,500.00
Bookkeepers	6,000.00	5,500.00
Auditor of Receipts	3.000.00	2,500.00
Clerks	6,500.00	6,600.00
Utilityman	None	1,700.00
BUREAU OF AUDITOR OF SCHOOL DISTRICT.		
Salary of Utilityman	3,000.00	2,500.00

CITY TREASURER'S OFFICE.			
Salaries:			
Deputy Treasurer		4,000.00	3,750.00
Cashiers		4,600.00	4,600.00
Clerks		3,800.00	3,800.00
CITY COLLECTOR'S OFFICE.			
Custodian of Records	$2,000.00	2,000.00	
BUREAU OF TAX ASSESSMENTS.			
Statistician	3,500.00	3,500.00	
Four Investigators at $1,500.00 each	6,000.00	6,000.00	
COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE.			
Stenographer	1,500.00	1,500.00	
Investigator of Tax Titles	2,300.00	2,300.00	
Custodian of Records	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Senior Clerk	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Search Clerk	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Record Clerk	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Total for Department of Revenue and Finance		$240,030.00	$280,450.00

APPROPRIATIONS.

DEBT SERVICE.

		Appropriations. 1921.	Appropriations. 1920.
GENERAL BONDS.			
3½% Fire House Serial, due January 1, 1921	$1,000.00		
5% City Hall, due January 1st, 1921	20,000.00		
3¾% School Site Serial, due March 1st, 1921	1,500.00		
4% Public Square Serial, due March 23d, 1921	1,000.00		
4% Funding Assessments Serial, due July 1st, 1921	4,166.66		
4% Funding Assessments Serial, due July 1st, 1921	1,711.82		
4½% Refunding Serial, due September 1st, 1921	9,000.00		
4½% School Serial, due September 1st, 1921	10,000.00		
4¾% School (Series A) Serial, due December 1st, 1921	39,000.00		
4¾% School (Series B) Serial, due December 1st, 1921	4,000.00		
4% Floating Debt Serial, due December 31st, 1921	59,539.00	150,917.48	150,917.48
TEMPORARY IMPROVEMENT BONDS.			
Bond No.			
339 Additional land Jersey City Hospital	$5,130.00		
340 Additional land Jersey City Hospital	3,000.00		
352 Ten new motorcycles, Police Dept	3,749.30		
386 New athletic field, Montgomery Park	15,000.00		
Repaving Washington Street	7,200.00	34,079.30	216,280.00
EMERGENCY BONDS.			
32 Judgment—Carscallen & Cassidy	7,740.60		
33 Purchase of War Memorial Design	5,000.00		
34 Development Plan for Jersey City	10,000.00		
35 New Filtering Plant for Coles Street Bath	3,251.00		
36 Memorial Day Celebration	3,000.00		
37 Repairs to Asphalt Streets	20,000.00		
38 Hudson & Manhattan R. R. rate contest	10,000.00		
39 Election Expenses	27,000.00	85,991.50	55,211.04
Interest on Funded Debt		815,338.52	715,174.71
Interest on Temporary Bonds and Promissory Notes		523,716.77	331,269.51
Interest on Tax Revenue Bonds of 1920		60,000.00	100,000.00
Interest on Emergency Bonds		3,000.00	2,208.44
Interest on Tax Revenue Bonds of 1917		None	4,000.00
Interest on Tax Revenue Bonds of 1918		None	14,000.00
Interest on Tax Revenue Bonds of 1919		None	30,000.00
Interest on Tax Anticipation Notes of 1921		100,000.00	
General Sinking Fund Installments per Certificate for 1921	$239,056.44		
Less amount used from Sinking Fund Surplus	119,528.22	119,528.22	121,738.29
Water Sinking Fund Installments per certificate for 1921		63,772.23	127,554.46
Total, Debt Service		$1,956,344.12	$1,868,343.93

MISCELLANEOUS.

Abatement of Taxes for 1920	$154,000.00	$246,466.82
Free Public Library	150,000.00	141,957.20

CITY CLERK'S OFFICE.

Salaries:			
City Clerk		$6,000.00	$5,000.00
Assistants to City Clerk		5,800.00	5,600.00
Clerks		36,030.00	32,200.00
Office Printing and Supplies		8,500.00	8,500.00
Municipal Primary and General Election		23,000.00	4,000.00
Printing Minutes		5,000.00	4,000.00
Proclamations, etc.		3,500.00	3,500.00
Salaries:			
City Marshal	$2,500.00	2,500.00	
Total for City Clerk's Office		$90,330.00	$62,800.00

LEGAL AND JUDICIAL.

LAW DEPARTMENT.			
Salaries:			
Corporation Counsel		$8,000.00	$8,000.00
Corporation Attorney		6,000.00	6,000.00
Assistants to Corporation Counsel		19,000.00	19,000.00
Clerks		5,000.00	5,000.00
Stenographers		4,600.00	4,600.00
Services rendered to all Departments		5,000.00	5,000.00
Custodian of Records	$1,800.00	1,800.00	
Sr. Clerk and Stenographer	1,500.00	1,500.00	
DISTRICT COURT.			
Salaries:			
Judges		8,000.00	8,000.00
Clerks		12,000.00	9,800.00
Sergeants-at-Arms		3,600.00	2,250.00
Printing, Stationery and Supplies		1,000.00	1,000.00
Total for Legal and Judicial		$76,000.00	$68,650.00

PURCHASING DEPARTMENT.

Salaries:		
Purchasing Agent	$4,000.00	$3,750.00
Storekeeper	3,250.00	3,250.00
Stenographer	3,300.00	2,700.00
Clerks	11,020.00	8,600.00
Printing, Stationery and Supplies	1,000.00	1,000.00
Total for Purchasing Department	$22,570.00	$19,300.00

LABOR BUREAU.

Salaries:		
Superintendent	$2,500.00	$2,500.00
Labor Investigator	2,300.00	2,300.00
Clerks	4,700.00	4,400.00
Utilityman	1,800.00	1,500.00
Total for Labor Bureau	$11,300.00	$10,700.00

JITNEY TRAFFIC BUREAU.

Salaries:		
Inspector	$1,800.00	$1,800.00
Starter and Assistant Starters	12,600.00	10,800.00
Night Supervisor	2,100.00	1,800.00
Printing, Stationery and Supplies	500.00	500.00
Mechanical Supervisor	2,500.00	2,500.00
Total for Jitney Traffic Bureau	$19,500.00	$14,900.00

SINKING FUND COMMISSION.

Salaries:		
Secretary	$1,800.00	$1,800.00
Printing and Stationery	200.00	200.00
Total for Sinking Fund Commission	$2,000.00	$2,000.00

COMMISSION ON BUILDING DISTRICTS AND RESTRICTIONS.

Salaries:			
Secretary		$3,500.00	$2,750.00
Draughtsman			1,000.00
Printing, Stationery, Office, Supplies, Advertising, Rent, Telephone, Miscellaneous		6,400.00	3,545.00
Salary of one Commissioner	$3,000.00	3,000.00	
Salaries of two Commissioners at $2,500.00 each	5,000.00	5,000.00	
One Investigator	2,100.00	2,100.00	
Total for Commission on Building Districts and Restrictions		$20,000.00	$7,295.00

JERSEY CITY DEVELOPMENT BUREAU.

Salaries:	
Secretary	$5,200.00
Architectural and Engineering Draftsman	3,500.00
Architectural and Engineering Draftsman	3,380.00
Special Investigator	3,900.00
Architectural Designer (temporary)	1,000.00
2 Transitmen at $250.00 per month (temporary	1,000.00
4 Chainmen at $175.00 per month (temporary)	1,400.00
4 Plotters at $150.00 per month (temporary)	1,200.00
1 Stenographer and Statistical Clerk	2,080.00
Stationery, Blue Prints, Drafting and Office Supplies, Furniture, One Ford Auto, Publication of Reports, Miscellaneous	6,540.00
Total for Jersey City Development Bureau	$29,200.00

DEPARTMENT OF STREETS AND PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

APPROPRIATIONS.

	Appropriations. 1921.	Appropriations. 1920.
EXECUTIVE OFFICE.		
Salaries:		
Director	$7,500.00	$5,000.00
Deputy Director	4,000.00	4,000.00
Chief Clerk	4,500.00	4,500.00
Stenographer	1,600.00	1,600.00
Utilityman	None	1,800.40
Maintenance and Supplies	2,500.00	2,500.00
ENGINEERING BUREAU.		
Salaries and Wages:		
Chief Engineer, Asst. Engineers, Rodmen, Draftsmen, Chairmen, Transitmen, Utilitymen, Stenographer and Chauffeur	52,950.00	52,650.00
Maintenance and Supplies	4,000.00	4,000.00
BUREAU OF STREET LIGHTING.		
Salaries:		
Inspectors and Utilitymen	7,998.00	6,174.00
Municipal Street Lighting (Contract)	189,415.62	178,099.17
Maintenance and Supplies	1,500.00	1,100.00
BUREAU OF HEALTH AND SANITATION.		
Salaries:		
Inspector and Assistant Inspector	15,600.00	13,000.00
Removal of Ashes and Garbage	162,000.00	130,000.00
Maintenance and Supplies	1,000.00	1,000.00
BUREAU OF CLEANING SEWERS AND BASINS.		
Salaries and Wages:		
Superintendent, Foreman, Sewermen, Laborers, Drivers, Watchmen, Utilitymen	56,461.00	51,296.50
Maintenance and Supplies	3,000.00	3,000.00
STREET CLEANING BUREAU.		
Salaries and Wages:		
Asst. Superintendents, Clerks, Timekeepers, Tool Clerk, Foremen, Stable Foremen, Stablemen, Drivers, Laborers, Repairmen, Utilitymen, Washers and Cleaners	337,787.50	368,864.50
Maintenance and Supplies:		
Feed for horses, horeshoeing, insurance, repairs to equipment, office supplies, light, power, new harness, new blankets	84,550.00	109,575.00
Repairs to Wayne Street Stable	1,000.00	1,500.00

BUREAU OF SIDEWALK REPAIRS.		
Salary:		
Sidewalk Inspector	2,100.00	1,800.00
Sidewalk Repairs by Contract	3,000.00	5,000.00
Miscellaneous Expense	200.00	200.00
BUREAU OF ASSESSMENTS.		
Salaries:		
Commissioners of Assessment	7,500.00	7,500.00
Secretary	2,250.00	2,250.00
Draughtsman	2,800.00	2,800.00
Maintenance and Supplies	125.00	125.00
BUREAU OF STREET REPAIRS.		
Salaries and Wages:		
Superintendent, Foremen, Utilitymen, Mason, Pavers, Rammers, Laborers, Drivers, Inspectors	139,105.00	78,205.00
Maintenance and Supplies	45,000.00	32,000.00
Repairs over Street Openings	5,000.00	5,000.00
Carts and Horses	None	2,000.00
BUREAU OF MOTOR VEHICLES.		
Equipment	1,000.00	1,000.00
MISCELLANEOUS.		
Street Signs	3,000.00	3,000.00
Yearly Sewer and Path Rentals	3.00	3.00
Repairs to Asphalt Pavement out of guarantee	60,000.00	40,000.00
Repairs to Montgomery Street Shed	1,000.00	1,000.00
Rebuilding Laidlaw Avenue Steps	None	1,600.00
EXECUTIVE OFFICE.		
Salary:		
Clerk $2,100.00	2,100.00	None
Total for Dept. of Street and Public Improvements	$1,211,545.12	$1,124,742.17

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY.

APPROPRIATIONS.

	Appropriations. 1921.	Appropriations. 1920.
EXECUTIVE OFFICE.		
Salaries:		
Director	$7,500.00	$5,000.00
Deputy Director	5,000.00	4,000.00
Secretary	3,500.00	2,500.00
Stenographer	2,500.00	2,500.00
Incidentals for Director	6,000.00	5,000.00
POLICE DEPARTMENT.		
Salaries:		
Chief of Police	5,500.00	5,500.00
Inspectors	13,800.00	13,800.00
Captains	36,000.00	36,000.00
Lieutenants	162,000.00	152,000.00
Round Sergeants, Detectives, Patrolmen	1,667,500.00	1,449,600.00
Police Surgeons	10,000.00	10,000.00
Asst. Laborers	10,037.00	6,205.00
Matron	1,200.00	1,200.00
Janitresses	11,000.00	11,000.00
Chief Clerk, Clerks and Stenographers	14,800.00	12,300.00
Superintendent Signal System	3,300.00	3,300.00
Drill Master	2,300.00	2,300.00
City Physicians	6,300.00	6,300.00
Chaplains	3,000.00	3,000.00
Police Pensions	78,200.00	91,000.00
Light, Heat, Maintenance and Supplies	70,000.00	75,000.00
Detention Home for Juveniles	1,500.00	1,500.00
Utilitymen	5,475.00	1,500.00
POLICE DEPARTMENT.		
Salaries:		
Painter	2,400.00	2,400.00
Wire Man $2,200.00	2,200.00	
CRIMINAL COURTS.		
Salaries:		
Judges	9,000.00	9,000.00
Court Clerks	5,000.00	5,000.00
Court Attendants	8,400.00	8,400.00
Printing, Stationery, Telephone, etc	800.00	500.00

FIRE DEPARTMENT.			
Salaries:			
Chief of Fire Department		5,500.00	5,500.00
Deputy Chiefs		9,000.00	9,000.00
Battalion Chiefs		24,500.00	24,500.00
Chief Clerk and Asst. Clerks		9,000.00	9,000.00
Inspector of Horses		3,500.00	3,500.00
Inspector of Combustibles and Asst. Inspectors		14,800.00	13,200.00
Chemist		3,000.00	2,500.00
Medical Examiner		3,300.00	3,300.00
Supt. of Telegraph, Linemen and Assistants		18,000.00	18,000.00
Supt. of Repairs and Assts		8,900.00	8,500.00
Harness Maker		2,200.00	2,200.00
Chaplains		3,000.00	3,000.00
Fire Captains		94,500.00	94,500.00
Fire Lieutenants		84,000.00	84,000.00
Engineers and Firemen		646,100.00	626,000.00
Fire Pensions		37,964.00	4,150.00
Light, Heat, Supplies and Maintenance		60,000.00	69,600.00
AMUSEMENT BUREAU.			
Salaries:			
Inspectors		5,000.00	3,000.00
BUREAU OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.			
Salaries:			
Superintendent and Assistants		12,900.00	11,100.00
Auto Maintenance, Printing, Stationery and Supplies		1,200.00	900.00
FIRE DEPARTMENT.			
Salaries:			
Firemen required to install two-platoon system	$102,000.00	102,000.00	
Utilityman	1,800.00	1,800.00	
Total for Department of Public Safety		$3,304,376.50	$2,921,255.00

DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND PUBLIC PROPERTY.

APPROPRIATIONS.

	Appropriations. 1921.	Appropriations. 1920.
EXECUTIVE OFFICE.		
Salaries:		
Director	$7,500.00	$5,000.00
Secretary	3,500.00	3,000.00
Engineer	3,500.00	3,000.00
Chief Clerk, Clerks and Stenographer	7,200.00	7,200.00
Printing and Stationery	1,000.00	1,000.00
BUREAU OF SHADE TREES, PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS.		
Salaries and Wages:		
City Forester	$3,500.00	$3,000.00
Superitnendent of Parks	1,800.00	1,800.00
Foreman and Timekeeper	2,500.00	2,200.00
Assistant Clerk	1,300.00	1,300.00
General Foreman	3,000.00	2,500.00
Head Gardener	2,500.00	2,200.00
Foreman, Gardeners, Tree Trimmers, Laborers	90,433.00	81,975.00
Male and Female Instructors	15,356,00	9,000.00
Seasonal Playground Instructors	4,500.00	2,500.00
Attendants and Laborers, Playgrounds	17,986.00	13,058.00
Cart and Wagon Hire	5,142.00	5,142.00
Upkeep and Maintenance, Parks, Lawns, Trees, etc	17,000.00	22,000.00
Upkeep of Parks, Ball Fields, Tennis Courts and Additional Equipment	3,500.00	3,500.00
Rent of Shop	600.00	400.00
BUREAU OF PUBLIC BATHS.		
Salaries:		
Superintendent	$2,000.00	$1,800.00
FOURTEENTH STREET BATH.		
Salaries:		
Fireman and Attendants	10,300.00	8,500.00
Insurance	225.00	225.00
Light, Power and Fuel	1,800.00	1,800.00
Repairs and Miscellaneous Supplies	2,200.00	3,400.00
COLES STREET BATH.		

Salaries:			
Fireman and Attendants		8,800.00	7,200.00
Insurance		225.00	225.00
Light, Power and Fuel		2,000.00	2,000.00
Repairs and Miscellaneous Supplies		2,500.00	4,000.00
CITY HALL BUILDING BUREAU.			
Salaries:			
Engineer, Firemen, Porters, Cleaners, Elevatormen, Telephone Operators		41,727.50	35,031.00
Insurance		2,800.00	900.00
Light, Power and Fuel		8,000.00	11.000.00
Repairs, Supplies, Snow Removal		2,500.00	10,000.00
Telephone—Switchboard (contract and tolls)		1,500.00	1,500.00
BUREAU OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS.			
Salaries and Wages:			
Inspector, Architectural Draftsman, Masons, Carpenters and Electricians		25,701.00	22,000.00
Mechanics employed for seasonal work		5,000.00	5,000.00
Laborers, Utilitymen, etc		14,800.00	15,188.50
Miscellaneous Supplies and Repairs		3,500.00	3,500.00
CITY HOSPITAL BUILDINGS.			
Insurance		3,180.00	1,800.00
Repairs		1,500.00	3.000.00
ISOLATION HOSPITAL BUILDING.			
Insurance		100.00	250.00
Repairs		200.00	500.00
FREE PULIC LIBRARY BUILDING.			
Insurance		500.00	500.00
Repairs		1.000.00	1.500.00
MOTHERS' INSTITUTE.			
Repairs and Insurance		250.00	500.00
CITY SCOW.			
Insurance		520.00	520.00
Repairs		100.00	100.00
POORMASTER'S BUILDING.			
Insurance		25.00	25.00
Repairs		200.00	200.00
FIRE DEPARTMENT BUILDINGS.			
Insurance		1,400.00	500.00
Repairs		5,250.00	11,250.00
POLICE DEPARTMENT BUILDINGS.			
Insurance		500.00	800.00
Repairs		3,000.00	5,300.00
RENTAL OF BUILDINGS.			
Second District Court		1,800.00	1,800.00
Labor Bureau		3,500.00	3,500.00
Fourth Regiment Armory (Salaries of Armorer and Superintendent)		1.800.00	1,800.00
Light, Power and Fuel		3,500.00	3,500.00
CITY PLAN BUREAU.			
Surveys and Maps		100.00	100.00
BUREAU OF PUBLIC UTILITIES.			
Salaries:			
Engineer		4,000.00	4,000.00
Mechanical Draftsman		1,200.00	1,200.00
Superintendent of South Cove		2,000.00	2,000.00
Wharfinger of Morgan Street Dock		2,500.00	2,000.00
Watchman, Morgan Street Dock		1,500.00	1,200.00
Repairs, Printing, Stationery and Supplies		2,000.00	4,000.00
Utilityman (South Cove, Morgan and Howell Street Docks)		4,722.50	3,600.00
PLAYGROUND BUREAU.			
Salary of Indus. Recreation Innstructor	$2,500.00	2,500.00	
AMERICAN LEGION CLUBHOUSE.			
Rental	2,400.00	2,400.00	
Lighting	1,200.00	1,200.00	
Fuel and Repairs	4,000.00	4,000.00	
Total for Dept. of Parks and Public Prpoerty		$383,843.00	$362,214.50

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as being ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:
Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen, the Board adjourned.

Approved:

JOHN BENTLEY,
MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, Jr.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

FRANK A. NOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF JANUARY 11, 1921

Minutes of a Regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, January 11, 1921, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Absent: Mayor Hague (excused).

In the absence of the Mayor, Commissioner Gannon, Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and Vice-Mayor, presided.

CITY ORDINANCES.

This time and place having been advertised as required by law, for the purpose of considering the final passage of the following described ordinances:

"An ordinance to approve, ratify and confirm an ordinance entitled 'An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $188,000 Temporary Harbor Improvement Bonds of the City and providing for their payment,' finally adopted November 23, 1920, and all acts and things done or to be done in pursuance thereof."

"An ordinance to approve, ratify and confirm an ordinance entitled 'An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $179,000 Temporary Playground Bonds of the City and providing for their payment,' finally adopted November 23, 1920, and all acts and things done or to be done in pursuance thereof."

"An ordinance to approve, ratify and confirm an ordinance entitled 'An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $65,000 Temporary Police Department Bonds of the City and providing for their payment,' finally adopted November 23, 1920, and all acts and things done or to be done in pursuance thereof."

"An ordinance to approve, ratify and confirm an ordinance entitled 'An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $17,000 Temporary Library Bonds of the City and providing for their payment,' finally adopted November 23, 1920, and all acts and things done or to be done in pursuance thereof."

"An ordinance to approve, ratify and confirm an ordinance entitled 'An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $103,000 Temporary Fire Department Improvement Bonds of the City and providing for their payment,' finally adopted November 23, 1920, and all acts and thing done or to be done in pursuance thereof."

"An ordinance to approve, ratify and confirm an ordinance entitled 'An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $682,000 Temporary Street Improvement Bonds of the City and providing for their payment,' finally adopted November 23, 1920, and all acts and things done or to be done in pursuance thereof."

The City Clerk read each ordinance and then called for any one who might might desire to protest against the passage of any of the above described ordinances. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the ordinances were referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications for permission to erect electric signs:

National-Central Theatres, Inc., one upright electric sign to extend 8 feet from building line, also three signs to go around marquise, at Nos. 273-275 Central Avenue.

Sarnoff-Irving Hat Stores, one sheet metal reflector sign to extend 8 feet from building line at No. 407 Central Avenue.

The City Clerk read each application

and then called for any one who might desire to protest against the granting of the application.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the granting of any of the above described applications.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to the National-Central Theatres, Inc., to erect one upright electric sign to extend 8 feet from building line, also three signs to go around marquise at Nos. 273-275 Central Avenue, Jersey City, as shown on blue print attached to application;

Further Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to the Sarnoff-Irving Hat Stores to erect sheet metal reflector sign to extend 8 feet from building line at No. 407 Central Avenue, Jersey City, as shown on blue print attached to application;

Further Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From R. J. Miller, requesting permission to erect electric sign to extend seven feet from building line at No. 412 Jackson Avenue.

Received.

From John W. Taylor, requesting the city to provide quarters for Mr. P. D. Panoulias, who is successfully treating various diseases free of charge.

Received and referred to Dr. John Nevin, Medical Director of Jersey City.

From George J. Gannon, thanking the Board for the use of the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, for the purpose of issuing automobile licenses for the year 1921.

Received.

From National-Central Theatres, Inc., requesting permission to construct marquee at No. 269-275 Central Avenue; further requesting temporary permit to proceed with the work pending final disposition of the matter by the Board.

Received.

From Maria C. Goss, requesting permission to maintain encroachment on one-family dwelling situated at the southeast corner of Charlotte Street and St. Pauls Avenue, being lot 1, block 1202.

Received.

OFFICERS COMMUNICATIONS.

From Superintendent of Buildings, submitting annual report for the year ending December 31, 1920.

Received and ordered filed.

From Superintendent of Buildings, submitting report for the month of December, 1920.

Received and ordered filed.

From Board of Trustees, Police Pension Fund (Widows), submitting report showing financial condition of the fund from July 1, 1920, to January 1, 1921.

Received and ordered filed.

From Chief Engineer and Commissioners of Assessment, submitting final assessment map and report for the following improvements:

Hutton Street, between Hudson Boulevard and Liberty Avenue.

Seaview Avenue between Garfield Avenue and Princeton Avenue.

Received.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following-named persons in the amounts indicated:

$57.12, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

$903.52, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$42.50, Thomas J. Miskel, horseshoeing.

$1,000.00, A. Steinert & Son, machine brooms refilled.

$19.80, The Texas Co., supplies

$12.47, Neptune Meter Company, supplies.

$370.00, American Creosoting Company, supplies.

$372.52, American Creosoting Company, supplies.

$420.00, L. A. Bittighofer, supplies.

$73.00, L. A. Bittighofer, supplies.

$963.77, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$315.00, W. T. S. Crichfield, curb.

$9.00, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$79.00, William R. Harrison, photographs.

$22.50, Chas. Hayes, horseshoeing.

$34.50, John J. Howard, horseshoeing.

$139.49, James P. Hall, Inc., supplies.

$58.60, E. B. Haskins, supplies.

$247.80, The Peter Jocham Company, repairs.

$252.35, The Peter Jocham Company, repairs.

$60.93, The Peter Jocham Company, repairs.

$61.52, Keuffel & Esser Company, supplies.

$4.00, E. Kelly, horseshoeing.

$291.50, C. J. Lutton, horseshoeing.

$48.00, Tom Murray's Shoe, Inc., boots.

$37.42, P. S. Electric, service.

$12,667.12, P. S. Electric, service.

$1,614.28, P. S. Gas, service.

$77.00, J. F. Sullivan, horseshoeing.

$72.50, James Sweeney, horseshoeing.

$76.50, Richard Stanton, horseshoeing.

$80.00, Stillman & Van Siclen, tests.

$70.02, J. H. & R. Shannon, removing flagging.

$9.25, The Texas Company, supplies.

$345.63, Graham Van Keuren, blocks.

$24.50, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

$415.80, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

$3.60, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$3.60, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$176.40, F. A. Anthracite, wood.

$8.60, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$81.25, Boonton Feed & Supply Company, supplies.

$12.00, Town of Boonton, services.

$104.85, E. B. Dawson Company, supplies.

$1.50, Eimer & Amend, supplies.

$320.82, Expert Auto Tire Repair Company, supplies.

$1,300.25, Fagan Iron Works, supplies.

$812.18, Fagan Iron Works, supplies.

$60.45, Thos. Fallon, insurance.

$9.48, Thos. Fallon, insurance.

$120.86, Hersey Mfg. Co., supplies.

$2.65, J. W. Harrison, supplies.

$76.28, Jos. F. Hurley, insurance.

$4.50, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$10.80, Initial Apron & Towel Supply Company, service.

$144.64, Keegan's Garage, supplies.

$272.15, Henry T. J. Moran, insurance.

$154.35, Tom Murray Shoe Company, supplies.

$43.90, P. S. Electric Company, service.

$69.34, P. S. Gas Company, service.

$4.00, P. S. Electric Company, service.

$76.86, Rollfs Realty Company, insurance.

$484.65, A. P. Smith Mfg. Company, supplies.

$85.50, The Texas Company, supplies.

$275.87, The Texas Company, supplies.

$65.55, The Texas Company, supplies.

$1.56, Herman F. Trautmann, newspapers.

$10.46, Wallace & Tiernan, supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagan, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named for the following amounts and purposes:

POLICE.

$150 27, J. H. Browne, supplies.

$18.00, J. E. Carlock, wood.

$47.00, A Datz Company, printing.

$13.93, Garfunkle Brothers, supplies.

$301.64, Garfunkle Brothers, wire.

$41.65, Walter J. Coleman, cable.

$15.36, H. Jasper, batteries.

$54.84, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$16.70, L. Max & Son, glass.

$281.85, Mutual Service Company, stationery.

$23.25, J. O'Keefe, canvas.

$195.81, R. H. Perry Company, coal.

$6 08, C. D. Reese, badge.

$45.08, J. T. Sack, supplies.

$43.78, Valvoline Oil Co, oil.

$48.00, J. A. Vill & Son, supplies.

$175.00, J. H. Walter, tuition.

$8.50, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

$47.87, L. Max & Son, glass.

$41.60, Valvoline Oil Company.

$184.15, R. H. Perry & Co.

$113.56, R. H. Perry & Co.

$24.55, R. H. Perry & Co.

$151.62, R. H. Perry & Co.

$122.76, R. H. Perry & Co.

$137.50, R H. Perry & Co

$2 50, Albert Kuntz.

$4.20, Garfunkel Brothers.

$176.40, Albert Datz.

$602.23, Carscallen & Cassidy.

$194.75, J. E. Carlock.

$205.20, I. Judge.

$48.00, C. J. Lutton.

$629.90, Standard Oil Company.

$3.70, Standard Oil Company.

$5.55, Standard Oil Company.

$5.55, Standard Oil Company.

$4.63, Standard Oil Company.

$2.78, Standard Oil Company.

$22.35, James J. Donohue.

$105 84, D. J. O'Brien.

$156.00, S. F. Hayward & Co.

$51.70, S. F. Hayward & Co.

$133.00, American-La France Fire Engine Company.

$99.00, American-La France Fire Engine Company.

$129.00, American-La France Fire Engine Company.

$231.00, American-La France Fire Engine Company.

$259 13, Wedlake-Lamson Company.

$430.00, Wedlake-Lamson Company.

$485.50, Wedlake-Lamson Company.

$16.80, Wedlake-Lamson Company.

$2.50, Wedlake-Lamson Company.

$4.95, A. J. Picard & Co.

$2.00, Jersey City Storage Battery Company.

$11.66, American Bosch Magneto Corporation.

$3.64, Jersey City Supply Company.

$5.00, Pintsch Compressing Company.

Adopted.

Yeas:—Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays:—None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$119.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$29.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$300.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$18.50, Great Bear Spring Company, water.

$4.00, Great Bear Spring Company, water.

$1.50, Great Bear Spring Company, water.

$10.47, New York Telephone Company, service.

$12.32, New York Telephone Company, service.

$22.95, New York Telephone Company, service.

$18.00, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$18.00, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$19.14, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$448.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$30.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$72.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$72.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$320.90, Union Printing Company, printing.

$5.50, Underwood Typewriter Company, machine rental.

$3.45, Union Towel Supply Company, towel service.

$58.25, Belle Meade Garage, auto supplies.

$57.35, Belle Meade Garage, auto supplies.

$1.00, Great Bear Springs Company, water.

$56.45, Harry T. Clark, repairing sewer.

$1,272.13, U. S. Mortgage & Trust Company, preparing bonds.

$17.75, Charles K. Hart, water rents.

$27.44, Charles L. Munch, insurance.

$84.00, Sanborn Map Company, corrections to maps.

$36.00, Sanborn Map Company, corrections to maps.

$70.20, E. B. Haskin, stationery.

$12.00, William R. Harrison, photographing.

$4.00, Munson Supply Company, set typewriter keys.

$30.50, Albert Datz & Company, stationery.

$7.50, Albert Datz & Company, stationery.

$78.00, Jersey City Auto Machine Works, auto supplies.

$4.00, Dobke Typewriter Exchange, machine rental.

$92.00, Albert Datz Company, repairing books.

$11.50, Albert Datz Company, stationery.

$94.80, Public Service Electric Company, electric service.

$115.00, Public Service Electric Company, electric service.

$118.35, E. B. Haskins, stationery.

$66.02, Lincoln Auto & Repair Company, auto repairs.

$3.50, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.

$125.00, Blue Ribbon Garage Company, auto supplies.

$113.75, Auto supplies.

$1.87, Burroughs Adding Machine Company, repairs to machine.

$10.00, Dispatch Printing Company, printing.

$9.00, Jacob Ringle & Son, 12 pieces galvanized iron.

$55.60, Chas. P. Walker Company, 20 window shades.

$104.00, Payton & Hoos, 16 chairs.

$5.00, Underwood Typewriter, rental of machine.

$3.75, Western Union Telegraph Company, rent of clock.

$3.12, Burroughs Adding Machine Company, repairs to machine.

$275.00, International Money Machine Company, one adding and listing machine.

$19.60, Payton & Hoos, typist chair.

$13.60, Chas. F. Hanson, stationery.

$6.20, Chas. F. Hanson, stationery.

$1,891.69, National Surety Company, premium on burglary and forgery policies.

$100.00, Henry Berghorn, postage stamps.

$40.51, Louis Frey, supplies.

$10.00, Soney & Sage Company, law book.

$3.30, A. B. Kuntz, Mazda lamp.

$198.30, Union Printing Company, printing.

$107.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$47.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$31.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$1,105.33, Hawkins, Delafield & Longfellow, professional services.

$201.60, Hudson Observer, advertising tax budget.

$300.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$368.96, Evening Journal Association, advertising tax budget.

$6.75, Hudson Observer, posters.

$119.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$8.00, Evening Journal Association, advertising improvement bonds.

$17.40, Evening Journal Association, advertising improvement bonds.

$13.86, Evening Journal Association, notice auction of lands.

$23.92, Evening Journal Association, advertising revision map.

$197.00, Walter J. Coleman, supplies, etc.

$15.72, Hudson Observer, advertising Kellogg.

$7.44, Hudson Observer, ordinance, Ferrett.

$13.44, Hudson Observer, ordinance, Fleckenstein.

$17.52, Hudson Observer, application, Kellogg.

$16.56, Evening Journal Association, ordinance, Duffield Avenue.

$2.00, Evening Journal Association, application National Theatres.

$2.00, Evening Journal Association, application Irving Hat Company.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in payment for the following claims:

$30.00, J. W. Greene, Inc., shades.

$11.00, Sam Borsky, glass.

$70.00, George Aspinwall, soap powder.

$50.00, George Aspinwall, soft soap.

$67.00, Washburn Bros. Co., cement and sand.

$6.00, J. Harris, glass.

$12.00, Belle Meade-Garage Stables, horse hire.

$1.25, Marcy Stove Repair, shaker.

$21.32, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$21.84, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$15.65, Richard Entwistle, plumbing.

$1.62, James P. Hall, cement and grit.

$26.00, James P. Hall, cement and plaster.

$21.84, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$21.34, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$210.00, Richard Entwistle, shower baths.

$21.27, F. B. Brill, material.

$16.00, Smooth-On Mfg. Co., cement.

$9.75, Thomas Finnerty, ice.

$3.39, Jersey City Supply Co., plumbing supplies.

$80.00, J. W. Greene, linoleum.

$34.00, J. W. Greene, linoleum.

$315.00, Joseph M. Doran, heater.

$380.00, Otis Elevator Co., piston rods.

$430.00, Otis Elevator Co., elevator repairs.

$10.00, Albert Datz, envelopes.

$707.62, R. H. Perry Coal Company, pea coal.

$36.84, R. H. Perry Coal Company, stove coal.

$23.70, R. H. Perry Coal Company, pea coal.

$385.03, R. H. Perry Coal Company, pea coal.

$12.00, Fagan Iron Works, iron plate.

$17.02, Joseph Carroll, insurance.

$49.10, R. H. Perry Coal Company, coal.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

PAY ROLLS.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached payrolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being for services rendered during the periods specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, Lieutenant Anton Reutter, Engine Company No. 66, has made application to be retired; and

Whereas, Under the law he is qualified to be retired, having served twenty-one years and having reached the age of 60 years; therefore be it

Resolved, That Lieutenant Anton Reutter be retired on half pay to take effect January 16, 1921.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, Henry Sassa, Ernest Schriefer, Andrew Curry, J. Koszakiewcz, Joseph Pinto, Mark Stegman, Thomas Tynan and Dennis J. Coughlin have tendered their resignations as members of the Jersey City Police Department; therefore be it

Resolved, That the resignations of Henry Sassa, Ernest Schriefer, Andrew Curry, J. Koszakiewicz, Joseph Pinto, Mark Stegman, Thomas Tynan and Daniel J. Coughlin as patrolmen in the Jersey City Police Department be and the same are hereby accepted; effective immediately.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, The residents of the lower section of Jersey City have for years suffered from the dense smoke emitted by the locomotives of the railroads traversing such section; and

Whereas, Expensive and protracted litigations to the Court of Errors and Appeals and in one instance to the Supreme Court of the United States, have resulted in no abatement of the nuisance; and

Whereas, Additional legislation will be necessary to abate the same by judical proceedings; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he hereby is directed to prepare and introduce as soon as possible in the present session of the Legislature such bill or bills as will make it possible to secure convictions for such violations of the present city ordinance against excessive smoke, or such further ordinance or ordinances as may hereafter be adopted to compel such railroads to electrify their lines within Jersey City; and be it

Further resolved, That the members of the Law Department cooperate in the passage of such bills through the Legislature and their enactments into laws.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, An act of the Legislature has been adopted by the voters of the State at the last general election which provides for the payment of a bonus to every member of the armed forces of the United States in the recent war who was honorably discharged therefrom; and

Whereas, It is expected that payments thereof will commence during the coming summer; and

Whereas, Many veterans of the city will have neither the time nor the opportunity to familiarize themselves with the requirements of the act and the regulations that will be adopted to put the same into effect; therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to open a bureau to render assistance to the veterans of Jersey City who may wish to apply for the benefit of such Bonus Act.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, The Director of Public Safety has this day submitted to the Board of Commissioner of Jersey City, specifications for one manual fire alarm telegraph transmitter for use in the Jersey City Fire Department; and

Whereas, The Board of Commissioners has approved said specifications; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said specifications covering one manual fire alarm telegraph transmitter, be and they are hereby approved and ordered filed and the City Clerk authorized and requested to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, The Director of Public Safety has this day submitted to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, specifications for five thousand feet, more or less, four-ply solid multiple woven cotton rubber-lined fire hose 2½ inches internal diameter for use in the Jersey City Fire Department; and

Whereas, The Board of Commissioners has approved said specifications, therefore be it

Resolved, That the said specifications, covering five thousand feet, more or less, four-ply solid multiple woven cotton rubber-lined fire hose, be and they are hereby approved and ordered filed and the City Clerk authorized and requested to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley.

Whereas, The Director of Public Safety has this day submitted to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, specifications for one fire alarm recording register for use in the Jersey City Fire Department; and

Whereas, The Board of Commissioners has approved said specifications; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said specifications, covering one fire alarm recording register, be and they are hereby approved and ordered filed and the City Clerk authorized and requested to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, The Director of Public Safety has this day submitted to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City specifications for one one and one-half ton truck chassis for use in the Jersey City Fire Department; and

Whereas, The Board of Commissioners has approved said specifications; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said specifications covering one one and one-half-ton chassis, be and they are hereby approved and ordered filed, and the City Clerk authorized and requested to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized to fix a date for public hearing and advertise the same as required by law on the application of Maria C. Goss, filed with the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, this day, requesting permission to maintain encroachment on one family dwelling owned by her situated on Lot 1, Block 1202, being the southeast corner of Charlotte Street and St. Paul s Avenue.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen.

Whereas, The National Central Theatres, Inc., have this day filed with the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City an application requesting permission to erect marquise at the entrance of Central Theatre now under construction at 269–275 Central Avenue and have requested temporary permit to proceed with the said construction pending final disposition of the matter by the Board of Commissioners; therefore be it

Resolved, That the application for the said temporary permit be and the same is hereby referred to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements with power to grant or refuse the said permission.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized to fix a date for public hearing and advertise the same as required by law on the application of the National Central Theatres, Inc., filed this day with the Board for permission to erect marquise at entrance to Central Theatre, now under construction at 269-275 Central Avenue.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements the findings as shown on report of the Water Assessor for month of December, 1920, presented to this Commission at its meeting held this day, be and are hereby confirmed, and the said officer be and is hereby authorized to make such charges on his books:

Additions to regular water, $334.95.

Cancellation to regular water, $1,568.60.

Cancellation to metered water, $711.51.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That proposal received at meeting of the Board of Commissioners, held August 26, 1919, for furnishing and delivering one Mack chassis and body, with all the necessary attachments and equipments, f. o. b. Jersey City, be and the same is hereby rejected.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby granted to John M. Hughes' Sons Company to remove the three-story frame building, size 25 feet by 60 feet, from No. 639 Montgomery Street to 439 Mercer Street, the route to be along the vacant property on the southerly side of Montgomery Street to Mill Road; thence across Montgomery Street and along Mill Road to Mercer Street, thence through vacant lots on the southerly side of Mercer Street to its new location, such permission being subject to the conditions as set forth in resolution of the Board of Street and Water Commissioners, April 29, 1912.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, The Commissioners of Assessment and Chief Engineer have filed with the City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City their report and final assessment map for the improvement of Hutton Street between Hudson Boulevard and Liberty Avenue, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917; therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized to fix a date for public hearing for the purpose of receiving objections to the confirmation of said map, and advertise the same as required by law.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, The Commissioners of Assessment and Chief Engineer have filed with the City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City their report and final assessment map for the improvement of Seaview Avenue between Garfield Avenue and Princeton Avenue, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917; therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized to fix a date for public hearing for the purpose of receiving objections to the confirmation of said map, and advertise the same as required by law.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the work under Contract No. 2308 for the improvement of Chapel Avenue, between Ocean Avenue and Rutgers Avenue, with sheet asphalt on a concrete foundation, by

W. T. S. Crichfield, contractor, be and the same is hereby accepted as completed, and that the Chief Engineer be and he is hereby directed to file with the Commissioners of Assessments, a statement showing the entire cost of said improvement, and that thereupon, said Commissioners of Assessments shall proceed to make a proper assessment on any lands or real estate that may have been benefitted or increased in value by such improvement, conformably to the provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the work under Contract No. 2326 for the Improvement of Holmes Avenue, between Sip Avenue and its southerly terminus, with asphalt pavement including binder, by W. T. S. Crichfield, contractor, be and the same is hereby accepted as completed and that the Chief Engineer be and he is hereby directed to file with the Commissioners of Assessments a statement showing the entire costs of said improvement and that thereupon, said Commissioners of Assessments shall proceed to make a proper assessment on any lands or real estate that may have been benefitted or increased in value by such improvement, conformably to the provisions of Chapter 152, of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following resolution passed by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City July 29, 1919, be and the same is hereby rescinded.

Resolved, That all insurance policies now in force covering jitneys operating in Jersey City be extended by endorsement, or by new policies, so that policies will expire on January 15, 1920, and be it

Further resolved, That all future policies be written so as to expire on either January 15 or July 15, and that all future renewal policies be delivered at the Department of Revenue and Finance, five days before expiration date of policies, then in force, for approval by the Corporation Counsel.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That all insurance policies now in force covering jitneys operating in Jersey City be extended by endorsement, or by new policies, so that policies will expire on February 15, 1921, and be it

Further resolved, That future policies be written so as to expire on the 15th day of each month, and that all future renewal policies be delivered at the Department of Revenue and Finance, five days before expiration date of policies, then in force, for approval by the Corporation Counsel, and be it further

Resolved, That the supervisor of jitneys be and he is hereby instructed to immediately suspend any jitney owner who fails to file renewal policy on or before the tenth day of each month, and that said failure be cause for revoking jitney license of offender.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioner Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance to approve, ratify and confirm an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $682,000 temporary street improvement bonds of the city and providing for their payment," finally adopted November 23, 1920, and all acts and things done or to be done in pursuance thereof.

The Board of Commissioners of the

Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, New Jersey, do ordain:

An ordinance of the City of Jersey City entitled: "An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $682,000 temporary street improvement bonds of the city and providing for their payment," finally adopted on November 23, 1920, and all acts and things done, or to be done, in pursuance thereof, be and the same hereby are approved, ratified and confirmed.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance to approve, ratify and confirm an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $103,000 temporary fire department improvement bonds of the city and providing for their payment," finally adopted November 23, 1920; and all acts and things done or to be done in pursuance thereof.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, New Jersey, do ordain:

An ordinance of the City of Jersey City entitled: "An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $103,000 temporary fire department improvement bonds of the city and providing for their payment," finally adopted on November 23, 1920, and all acts and things, done or to be done, in pursuance thereof, be and the same hereby are approved, ratified and confirmed.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance to approve, ratify and confirm an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $17,000 temporary library bonds of the city and providing for their payment," finally adopted November 23, 1920, and all acts and things done or to be done in pursuance thereof.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, New Jersey, do ordain:

An ordinance of the City of Jersey City entitled: "An ordinance authorizing the issuance of $17,000 temporary library bonds of the city and providing for their payment," finally adopted on November 23, 1920, and all acts and things done, or to be done, in pursuance thereof, be and the same hereby are approved, ratified and confirmed.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance to approve, ratify and confirm an ordinance entitled, "An

Ordinance Authorizing the Issuance of $65,000, Temporary Police Department Bonds of the City and Providing for their Payment," finally adopted November 23, 1920; and all acts and things done or to be done in pursuance thereof.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, New Jersey, do ordain:

An ordinance of the City of Jersey City, entitled: "An Ordinance Authorizing the Issuance of $65,000. Temporary Police Department Bonds of the City and Providing for Their Payment," finally adopted on November 23, 1920, and all acts and things done, or to be done, in pursuance thereof, be and the same hereby are approved, ratified and confirmed.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance to approve, ratify and confirm an ordinance entitled: "An Ordinance Authorizing the Issuance of $179,000. Temporary Playground Bonds of the City and Providing for their Payment," finally adopted November 23, 1920, and all acts and things done or to be done in pursuance thereof.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, New Jersey, do ordain:

An ordinance of the City of Jersey City entitled: "An Ordinance Authorizing the Issuance of $179,000. Temporary Playground Bonds of the City and Providing for Their Payment," finally adopted on November 23, 1920, and all acts and things done, or to be done, in pursuance thereof, be and the same hereby are approved, ratified and confirmed.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance to approve, ratify and confirm an ordinance entitled: "An Ordinance Authorizing the Issuance of $198,000. Temporary Harbor Improvement Bonds of the City and Providing for Their Payment," finally adopted November 23, 1920, and all acts and things done or to be done in pursuance thereof.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, New Jersey, do ordain:

An ordinance of the City of Jersey City entitled: "An Ordinance Authorizing the Issuance of $122,000. Temporary Harbor Improvement Bonds of the City and Providing for Their Payment," finally adopted on November 23, 1920, and all acts and things done, or to be done, in pursuance thereof, be and the same hereby are approved, ratified and confirmed.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, The Port of New York has become seriously congested, because of the shortage of cooking facilities and a lack of adequate channels and anchorage grounds and the failure of the railroads entering the port to co-ordinate their terminal facilities, which is due largely to congestion on the main lines entering the terminal yards; and

Whereas, It has become imperative that relief from this situation be had at the earliest possible moment, which relief can only be afforded by extending the operations of the port so as to include Newark Bay District, which means the providing of an adequate channel in the Newark Bay for the accommodation of that class of vessels which are necessary for the transshipment of freight from rail to water. It is also necessary to provide a location for large industrial concerns requiring waterfront facilities, which industries have heretofore located on the Hudson River, East River and New York Bay and are now forced to seek other locations, having the same advantages, there being only one such location, that being in the Newark Bay District; and

Whereas, The municipalities bordering on the Newark Bay realizing the great importance of the Port of New York and the necessity for the adequate growth and development of the same and desiring to do their share towards relieving and improving the port situation, have advocated the deepening and widening of the Newark Bay Channel from the Kill von Kull to the mouth of the Hackensack and Passaic Rivers; and

Whereas, The City of Jersey City being vitally interested in the development of its west waterfront has co-operated with the other municipalities for the purpose of securing this much needed improvement; therefore be it

Resolved, That the City of Jersey City signifies its intention to continue this co-operation to the extent of providing its proportion of the funds as may be necessary to pay its share of the cost of the widening and deepening of the Newark Bay Channel.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners on January 4, 1921, for the furnishing and delivering of about 200 rolls of standard hardware cloth to the Department of Parks and Public Property; and

Whereas, The bid of the Whipple Hardware Company was the lowest bid received; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for the furnishing and delivering of standard hardware cloth be and is hereby awarded to the Whipple Hardware Company at the price named in their bid; said material to be delivered only in quantities as ordered by the Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for the same.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners for the furnishing and delivering of about 200 tons of well rotted horse manure to the Department of Parks and Public Property; and

Whereas, The bid of the Jersey City Horse Manure Company was the lowest bid received; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for the furnishing and delivering of well rotted horse manure be and is hereby awarded to the Jersey City Horse Manure Company at the price named in their bid, said material to be delivered in quantities as ordered by the Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property, and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for the same.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission has certified Mary R. Flaherty, 112 Fairview Avenue, Jersey City, as being eligible for appointment to the position of Senior Clerk; therefore be it

Resolved, That Mary R. Flaherty be and she is hereby appointed Senior Clerk in the Purchasing Bureau effective January 1, 1921, at an annual salary of $1,500.00.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagan, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That Clarence W. Winchell be and he is hereby appointed Sanitary Inspector in the Health Department, Jersey City, N. J., his name having been duly certified as first on the eligible list for appointment by the New Jersey State Civil Service Commission, at a salary of $1,800.00 per annum, payable in semi-monthly installments, said appointment to take effect immediately.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagan, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner Moore the Board adjourned.

Approved.

JOHN BENTLEY,
MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
Commissioners.

FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF JANUARY 13, 1921

Minutes of a special meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the office of the City Clerk, City Hall, Jersey City, on Thursday, January 13, 1921, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Present: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Absent: Mayor Hague (excused).

The City Clerk read the following call for the special meeting:

January 13, 1921.

Hon. Frank A. Dolan, City Clerk, City Hall, Jersey City, N. J.

Sir:—Please take notice that the undersigned have called a special meeting of the Board of Commissioners for Thursday, January 13, 1921, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon at the office of the City Clerk, City Hall, Jersey City.

The purpose of said meeting is to authorize the issuance of tax anticipation notes for moneys needed for current expenses of the city, the taxes of 1921 not yet being payable.

Respectfully,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.
JOHN BENTLEY
Commissioners.

In accordance with the foregoing call, Commissioner Gannon, Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, introduced the following resolution:

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, In anticipation of the receipt of taxes to be levied or of taxes levied and not delinquent, this municipality may borrow and have obligations outstanding to provide such moneys as may be necessary to meet its lawful expenditures under the appropriations for the year for which such taxes are levied or are to be levied, to wit, the fiscal year 1921; therefore be it

Resolved, That in pursuance of Chapter 192, P. L. 1917, approved March 28, 1917, as amended, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do and they hereby authorize and direct that Tax Anticipation Notes of the City of Jersey City be issued to the amount of $180,000.00, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum, payable July 1, 1921, and at maturity; said notes to be dated January 13, 1921, to become due and payable December 31, 1921, or sooner if called by the City, and shall be signed by the Mayor or Acting Mayor and the Director of Rvenue and Finance or Deputy Controller and attested by the City Clerk.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

The City Clerk advised the Board that there was no further business to be transacted. Thereupon, on motion of Commissioner Moore, the Board adjourned.

Approved.

JOHN BENTLEY,
MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
Commissioners.
FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF JANUARY 18, 1921

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, January 18, 1921, at 2 P. M.

Present: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Absent: Commissioner Gannon and Mayor Hague (excused).

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That in the absence of the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance (Vice-Mayor), Commissioner Moore, Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property, be and he is hereby designated as the presiding officer of this meeting.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Nays: None.

RECEPTION OF BIDS.

This time and place having been advertised as required by law for the reception of bids for furnishing and delivering various supplies to the various departments of the city government, the City Clerk called for bids with the following results:

Three Patrol Wagon Chasses.

1. Cadillac Motor Car Company, $4,012.65 each, with surety company bond.

Touring Car, Department of Public Safety.

1. Blakeslee - Cadillac Company, $4,335.79, with surety company bond.

Motorcycles and Sidecars, Police Department.

1. H. A. Gliesman, f. o. b. his store, $8,670. Delivered at City Repair Shop, $8,850. Including speedometers, $9,025, with freeholder surety bond.

2. Leo. C. Herzig, $8,802; 12 speedometers, $144, with freeholder surety bond.

3. Haverford Cycle Company (motorcycles not in accordance with specifications), $8,052, with surety company bond.

4. Baker, Murray and Imbie, Inc., $8,328.12, with surety company bond.

Food Carriers and Milk Urns, City Hospital.

1. Kny-Scheerer Corporation, food carriers, $215 each; milk urns, $125 each, with surety company bond.

Linen, Flannel, etc., City Hospital.

1. Ganz & Goodman, by item, with certified check, $1,500.

2. Jerome O'Keefe, by item, with freeholder surety bond.

3. M. Glanzer, by item, with freeholder surety bond.

4. The Kleinhaus Store, by item, with certified check, $3,000.

5. Altro Manufacturing Company, by item with certified check, $375.

6. J. E. Bernstein (Furst Contract Department), by item, with certified check, $567.

7. H. W. Baker Linen Company, by item, with certified check, $1,217.81.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received opened and read and referred to the director of the department from which the specifications emanated.

ALTERATION HEARINGS:

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications: Harry J. Max, requesting permission to build brick extension in front of three-story frame building, 194-198 Jackson Avenue; R. J. Miller, requesting permission to erect electric sign to extend seven feet from building line, 412 Jackson Avenue; the City Clerk read each application, and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of any of the above described applications. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the granting of any of the above described applications. The City Clerk advised the Board that the application of Harry J. Max had been approved by the Building Department for advertising only.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the application of Harry J. Max for permission to erect brick extension in front of three-story frame dwelling No. 194-198 Jackson Avenue, Jersey City, be and the same is hereby referred to the Superintendent of Buildings and the Mayor for investigation, with power.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to R. J. Miller to erect electric sign to extend seven feet from building line at No. 412 Jackson Avenue, Jersey City, as shown on plan attached to application; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS:

From Executive Committee of Business Men's Association of Jersey City, expressing their hearty approval of Commissioner Bentley's actions in maintaining traffic policemen at Coles Street and Newark Avenue and Jersey Avenue and Newark Avenue, also for persuading the Hudson & Manhattan Railroad Company to establish stations at the Grove Street tube station, for coupon refunds.

Received.

From Angelo De Angelis, requesting permission to alter building and build garage in cellar No. 1527 Boulevard.

Received.

From Herbert Post, 89 Belleville Avenue, Newark, N. J., requesting permission to locate a lunch wagon at 376 Grand Street, Lot 5, Block 340.

Received and referred to the Mayor for investigation.

From John Hillmann, requesting permission to maintain encroachment on building owned by him, No. 605 Ocean Avenue.

Received.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS:

From Sinking Fund Commission of Jersey City, submitting their annual report as of December 31, 1920, in pursuance of Chapter 212, P. L. 1917, Section 9.

Received and ordered filed.

AUDITING CLAIMS:

By Director Bentley:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named for the following amounts and purposes:

Police.

$34.14, W. J. Coleman, supplies.

$34.20, Expert Auto Tire Repair Company, repairs.

$210.56, J. Frey, supplies.

$7.00, Garfunkle Brothers, supplies.

$10.00, Great Bear Spring Company, water.

$437.50, Gulf Refining Company, gasoline.

$422.94, Gulf Refining Company, gasoline.

$223.74, Gulf Refining Company, gasoline.

$93.94, Al Kuntz, supplies.

$26.50, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$3.75, L. Max and Sons, glass.

$99.50, D. J. O'Brien, supplies.

$7.00, Payton and Hoos, carpet.

$20.00, Union Printing Company, postage.

$15.00, Union Printing Company, stationery.

$44.62, Baker, Murray & Imbrie, parts.

$92.80, E. Dougherty, meal.

$204.80, M. Heitzman, meal.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following-named persons in the amounts indicated:

$325.00, City Treasurer, improvement Stegman Street.

$8.76, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$15.00, City Treasurer, improvement Fleet Street.

$102.80, the Kennedy Valve Manufacturing Company, supplies.

$14.85, A. B. Kuntz, supplies.

$24,557.87, Treasurer, State of New Jersey, judgment.

$5,580.47, William T. Read, State Treasurer, excess diversion.

$5,495.23, William T. Read, State Treasurer, excess diversion.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen, for Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following-named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$42.00, Glenwood Garage and Renting Company, auto hire.

$6.20, Walter J. Coleman, lamps.

$6.96, Evening Journal Association, ordinance Ferrett.

$15.24, Evening Journal Association, ordinance Kellogg.

$17.04, Evening Journal Association, ordinance Kellogg.

$13.32, Evening Journal Association, ordinance Fleckenstein.

$2.00, Joseph Bardasch, two curtains repaired.

$11.00, Underwood Typewriter Company, machine rental.

$4.50, Baker, Voorhis & Co., law book.

$7.50, Baker, Voorhis & Co., law book.

$16.16, Theresa Munzing, two weeks' compensation.

$1,000.00, Messrs. Boyce Hughes and Farrell, services.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following-named claimants for the amounts and purposes specified:

$34.70, Austin, Nichols & Company, groceries.

$317.99, D. Eisenberg, vegetables.

$329.75, Adolph Koment, Inc., bread.

$4,188.28, R. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$151.93, Swift & Company, hams and bacon.

$139.96, S. W. Kagen Company, meat.

$42.63, Austin, Nichols & Company, canned goods.

$26.05, Austin, Nichols & Company, groceries.

$15.25, Albert Datz Company, printing.

$52.24, Austin, Nichols & Company, groceries.

$72.51, Austin, Nichols & Company, groceries.

$44.10, Austin, Nichols & Company, peaches.

$27.88, Austin, Nichols & Company, groceries.

$34.15, E. R. Squibb & Sons, drugs.

$31.65, J. V. Calley, vegetables.

$196.59, John F. Crosby, vegetables.

$173.68, Hamilton Meat Market, meat.

$18.30, Premier Meat Market, meat.

$424.68, Swift & Company, meat.

$34.30, W. H. Walthery, pork.

$62.57, Loori Brothers, drugs.

$27.93, Ganz & Goodman, hair brushes.

$6.70, Loori Brothers, drugs.

$18.77, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$19.60, Albert Datz Company, printing.

$74.14, Victor-X-Ray Corporation, supplies.

$6.60, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$7.50, J. E. Carlock, sawdust.

$11.96, Joseph H Browne, supplies.

$113.88, Joseph T. Sack, utensils, etc.

$51.05, Hudson County Storage Battery Compay, Exide battery.

$19.80, New York Herald, advertising.

$8.85, Public Service Electric Company, power.

$120.00, Morris Motor Car Company, auto parts.

$4.10, Charles F. Hansen, office supplies.

$144.40, S. W. Kagan Company, meats.

$7.83, Borden's Farm Products Company, milk and cream.

$43.20, McCloskey Drug Company, drugs.

$50.28, American Auto Tire Company, tires and repairs.

$44.72, Blakeslee-Cadillac Company, auto repairs.

$17.20, The Peter Jocham Company, ambulance repairs.

$82.37, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$83.00, Joseph T. Sack, utensils, etc.

$53.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$32.81, John P. Landrine, hardware supplies.

$139.67, Herald Printing Company, printing.

$154.15, P. Loffredo & Bro., beef.

$271.50, W. R. Holmes, tea and coffee.

$18.00, Alex. Hamill Iron Works, iron work.

$377.63, Public Service Gas Company, gas.

$213.15, S. W. Kagan Company, turkeys.

$68.89, S. W. Kagan Company, beef.

$48.45, W. H. Walthery, pork.

$195.69, Hamilton Market, meat.

$125.75, Mountain Ice Company, ice.

$90.08, Public Service Gas Company, gas.

$412.64, Public Service Gas Company, gas.

$150.00, New Jersey Window Cleaning Company, cleaning windows.

$6.75, Adolph Koment, Inc., bread.

$459.70, Edward M. Dixon, seafood.

$45.84, J. V. Calley, wreaths.

$49.44, John P. Landrine, hardware supplies.

$13.62, H. D. Dougherty & Company, Inc., rubber gloves.

$120.00, Estella W. Knabe, board.

$214.09, Kenneth Apolant, rims and tires.

$109.20, Charles H. Nolte, butter.

$177.50, Jerome O'Keefe, sheets and towels.

$100.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$11.04, Jerome O'Keefe, bobbinette.

$88.92, Swift & Co., meat.

$51.98, W. H. Walthery, pork.

$3.40, Upjohn Company, enuresis.

$59.02, McKesson & Robbins, drugs.

$28.50, S. W. Kagan Company, meat.

$10.20 Armour & Co., pituitrin.

$95.44, H. W. Baker Linen Company, padding.

$299.25, J. Decker, milk.

$61.82, Borden's Farm Products Company, milk.

$115.40, John F. Crosby, vegetables.

$37.24, J. V. Calley, vegetables.

$408.00, Morris Weisman, eggs.

$424.77, Charles H. Nolte, butter.

$115.80, Ammon & Person, eggs.

$117.52, R. H. Perry Company, coal.

$162.00, The Beckman Company, blankets.

$9.00, John F. Crosby, potatoes.

$32.54, Henry J. McDermott, ice.

$71.78, Public Service Electric Company, light.

$11.56, William Bill, fruits, etc.

$43.25, Joseph H. Brainard, drugs, etc.

$47.74, Joseph H. Brainard, drugs, etc.

$12.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$65.05, Joseph H. Brainard, drugs, etc.

$4.80, A. B. Kuntz, lamps.

$10.50, The Jewett Pharmacy, cotton.

$29.05, W. H. Walthery, meats.

$28.03, David I. Cohen, gauze, etc.

$9.73, Jerome O'Keefe, supplies.

$24.92, Public Service Gas Company, gas.

$30.58, E. Walter, meats.

$11.40, William C. Hagen, meats.

$5.60, D. C. Markus, roast beef.

$179.37, Jacob Decker, milk.

$9.63, I. Britten, seafood.

$42.59, William Bill, fruits and vegetables.

$315.00, A. McDonough, groceries.

$300.00, A. McDonough, groceries.

$213.00, Flynn Bros., groceries.

$1.15, New York Telephone Company, service.

$58.08, J. Decker, milk.

$110.00, Joseph J. Maguire, burials.

$81.00, James F. Murray, shoes.

$69.00, Bosquett Bros., groceries.

$200.40, Mrs. Mary Norton, expenses.

$30.40, McConnell Coal Company, coal.

$20.43, Morris Motor Car Company, auto repairs.

$7.10, Colgate & Company, soap.

$52.20, Thomas Finnerty, ice.

$13.92, R. J. Fitzimmons, dry plates.

$5.50, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

$256.00, Payton & Hoos, fling cabinets.

$130.04, Hamilton Meat Market, meat, etc.

$74.02, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$3.50, D. Eisenberg, oranges.

$50.66, Thompson's Garage, Inc., auto storage, etc.

$21.40, Borden's Farm Products Company, milk.

$196.78, Scientific Equipment Company, apparatus.

$11.80, Morris Motor Car Company, auto repairs.

$302.00, The Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$504.61, Hudson County District S. P. C. A., dog wagon service.

$499.39, Hudson County District S. P. C. A., dog wagon service.

$75.35, Palisade Auto Supply Company, auto parts.

$6.00, The John Hopkins Press, subscription.

$4.00, Munson Supply Company, T. W. keys.

$41.40, Charles V. Finch, ice.

$80.50, Palisade Auto Company, tires and supplies.

$204.00, The De Pree Company, fumigators.

$75,00, A. B. Kuntz, desk lights.

$31.60, Charles F. Hansen, office supplies.

$46.70, Columbia Ribbon & Carbon Co., carbon paper.

$283.20, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, antitoxin.

$153.12, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, antitoxin.

$72.00, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, antitoxin.

$20.00, A. Scott, auto storage.

$60.00, J. J. Craven, Md D., stamps.

$189.75, J. J. Mooney, bottles.

$72.00, A. B. Costello, photos.

$22.95, James Hurley, ice.

$5.00, O'Keefe's Express, carting.

$10.70, Bureau of Standards, testing thermometers.

$19.00, Otto Wilkens, hot water bags.

$61.35, P. H. Trainor, auto repairs.

$294.65, John H. Cooney, extra work, Main Hospital.

$436.25, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., auto repairs.

$365.00, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., refinishing car.

$242.79, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., slip covers, etc.

$486.95, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., tires and tubes.

$318.75, D. Eisenberg, vegetables.

$30.00, Albert Datz Co., printing.

$12.50, Seabury & Johnson, oiled silk.

$249.60, Morris Weisman, eggs.

$321.35, Edward M. Dixon, sea food.

$179.40, William C. Hagen, meat.

$116.15, William C. Hagen, lamb.

$282.20, Medo Photo Supply Corp., X-ray plates.

$71.25, Hanna & Eisman, vegetables.

$65.45, Hanna & Eisman, vegetables.

$28.70, Hanna & Eisman, vegetables.

$42.60, Colgate & Co., soap.

$4.14, Joseph H. Browne, soda.

$114.70, The D E. Cleary Co., groceries.

$415.65, D. Eisenberg, vegetables.

$425.12, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$14.74, The Evening Mail, advertisements.

$204.20, H. W. Baken Linen Co., sheets.

$19.75, Starter & Battery Service Co., recharging batteries.

$62.60, The Peter Jocham Co., ambulance repairs.

$108.00, McKesson & Robbins, Inc., ergitol.

$56.25, The Peter Jocham Co., ambulance repairs.

$15.95, The Peter Jocham Co., ambulance repairs.

$18.43, The Peter Jocham Co., ambulance repairs.

$10.50, The New York Times, advertising for nurses.

$31.40, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., auto supplies.

$11.38, Colgate & Co., soap powder.

$150.00, N. J. Window Cleaning Co., cleaning windows.

$150.00, Belle Meade Garage, payment on Ford car.

$9.25, John J. Mooney, kreso.

$474.00, A. McDonough, groceries.

$75.35, Palisade Auto Supply Co., auto repairs.

$26.75, Charles F. Hansen, office supplies.

$9.15, James Hurley, ice.

$10.40, Thomas Finnerty, ice.

$164.40, Loori Bros., antitoxin.

$24.50, Charles F. Hansen, office supplies.

$23.50, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$9.15, Charles F. Hansen, diaries.

$71.20, John J. Mooney, drugs.

$160.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$107.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$290.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$5.00, American Public Health Association, subscription.

$39.76, Armour & Co., green soal.

$162.00, The Beckman Co., blankets.

$59.48, General Baking Co., bread.

$14.00, Fred Decker, milk.

$350.00, S. Kupielski, auto repairs.

$390.40, Public Service Gas Company, gas.

$7.60, Public Service Electric Company, light.

$212.404, Garfunkel Bros., electrical supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, and Moore.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS.

From Commissioner Fagen, advising the Board that the area of assessment for the improvement of Merseles Street by opening and widening same from its present southerly terminus to Montgomery Street is too extensive, and in view of the protests presented at the hearing on the final assessment made, he would recommend that the matter be referred back to the Commissioners of Assessment for readjustment and reassessment.

Received.

From Commissioner Fagen, transmitting communication from Clyde Potts, relative to the proposed minor changes in the work being done by Patrick McGovern on Section No. 2 of the duplicate pipe line and also submitting resolution authorizing said changes, described as Extra Work Order M, furnishing and installing four-inch cluster air valve on line at a point between Montrose Avenue and the Boulevard to relieve air pocket formed by depression of pipe line, at a cost of $400.

Received.

From Commissioner Gannon, submitting annual debt statement as of December 31, 1920.

Received and ordered filed.

From Commissioner Gannon, submitting supplemental debt statement.

Received and ordered filed.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, Patrolmen Charles Hess and Fred Bryk have tendered their resignations as members of the Jersey City Police Department, therefore be it

Resolved, That the resignations of Charles Hess and Fred Bryk as patrolmen in the Jersey City Police Department be and the same are hereby accepted.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, Patrolman James B. Irvine has tendered his resignation as a member of the Jersey City Police Department; therefore be it

Resolved, That the resignation of James B. Irvine as a patrolman in the Jersey City Police Department be and the same is hereby accepted.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, The Director of Public Safety has this day submitted to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City specifications for two one and one-half ton chassis for use in the Jersey City Fire Department; and

Whereas, The Board of Commissioners has approved said specifications; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said specifications, covering two one and one-half ton chassis, be and they are hereby approved and ordered filed and the City Clerk authorized and requested to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, The General Purchasing Agent of Jersey City has this day submitted to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City specifications for furnishing and delivering hay, grain, feed, etc.;

Whereas, This Board of Commissioners has approved said specifications; therefore be it

Resolved, That said speifications be and they are hereby approved and ordered filed and City Clerk authorized and requested to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the report of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements received this day in the matter of the confirmation of the final assessment map for the improvement of Morseles Street by opening and widening the same from its present southerly terminus to Montgomery Street be received, and the recommendation contained therein approved; and be it further

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby requested to certify a copy of this resolution to the Commissioners of Assessments accompanied by the Assessment Map and report filed by them, upon the basis of which, hearing referred to in said report was held.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioner Bentley, Fagen, and Moore

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas suit was begun on December 23, 1920, in the Hudson County Court of Common Pleas by Mary Cannon, administratrix of the estate of Thomas Francis Cannon, deceased, against Jersey City, to recover Six Hundred Eighty-two and 50/100 '$682.-50) Dollars wages due the decedent while employed by the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, and the Director of the Department of the Streets and Public Improvements, having been advised by the Corporation Counsel that there is no defense to the suit and that in order to effectuate the payment of the claim and to prevent the recovery of costs against the City a relicta should be filed by him withdrawing the answer heretofore led and confessing judgment against the City in the sum of Six Hundred Eighty-two and 50/100 ($682.50) Dollars, without interest or costs; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he hereby is authorized and directed to file in the office of the Clerk of said Court such relicta, withdrawing the answer so filed by him and confessing judgment against the City in the sum of Six Hundred Eighty-two and 50/100 ($682.50) dollars.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioner Bentley, Fagen, and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, It appears from communication addressed to the Board by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, dated January 18, 1921, that certain changes in the contract between the city and Patrick McGovern are necessary and advisable, which changes are as follows:

EXTRA WORK ORDER M.

The work embraced in this order is as follows: Furnishing and installing four-inch cluster air valve on line at a point between Montrose Avenue and the Boulevard, to relieve an air pocket formed by the depression of pipeline at Montrose Avenue where the three-foot connection is taken off. The cost of the above work order not to exceed four hundred dollars ($400) complete, in place.

All work shall be done in strict accordance with the directions of the engineer in charge, and subject to his approval, and payment for the same shall be made in accordance with Section M of said contract; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the contract be and the same is hereby changed and amended accordingly, and the contractor be and he is hereby authorized to proceed to make such changes.

Further resolved, That a certified copy of this resolution be signed by the contractor and filed with the City Clerk as evidence of its asset thereto.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That a warrant be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer to the order of the Trustees of the Free Public Library in the sum of $25,000 on account of appropriation for 1921, as per voucher attached.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following warrant be ordered drawn in favor of Richard McAghon, Clerk of the Second District Court, to adjust salary from $2,500 to $3,000 per year, as per Chapter 20, Laws of 1920, viz.:

Nine months and eleven days at $41.66 2-3 per month from March 19 to December 31, 1920, $390.28.

Adopted.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance appropriating $3,438 for the installation of a police signal system and authorizing temporary bonds for said purpose and providing for the payment of said bonds."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance appropriating the sum of twenty thousand four hundred dollars ($20,400) for street improvements and authorizing the issuance of temporary street improvement bonds therefor."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance appropriating the sum of thirteen thousand dollars ($13,000) for street improvements and authorizing the issuance of temporary street improvement bonds therefor."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance appropriating $24,900 for the purchase of Police Department equipment and authorizing temporary bonds for said purpose and providing for the payment of said bonds."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, In anticipation of the receipt of taxes to be levied or of taxes levied and not delinquent, this municipality may borrow and have obligations outstanding to provide such moneys as may be necessary to meet its lawful expenditures under the appropriations for the year for which such taxes are levied or are to be levied, to wit, the fiscal year 1921; therefore, be it

Resolved, That in pursuance of Chapter 192, P. L., 1917, approved March 28, 1917, as amended, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do and they hereby authorize direct that Tax Anticipation Notes of the City of Jersey City be issued to the amount of $180,000.00 bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum payable July 1, 1921, and at maturity; said notes to be dated January 19, 1921, to become due and payable December 31, 1921, or sooner if called by the City, and shall be signed by the Mayor or Acting Mayor and the Director of Revenue and Finance or Deputy Comptroller and attested by the City Clerk.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the Board adjourned.

Approved:

JOHN BENTLEY,
MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
A. HARRY MOORE,
Commissioners.

FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF JANUARY 25, 1921

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, January 25, 1921, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Absent: Commissioner Gannon and Mayor Hague (excused).

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That in the absence of the Mayor and Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and Vice-Mayor, Commissioner Moore, Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property, be and he is hereby designated as the presiding officer of this meeting.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Nays: None.

RECEPTION OF BIDS:

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for furnishing and delivering supplies to the Jersey City Fire Department, the City Clerk called for bids with the following result:

Fire Alarm Record Registers.

1. Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Company, $455 each, with surety company bond.

Fire Alarm Telegraph Transmittor.

1. Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Company, $7,500, with surety company bond.

One and One-Half Ton Chassis.

No bid received.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received opened and read and referred to the Director of the Department of Public Safety for investigation and recommendation.

Franchise Hearings:

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the application of Samuel Schlossberg and Moses Solomon, for permission to maintain encroachment on three-story brick building owned by them known as No. 7 Thorne Street and No. 401-403 Central Avenue, the City Clerk read the application and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the application. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the application.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the application of Samuel Schlossberg and Moses Solomon for permission to maintain encroachment on building owned by them known as No. 7 Thorne Street and 401-403 Central Avenue, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to Tuesday, February 8, 1921, at 2 p. m., in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Nays: None.

Alteration Hearings:

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the application of Angelo DeAngelis, for permission to alter building and build garage in cellar of present one-story frame and brick dwelling No. 1527 Boulevard as shown on plans attached to application, the City Clerk read the application, and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of the application. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the granting of the application.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the application of Angelo DeAngelis for permission to alter building and build garage in cellar of No. 1527 Boulevard, be and the same is hereby referred to the Director, Department of Streets and Public Improvements, for investigation and recommendation.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Nays: None.

Petitions and Communications:

From residents and property owners of Booraem Avenue protesting against the dangerous condition of the vacant property situate at the southeast corner of Palisade Avenue and Cuneo Place, adjoining the bridge on the north.

Received and referred to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements for investigation.

From Chas. A. Lewis, 293 Academy Street, Jersey City, requesting extra police protection on Bergen Square due to the fact that there are twenty private garages in the rear of his property and several attempts at robbery have been made recently.

Received and referred to the Director of the Department of Public Safety.

From Robert Gantner, requesting permission to erect electric sign at No. 577 Ocean Avenue.

Received.

From Costas Pitsas, requesting permission to erect electric sign at No. 242 Bay Street.

Received.

AUDITING CLAIMS:

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$901.42, U. S. Mortgage & Trust Co., preparing bonds.

$45.92, Hawkins, Delafield & Longfellow, professional services.

$867.99, Hawkins, Delafield & Longfellow, professional services.

$113.26, Whitehead & Hoag Company, buttons.

$7.50, Lawyers Co-operation Publishing Company reports.

$22.70, P. S. Electric Company service.

$12.00, Belle Meade Garage, auto hire.

$11.88, Hudson Observer, advertising auction of lands.

$450.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$2.04, Hudson Observer, application National-Central theatres.

$1.92, Hudson Observer, application Sarnoff-Irving Hat Store.

$15.24, Hudson Observer, ordinance, M. W. Kellogg Company.

$12.96, Hudson Observer, ordinance, Fleckenstein.

$16.92, Hudson Observer, ordinance, M. W. Kellogg Company.

$6.96, Hudson Observer, ordinance, Ferrett Estate.

$19.76, Hudson Observer, application Hespe Realty Company, awning.

$16.58, Hudson Observer, ordinance, Standard Oil Company, track.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application DeAngelis.

$450.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$86.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$2.00, Evening Journal Association, application, R. J. Miller.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application, Harry Max.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Nays: None.

AUDITING CLAIMS:

By Commissioner Fagen.

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$33.00, Kenneth Appolant, auto supplies.

$22.25, American Musical Supply Company, refund.

$47.30, J. H. Brown, supplies.

$500.00, J. V. Beam, professional services.

$11.51, Boonton Auto Garage, supplies.

$9.20, Builders Iron Foundry, supplies.

$4.40, Walter J. Coleman, supplies.

$4.50, Walter J. Coleman, supplies.

$9.75, Walter J. Coleman, repairs.

$16.00, W. L. Doremus, horseshoeing.

$11,808.00, East Jersey Water Company, December.

$10.00, to Erie Railroad, rent.

$83.80, Frank Estler, ice, Boonton.

$7.12, S. Gorlin, refund.

$5.50, Great Bear Spring Company, water.

$31.00, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$4.60, R. D. Heath, repairs.

$23.13, Borough of North Arlington, water.

$315.24, Neptune Meter Company, meters.

$93.52, New York Telephone Company, services.

$3.00, New York Telephone Company, services.

$7.93, New York Telephone Company, services.

$319.93, J. F. Nagel, insurance.

$97.08, Pennsylvania Railroad, refund.

$54.20, Ross Valve Manufacturing Company, supplies.

$9.25, The Texas Oil, supplies.

$12.95, The Texas Oil, supplies.

$243.35, Valvoline Oil Company, supplies.

$14.25, Patrick Vendetto, ice, High Service.

$124.70, Geo. A. Wood, refund.

$6.00, Ward's Electric Shop, supplies.

$231.85, P. Jocham Company, repairs.

$100.00, to M. Ely, stamps.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons, for the amounts and purposes indicated:

$16.50, E. Leitz, Inc., spectroscope.

$12.00, Norwich Pharmacal Company, drugs.

$397.04, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$330.75, The Beckman Company, blankets.

$197.40, The Kleinhaus Store, sheets.

$18.62, The Norwich Pharmacal Company, drugs.

$78.20, Swift & Company, meat.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Nays: None.

PAY ROLLS.

By Commissioner Fagen for Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached payrolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being for services rendered during the periods specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS.

From Mayor Hague advising the Board that on January 6, 1921, he appointed Dr. Margaret N. Sullivan, Mr. Arthur Potterton and Mr. John Ferris, members of the Board of Education of Jersey City for the term beginning February 1, 1921.

Received.

From Commissioner Fagen, returning blueprint and application of the National-Central Theatres, Inc., for permission to erect marquise at No. 269-275 Central Avenue, advising the Board that he had granted a temporary permit for the construction of said marquise, pending the final disposition of the matter by the Board, and also recommending that the matter be proceeded with in the usual manner.

Received.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, John Fenton has tendered his resignation as a member of the Jersey City Fire Department; therefore be it

Resolved, That the resignation of John Fenton as a member of the Jersey City Fire Department be and the same is hereby accepted, effective from February 1, 1921.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, The Director of Public Safety has this day submitted to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City specifications for one one and one-half ton chassis for use in the Jersey City Police Department; and

Whereas, The Board of Commissioners has approved said specifications; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the said specifications, covering one one and one-half ton chassis, be and they are hereby approved and ordered filed and the City Clerk authorized and requested to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commisisioner Bentley:

Whereas, Bids have been received for the furnishing and delivering of twelve motorcycles and twenty-four side cars for use in the Jersey City Police Department, as per plans and specifications on file in the City Clerk's office; and

Whereas, The bid of Baker, Murray & Imbrie, Inc., is the lowest bid received; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing the above named twelve motorcycles and twenty-four side cars be and the same is hereby awarded to Baker, Murray & Imbrie at the price named in their bid; and be it further

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby authorized to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for same.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, Bids have been received for the furnishing and delivering of Three (3) type 59, 1920, 8 cylinder chassis for use in the Department of Public Safety as per plans and specifications on file in the City Clerk's office; and

Whereas, The bid of the Cadillac Motor Car Co. is the lowest bid received; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing the above named three type 59, 1920, 8 cylinder chassis be and the same is hereby awarded to the Cadillac Motor Car Co. at the price named in their bid; and be it further

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby authorized to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for same.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, Bids have been received for the furnishing and delivering of one touring care for use in the Department of Public Safety, as per plans and specifications on file in the City Clerks' office; and

Whereas, The Bid of the Blakeslee-Cadillac Co. is the lowest bid received; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing the above named touring car be and the same is hereby awarded to the Blakeslee-Cadillac Co. at the price named in their bid; and be it further

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby authorized to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for same.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer, and approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form, for furnishing and delivering Fire Hydrants for use in Jersey City, be and they are hereby adopted and ordered filed, and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Bentley, Fagen, and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That Michael Boylan, Thomas Baker and John P. Kelly be and they are hereby appointed Foremen in the Street Cleaning Bureau, Department of Streets and Public Improvements, at a salary of Two Thousand Dollars ($2,000) each, per annum, payable semi-monthly, the Civil Service Commission having certified to the Director of the Department that they are on the eligible list for appointment. This resolution to take effect immediately.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, This Board met on the 18th day of May, 1920, to hear, consider and adjudicate upon objections against the final assessment map for the improvement of all that part of Merseles street from its present southerly terminus to Montgomery street, by the opening and extension of Merseles street from a point 102.50 feet north of Montgomery street to Montgomery street in conformity to provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917 and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof; and

Whereas, At said meeting, objections were received from Joseph Dixon Crucible Company; and

Whereas, This Board is of the opinion that said objections have some merit; and

Whereas, As a result of said objections the whole matter was referred to the Commissioners of Assessments for readjustment and reassessment; and

Whereas, Said Commissioners of Assessments have recommended that the assessments for benefits be reduced by 50 per cent. on all property shown on said map with the exception of that property covered by Commissioners Numbers 1 and 91; therefore be it

Resolved, That the recommendation of the Commissioners of Assessments be approved and the assessment as revised and shown in column headed "Corrected Benefits" be and is hereby confirmed; and be it

Resolved, That the awards as set forth in the said final assessment map and report be and are hereby confirmed; and be it

Resolved, That the following sums be paid to the following named persons to whom the awards were made for real estate taken and damages sustained in making of improvement and, where the Commissioners have reported the names or estates of the owners as unknown, the amount of the awards of said plot shall be paid as provided for under the provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917. The awards on account of same shall be paid to the owners thereof when and as their interest may appear, to wit:

SCHEDULE OF AWARDS:

Owners name, Elizabeth A. Spratt, guardian for Hugh D. Davis; Block No. 426; Lot No. B1; Comrs. No. 1. Square feet of land taken, 5,866.12; value of land taken, $3,500.00; award for Buildings, etc., taken, $400.00; Award for moving buildings, $350.00; damage to owner, $150.00. Total damages, $4,400.00; total benefits, $350.00; damages in excess of benefits, $4,050.00; benefits in excess of damages, nothing; and be it

Resolved, That in all cases where the amount of the assessment exceeds the award to the same person, no payment shall be made to such person on account of such award; that the award shall be cancelled and only the excess of said assessment over said award shall be a lien, and all of the assessment except such excess shall be cancelled.

Resolved, That in all cases where the amount of the award equals or exceeds the assessment to the same person, the said assessment shall be cancelled and only the excess of the award over the assessment paid to such person.

Resolved, That the City Clerk be directed to file the said final assessment map with the City Collector for collection.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen for Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, In anticipation of the receipt of taxes to be levied or of taxes levied and not delinquent, this municipality may borrow and have obligations outstanding to provide such moneys as may be necessary to meet its lawful expenditures under the appropriations for the year for which such taxes are levied or are to be levied, to wit, the fiscal year 1921; therefore be it.

Resolved, That in pursuance of Chapter 192, P. L. 1917, approved March 8, 1917, as amended, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do and they hereby authorize and direct that Tax Anticipation Notes of the City of Jersey City be issued to the amount of $180,000.00 bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum, payable July 1, 1921, and at maturity; said Notes to be dated January 26, 1921, to become due and payable December 31, 1921, or sooner if called by the City, and shall be signed by the Mayor or Acting Mayor and the Director of Revenue and Finance or Deputy Comptroller and attested by the City Clerk.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners on January 4, 1921, for the furnishing and delivering of about 200 Rolls of Standard Hardware Cloth to the Department of Parks and Public Property; and

Whereas, The bid of the Whipple Hardware Company was the lowest bid received; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the contract for the furnishing and delivering of Standard Hardware Cloth be and is hereby awarded to the Whipple Hardware Co. at the price named in their bid; said material to be delivered only in quantities as ordered by the Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for the same.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners for the furnishing and delivering of about 300 tons of well rotted horse manure to the Department of Parks and Public Property, and

Whereas, The bid of the Jersey City Horse Manure Company was the lowest bid received; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the contract for the furnishing and delivering of well rotted manure be and is hereby awarded to the Jersey City Horse Manure Company at the price named in their bid, said material to be delivered in quantities as ordered by the Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property, and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for the same.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the specifications submitted by the Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property for the furnishing and delivering of wire fencing for Bayside Park, be and they are hereby approved, and that the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the specifications submitted by the Director of Parks and Public Property for the furnishing and delivering of bedding stock be and they are hereby approved, and the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the specifications submitted by the Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property for the furnishing and delivery of about 15,000 lineal feet of wire fabric, be and they are hereby approved, and that the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to execute a contract with the Public Service Electric Company for the installation of a duplicate lighting system on operating room floor of the new hospital building which is known as a "breakdown" system.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore for Mayor Hague:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'The Building Code,' passed September 7, 1907, and approved October 1, 1907."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of John T. Rowland, Jr., architect in charge of the preparation of plans and specifications for the construction and equipment of the new City Hospital Buildings, contract for furnishing and delivering six (6) food conveyors and fourteen (14) milk urns for use in the Jersey City Hospital, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Kny-Scheerer Corporation at the price named in their bid, namely, $3,040.00, that being the only bid received, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to have prepared and executed the necessary contracts therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose public inspection.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen, the Board adjourned.

JOHN BENTLEY,
MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
A. HARRY MOORE,
Commissioners.

Approved:
FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

Minutes of Meetings

of

Board of Commissioners

February, 1921

MEETING OF FEBRUARY 1, 1921

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, February 1, 1921, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

RECEPTION OF BIDS.

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for furnishing supplies to the various departments of the city government, the City Clerk called for bids, with the following result:

HAY, GRAIN, FEED, ETC.

1. Carscallen & Cassidy, by item, with surety company bond.

2. John F. Armstrong, by item, with surety company bond.

2. ONE AND A HALF TON CHASSIS, FIRE DEPARTMENT.

1. Morris Motor Car Co, $6,280.12, with surety company bond.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen, the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received opened and read and referred to the Director of the Department from which the specifications emanated for investigation and recommendation.

FRANCHISE HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications for franchise privileges:

Maria C. Goss, encroachment on building known as lot 1, block 1202, southeast corner of Charlotte Avenue and St. Paul's Avenue.

National-Central Theatres, Inc., marquise, 269-275 Central Avenue.

The City Clerk read each application and then called for any one who might desire to protest against any of the above described applications. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against either application.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the following described applications for franchise privileges:

Maria C Goss, encroachment on building southeast corner of Charlotte Avenue and St. Paul's Avenue.

National-Central Theatres, Inc., marquise, 269-275 Central Avenue.

Armour & Co., tracks, Sixteenth and Monmouth Streets.

Armour & Co., track, Eighteenth Street.

Be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to Tuesday, February 15, 1921, at 2 p. m., in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

CITY ORDINANCES.

This time and place having been advertised as required by law for considering the final passage of the following described ordinances:

"An ordinance appropriating $3,438 for the installation of a police signal system and authorizing temporary bonds for said purpose and providing for the payment of said bonds.

"An ordinance appropriating the sum of twenty thousand four hundred dollars ($20,400) for street improvements and authorizing the issuance of temporary street improvement bonds therefor.

"An ordinance appropriating the sum of thirteen thousand ($13,000) dollars for street improvements and authorizing the issuance of temporary street improvement bonds therefor.

"An ordinance appropriating $24,900 for the purchase of Police Department equipment and authorizing temporary bonds for said purpose, and providing for the payment of said bonds."

The City Clerk read each ordinance and then called for any one who might desire to protest against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon, the ordinances were referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications:

Costas Pitsas, electric sign to extend seven feet from building line at No. 242 Bay Street.

Robert Gantner, electric sign to extend six feet from building line at No. 577 Ocean Avenue.

The City Clerk read each application and then called for any one who might desire to protest against the granting of any of the above described applications. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the granting of the applications.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Costas Pitsas to erect an electric sign to extend seven feet from building line as shown on blue print attached to application at No. 242 Bay Street; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Robert Gantner to erect an electric sign to project six feet from building line as shown on blue print attached to application at No. 577 Ocean Avenue; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

At this time Mr. A. R. Hough and

Mr. P. Bramsen appeared before the Board and presented a written protest signed by several residents and property owners, against the operation of a carpet cleaning factory at Nos. 192-200 Lembeck Avenue. The protest states that the buildings are old and dried out; that the structural condition is so frail as to make these premises a menace to the neighborhood; that the buildings are infested with all kinds of vermin, constituting a very unhealth condition and being a nuisance that is a menace to the health of the surrounding neighborhood.

The Mayor stated that in matters of this kind it is the policy of the Board not to proceed until all parties interested are present, that is, the persons conducting the business in said buildings and the protestants, but if a serious condition existed which is detrimental to the health and surrounding property in the vicinity he would instruct the Health Department to investigate the matter immediately and upon their finding that such conditions existed, he would then proceed through the proper legal channels for the purpose of obtaining the desired relief for the property owners and residents.

In conclusion the matter was referred to the Corporation Attorney with instructions to have the proper complaint drawn so that the Board of Health may proceed upon their investigation.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From Broadway Corbin Realty Co., advising the Board that they are desirous of dedicating to the City a plot of ground eighty feet in width, 84.37 feet in depth on the westerly side and 75.69 feet in depth on the easterly side which was formerly a part of Corbin Avenue, which has been vacated by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City to the Davis-Bournonville Company in 1918.

Received and referred to Commissioners Fagen and Gannon.

From Patrick Connelly of No. 13 E. Hamilton Place, Jersey City, requesting a just settlement for his claim against the City due him on account of the contract for the construction of a 30-inch brick circular sewer in Henderson Street, between 14th and 18th Streets and in 18th Street between Erie and Henderson Streets.

Received and referred to Commissioners Fagen and the Corporation Counsel.

From the Newark Tire & Rubber Co., requesting permission to erect electric sign at No. 516 Bergen Avenue.

Received.

OFFICERS COMMUNICATIONS.

From Jersey City Development Plan Board of Engineers, recommending that the City begin immediately, condemnation proceedings to acquire all that part of the west waterfront extending from Bayonne City Line to the Newark Branch of the Central Railroad of N. J. with the exception of the lands of the Mutual Chemical Co. and the Ryerson Company in connection with the Wester Waterfront Development.

Received and referred to Commissioner Moore.

From Jersey City Development Plan Board of Engineers, requesting the Board to direct the Corporation Counsel to prepare a complete statement of the legal status of all the properties lying in the South Cove, Morris Canal Basin and adjacent areas, present the location for development of a great modern marine terminal.

Received and referred to Commissioner Moore.

From Supt. of Weights and Measures, submitting annual report for the Department of Weights and Measures as of December 31, 1920.

Received and ordered filed.

From Supt. Bureau of Municipal Relief, submitting annual report for the Bureau of Municipal Relief as of December 31, 1920.

Received and ordered filed.

From Supt. of Buildings, submitting report for January, 1921.

Received and ordered filed.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered

drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named for the following amounts and purposes:

POLICE.

$63.98, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., parts.

$835.94, Carscallen and Cassidy, feed.

$22.90, A. Datz Co., printing.

$39.15, General Speedometer Repair Co., repairs.

$2.00, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$61.00, W. R. Harrison, prisoners' photos.

$28.50, J. C. Lumber Co., lumber.

$24.00, J C. Typewriter Exchange, repairs and rental.

$12.00, H. Jasper, supplies.

$150.00, E. S. Myers, rent stable.

$132.29, N. Y. Tel. Co., service.

$12.00, National Gas Governor Co., rental regulators.

$33.00, N. J. Nickle Plating Works, plating.

$33.00, Phinotas Chemical Co., disinfectant.

$41.16, Payton & Hoos, desk.

$10.00, Union Printing Co., postage.

$45.00, Union Printing Co., stationery.

$2.45, N. R. Vahdernoof, cotton duck.

$3.75, Western Union Telegraph Co., rental clock.

$30.36, Whitlock Cordage Co., rope.

$2.25, J. F. Kelly, keys.

$275.00, Smith & Kelleher.

$40.00, Philip Gogarty.

$40.84, New York Telephone Co.

$24.08, John A. Vill & Son.

$16.45, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co.

$22.35, L. J. Tonnele.

$22.05, F. B. Brill.

$22.05, Joseph H. Browne.

$26.46, Interstate Chemical Co.

$13.23, Interstate Chemical Co.

$13.23, Interstate Chemical Co.

$55.54, Carscallen & Cassidy.

$517.65, Carscallen & Cassidy.

$4.00, The American City.

$33.05, Chas. F. Hansen.

$4.00, Standard Oxygen Co.

$7.50, Western Union Telegraph Co.

$9.00, Thos. L. Higgins.

$24.00, Garfunkel Bros.

$25.00, Garfunkel Bros.

$52.50, Walter J. Coleman.

$18.50, Thos. L. Higgins.

$41.60, Valvoline Oil Co.

$41.20, Valvoline Oil Co.

$41.60, Valvoline Oil Co.

$90.00, Am. La France Fire Eng. Co.

$24.00, Am. La France Fire Eng. Co.

$18.00, Am. La France Fire Eng. Co.

$170.00, Am. La France Fire Eng. Co.

$8.00, Am. La France Fire Eng. Co.

$40.00, Am. La France Fire Eng. Co.

$15.00, Am. La France Fire Eng. Co.

$21.06, Am. Bosch Magneto Corp.

$7.84, Am. Bosch Magneto Corp.

$14.78, Am. Bosch Magneto Corp.

$58.80, Thomas L Higgins.

$8.05, E. A. Williams & Son.

$23.85, Fleischman Bros.

$23.75, New Jersey Nickle Plating Works.

$166.50, Fred's Auto Exchange.

$1.95, Jersey City Supply Co.

$33.75, Wedlake-Lamson Co.

$8.19, Lake Sales Co.

$12.14, Lake Sales Co.

$16.55, Lake Sales Co.

$23.25, Whipple Hardware Co.

$14.83, Whipple Hardware Co.

$22.25, Whipple Hardware Co.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$450.15, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$866.65, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$20.90, A. B. Dick Company, supplies.

$1.50, Great Bear Spring Company, supplies.

$3.50, Great Bear Spring Company, supplies.

$1.25, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$1.00, Lehigh Valley Railroad Company, rental.

$254.00, H. T. J. Moran, insurance.

$6.75, New York Telephone Company, service.

$4.10, New York Telephone Company, service.

$2.60, New York Telephone Company, service.

$8.51, New York Telephone Company, service.

$7.70, New York Telephone Company, service.

$38.29, New York Telephone Company, service.

$3.00, Public Works, subscription.

$4.56, Royal Blue Print Co., prints.

$52.00, Union Printing Co., supplies.

$217.65, Hawkins, Delafied & Longfellow, service.

$318.25, Hawkins, Delafield & Longfellow, service.

$65.00, City Treasurer.

$8.40, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$55.92, Hawkins, Delafield & Longfellow, service.

$5.05, J. G. Block, supplies.

$21.25, Chester Du Puy, feed.

$31.85, James P. Hall, cement.

$162.43, Lynch & Hahn, supplies.

$7.72, Dr. Geo. E. McLoughlin, expenses.

$2,335.38, Fagan Iron Works, castings.

$1,000.00, George W. Fuller, professional services.

$1,000.00, George A. Johnson, professional services.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$3.96, Evening Journal Association, advertising bond ordinance.

$3.96, Evening Journal Association, advertising bond ordinance.

$10.00, New York Telephone Company, service.

$3.96, Evening Journal Association, advertising bond ordinance.

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$3.96, Evening Journal Association, advertising bond ordinance.

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$4.44, Evening Journal Association, advertising ordinance, taxes.

$1.25, Dobke Typewriter Exchange, repairs.

$3.96, Hudson Observer, advertising bond ordinance.

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$168.00, Hudson Observer, advertising tax budget.

$4.08, Hudson Observer, advertising ordinance, taxes.

$3.96, Hudson Observer, advertising bond ordinance.

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$3.72, Evening Journal Association, advertising bond ordinance.

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$3.75, Geo. J. Boland, typewriter repairs.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the City Treasurer in payment of the following claims:

$45.00, William Conerty, insurance.

$34.60, Edward Frelond, insurance.

$80.00, Thos. Fallon, Jr., insurance.

$40.00, John W. Curtis, insurance.

$40.00, Michel & Moore, insurance.

$80.00, Rollfs Realty Co., insurance.

$160.00, R. C. E. May, insurance.

$80.00, John Haesloop, insurance.

$37.17, Andrew Fischer, insurance.

$14.00, W. H. Edwards, insurance.

$80.00, Louis A. Boehler, insurance.

$80.00, Hudson Real Estate Co., insurance.

$80.00, John P. Landrine, insurance.

$160.00, Chas. L. Cast, insurance.

$80.00, Thos. P. Kenny, insurance.

$80.00, Geo. J. Wolf Co., insurance.

$80.00, Rowland & Westphal, insurance.

$80.00, J. F. Nagle, insurance.

$77.00, Van Houten & Sheerwood, insurance.

$80.00, Love, Wanser & Cooney, insurance.

$84.00, Andrew Fischer, insurance.

$80.00, W. S. Bengado, insurance.

$120.00, John E. Muller, insurance.

$80.00, Frederick Bietz, insurance.

$96.25, Harry J. Reed, insurance.

$80.00, Roth & Kudelman, glass.

$66.43, Belle Meade Garage, auto repairs.

$46.90, S. J. Crawford Co, plumbing.

$85.35, S. J. Crawford Co, radiator repairs.

$4.38, Smooth-On Mfg. Co., cement.

$31.20, Jersey City Lumber Co., lumber.

$61.71, Jersey City Lumber Co., cypress and partitions.

$25.10, S. J. Crawford Co., plumbing repairs.

$3.40, S. J. Crawford Co., roof cement.

$12.74, Jersey City Lumber Co., lumber.

$6.29, Walter J. Coleman, electric material.

$54.00, Union Printing Co., time sheets.

$80.00, Henry Holtzman, insurance.

$2.15, Chas. F. Hansen, tags and file box.

$12.00, Chas. F. Hansen, books.

$45.75, Western Union Telegraph Co., clock hire.

$3.30, Thos. L. Higgins, axe handles and alcohol.

$130.34, Murphy Tire Co., tires.

$10.00, W. A. Barclay, tank repairs.

$12.00, Jersey City Ladder Co., rope.

$2.15, Thos. L. Higgins, sponges and staples.

$36.83, R. H. Perry Coal Co., coal.

$122.70, Jersey City Lumber Co., lumber.

$25.20, Colgate Co., soap.

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$7.65, N. Y. Telephone Co., telephone service.

$7.85, Chas. F. Hansen, carbon and ribbon.

$3.25, Expert Auto Tire Co., tube and tire repairs.

$96.00, W. A. Barclay Co., roof and leader repairs.

$484.30, Geo. W. Irving, plumbing.

$74.47, Belle Meade Auto Sales, auto parts.

$2.80, J. C. Supply Co., bibbs and couplings.

$150.07, J. C. Horse Manure Co., horse manure.

$7.00, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., grease and graphite.

$21.45, Elliott-Kiel Co., auto spring repairs.

$4.20, Henry J. Reitze, brackets and fixtures.

$5.37, Thos. L. Higgins, material.

$3.75, Thos. L. Higgins, white lead.

$18.50, Thos. L. Haesloop, turpentine and oil.

$7.80, Thos. L. Higgins, hardware.

$25.60, J. C. Ladder Co., ladders.

$5.18, Thos. L. Higgins, miscellaneous hardware.

$7.00, A. J. Haesloop, shellac and brushes.

$24.50, Thos. L. Higgins, locks, knobs and hinges.

$23.10, Thos. L. Higgins, muresco.

$32.08, John F. Craig, copper pan and valves.

$20.45, W. A. Barclay, heater and roof repairs.

$192.00, W. A. Barclay, new skylight.

$16.00, Smooth-On Mfg. Co., cement.

$47.16, N. Y. Telephone Co., telephone service.

$175.00, J. Corcoran, plumbing.

$37.75, J. Ward, plumbing.

$38.40, Marcy Stove Repair Co., bars.

$4.96, Marcy Stove Repair Co., rod.

$62.10, S. J. Crawford, heater repairs.

$6.75, Henry J. Reitze, electric bracket.

$2.00, Adam Black, shovel repairs.

$18.00, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$2.75, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$8.33, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$1.80, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$4.30, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS.

From Commissioner Fagen, submitting communication from Clyde Potts addressed to him relating to minor changes in the work being done by Patrick McGovern on Section 2 of the duplicate pipe line, being extra work order "L," also submitting resolution authorizing said changes, and recommending that the same be passed and the contract amended accordingly.

Received and the recommendations adopted.

From Commissioner Fagen, submitting resolution authorizing the Corporation Counsel to engage at least two consulting engineers and such experts as he may deem necessary in the suit of the City of Paterson and others against Jersey City, restraining Jersey City from constructing the proposed trunk line sewer from Dover to a point below the Dam at Boonton, and also the construction of a sewage disposal plant below said Dam.

Received.

From Commissioner Fagen, advising the Board that he had carefully considered the objections presented against the confirmation of the final assessment map and report for the improvement of Cornelison Avenue from Fairmount Avenue to the north line of Montgomery Street and also the report of the Assessment Commission to whom he had referred the objections and that in his opinion the objections are not sufficient and in view of the fact that a great majority of the property owners liable for assessment appear to be satisfied with said assessment, he would recommend that the objections be not sustained and that the assessment as shown on said map be confirmed, and further recommending that the City Clerk prepare said submit a resolution confirming said assessment.

Received and recommendations adopted.

From Commissioner Gannon, submitting supplemental debt statement.

Received and ordered filed.

From the Mayor, submitting adverse recommendation from the Supt. of Bldgs. on the application of Herbert Post of 89 Belleville Avenue, Newark, N. J., for permission to locate lunch wagon at No. 376 Grand Street, Jersey City, and recommending that the application be denied for the reason that he concurs with the opinion of the Building Superintendent.

Received and recommendations adopted.

From Commissioner Gannon, recommending that a charge of $1000.00 be made for the vacation of Jane & Commercial Streets, for the relief of the Natural Products Refining Co., or in lieu of said charge, an annual rental of $225.00 for the privilege, the City retaining the fee of the street.

Received.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, It is deemed practical that the City enter into a lease with Etta S. Meyers for the use and occupancy of property owned by her and known as numbers 9 and 11 Jewett Avenue, which property, with the building thereon, is used as a stable; and

Whereas, a lease has been drafted satisfactory to both parties, the City on the one hand and the owner on the other, wherein the City leases the said premises for one year at a rental of One Thousand, Eight Hundred and 00/100 ($1800.00) Dollars; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Mayor and the Director of Public Safety be empowered to enter into the said agreement on the terms above set forth and authorized to execute the said lease on behalf of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, This Board met on the Thirtieth day of November, 1920, to hear, consider and adjudicate upon objections which should be presented against the final assessment map and report for the improvement of Cornelison Avenue from Fairmount Avenue to the North Line of Montgomery Street, conformably to the provisions of Chapter 217 of the Laws of 1895.

And Whereas, This Board has considered each and all the objections presented at such meeting, and have adjudicated upon the same, and have determined that neither all nor any of them are sufficient; therefore,

Resolved, That said final assessment map and report, as filed by the Commissioners of Assessment on the Ninth day of November, 1920, and the said assessment therein shown be and the same are hereby confirmed, and that the City Clerk be directed to file the same with the City Collector for collection.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the recommendation contained in the letter from the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements to this Board at meeting held this day, with reference to engaging of experts to aid the Corporation Counsel in the matter of defending suit of the City of Paterson and others vs. the City of Jersey City, restraining the construction of trunk line sewer and disposal plant, be approved; and be it further

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby authorized to engage such experts as, in his opinion, are necessary to aid him in the preparation of the proper defense of this case; and be it further

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be requested to prepare and submit to this Board for execution, agreements between the City and the parties whom he engages for this purpose, at the next meeting of the Board.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, it appears from communication addressed to the Board by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, dated February 1, 1921, that certain changes in the contract between the City and Patrick McGovern are necessary and advisable, which changes are as follows:

Extra Work Order "L."

The furnishing and delivering on the ground of five complete 72 in. by 16 in. split tees and tapping valves; the use of the tapping machine, five valves, and the tapping sleeves together with the services of a superintendent operating the machine; the furnishing of all lead and labor necessary for the caulking of sleeves in place, and also labor to assist the superintendent in making the cuts, and the doing of all work incident to the making of such connections in good workmanlike manner. The cost of the above not to exceed the sum of nine thousand dollars ($9,000.00).

All work shall be done in strict accordance with the directions of the engineer in charge, and subject to his approval, and payment for the same will be made in accordance with section M of said contract.

Now therefore be it resolved that the contract be and the same is hereby changed and amended accordingly, and the contractor be and he is hereby authorized to proceed to make such changes; further

Resolved, That a certified copy of this resolution be signed by the contractor and filed with the City Clerk as evidence of its assent thereto.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance appropriating $3,438.00 for the installation of a police signal system and authorizing temporary bonds for said purpose and providing for the payment of said bonds.

The Board of Commissioners and the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, New Jersey, do ordain:

Section 1. The sum of $3,438.00 is hereby appropriated for the installation of a police signal system in the City in addition to previous appropriations made for said purpose.

Sec. 2. For the purpose of meeting said appropriation and of temporarily financing said improvement which is not yet completed, temporary improvement bonds in the amount of $3,438.00 shall be issued in pursuance of an Act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled: "An Act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March 22, 1916, constituting Chapter 252 of the laws of 1916, as amended.

Sec. 3. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of not exceeding six per cen[illegible]m (6%) per annum, and may from ti[illegible] to time be renewed. No bonds is[illegible] in pursuance of this ordinance sha[illegible] mature more than six years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out. Said bonds shall be executed by the Deputy Comptroller under the seal of the City and attested by the City Clerk, and shall recite they are issued to temporarily finance the installation of the police signal system.

Sec. 4. Said bonds shall be sold by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and shall be in such form, and shall mature at such time or times, subject to the provisions hereof as he may determine, and all other matters in respect thereof shall be determined by said Director.

Sec. 5. Said bonds shall at maturity be paid out of the proceeds of sale of funding bonds, or if not so paid, a tax shall be levied and collected, sufficient in amount to pay said bonds as they mature. In each year after the date of said bonds a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay the interest on said bonds.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Revolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance appropriating the sum of twenty thousand four hundred dollars ($20,400) for street improvements and authorizing the issuance of temporary street improvement bonds therefor.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, New Jersey, do ordain:

Section 1. In addition to the amounts heretofore appropriated, the sum of twenty thousand four hundred dollars ($20,400) is hereby appropriated for the repaving of Grand Street from the easterly side of Mill Creek to the easterly side of Communipaw Avenue; Communipaw Avenue from the easterly side of Grand Street to the westerly line of the Morris Canal bridge; and the westerly side of Communipaw Avenue from the westerly line of Grand Street to the southerly line of Park Street; and Pacific Avenue from the southerly line of Ash Street to the southerly side of Grand Street.

Section 2. In order to meet the said appropriation and to temporarily finance the said improvement, which was completed on January 4, 1921, temporary improvement bonds in the amount of twenty thousand four hundred dollars ($20,400) shall be issued in pursuance of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled, "An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March 22, 1916, constituting Chapter 252 of the Laws of 1916 as amended.

Section 3. The Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance is hereby authorized to issue the said bonds from time to time and to renew the same, provided, however, that none of the bonds issued hereunder shall mature after January 1, 1927. The said bonds shall bear interest at not exceeding 6 per centum (6 per centum) per annum, and shall recite that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing street improvements. The said bonds shall be in such form and shall be sold in such manner as the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance shall determine.

Section 4. The said bonds shall upon maturity be paid out of the proceeds of sale of funding bonds or, if not so paid, a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay said bonds as they mature. In each year after the date of said bonds a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay the interest on said bonds.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An Ordinance appropriating $24,900.00 for the purchase of Police Department equipment and authorizing temporary bonds for said purpose, and providing for the payment of said bonds.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, New Jersey, do ordain:

Section 1. The sum of $24,900.00 is hereby appropriated for the purchase of the following equipment, for the Police Department in addition to previous appropriations made for said purpose to wit:

Three patrol wagon chassis and one automobile........	$16,500.00
Twelve motor cycles and 24 side cars..................	8,400.00

Section 2. For the purpose of meeting said appropriation and of temporarily financing said improvements which are not yet completed, temporary improvement bonds in the amount of $24,900.00 shall be issued in pursuance of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled "An Act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March 22, 1916, constituting Chapter 252, P. L. 1916, as amended.

Section 3. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of not exceeding six per centum per annum, and may from time to time be renewed. No bonds issued in pursuance of this ordinance shall mature more than six years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out. Said bonds shall be executed by the Deputy Comptroller under the seal of the City and attested by the City Clerk and shall recite that they are issued to temporarily finance the purchase of equipment for the Police Department.

Section 4. Said bonds shall be sold by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and shall be in such form, and shall mature at such time or times, subject to the provisions hereof as he may determine, and all other matters in respect thereof shall be determined by said Director.

Section 5. Said bonds shall at maturity be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of Funding Bonds, or if not so paid, a tax shall be levied and collected, sufficient in amount to pay said bonds as they mature. In each year after the date of said bonds a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay the interest on said bonds.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagan, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An Ordinance appropriating the sum of thirteen thousand dollars ($13,000) for street improvements and authorizing the issuance of temporary street improvement bonds therefor.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, New Jersey, do ordain:

Section 1. In addition to the amounts heretofore appropriated the sum of thirteen thousand dollars ($13,000) is hereby appropriated for the improvement of Communipaw Avenue from the Morris Canal bridge to Suydam

Section 2. In order to meet the said appropriation and to temporarily finance the said improvement, which has not yet been completed, temporary improvement bonds in the amount of thirteen thousand dollars ($13,000) shall be issued in pursuance of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled, "An Act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March 22, 1916, constituting Chapter 252 of the Laws of 1916 as amended.

Section 3. The Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance is hereby authorized to issue the said bonds from time to time and to renew the same, provided, however, that none of the bonds issued hereunder shall mature after more than six (6) years after the date of the completion of said improvement. The said bonds shall bear interest at not exceeding six per centum (6%) per annum and shall recite that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing street improvements. The said bonds shall be in such form and shall be sold in such manner as the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance shall determine.

Section 4. The said bonds shall upon maturity be paid out of the proceeds of sale of funding bonds or, if not so paid, a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay said bonds as they mature. In each year after the date of said bonds a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay the interest on said bonds.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagan, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, In anticipation of the receipt of taxes to be levied or of taxes levied and not delinquent, this municipality may borrow and have obligations outstanding to provide such moneys as may be necessary to meet its lawful expenditures under the appropriations for the year for which such taxes are levied or are to be levied, to wit, the fiscal year 1921:

Resolved, That in pursuance of Chapter 192, P. L. 1917, approved March 28, 1917, as amended, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do and they hereby authorize and direct that Tax Anticipation Notes of the City of Jersey City be issued to the amount of $180,000.00, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum, payable July 1, 1921, and at maturity; said notes to be dated February 2, 1921, to become due and payable December 31, 1921, or sooner if called by the City, and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance appropriating $6,400.00 for the purchase of Fire Department equipment and authorizing temporary bonds for said purpose, and providing for the payment of said bonds."

Two weeks.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance appropriating $7,955.00 for the purchase of Fire Department equipment and authorizing temporary bonds for said purpose and providing for the payment of said bonds."

Two weeks.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Mayor Hague:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to regulate the maintaining and keeping of lodging houses in Jersey City, for public safety."

Two weeks.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Buildings of Jersey City the application of Herbert Post, of 89 Belleville avenue, Newark, N. J., for permission to locate a lunch wagon at 376 Grand street, Jersey City, be and the same is hereby denied for the reason that such structure will constitute a fire hazard, and the proposed location being within the fire limits.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, that the Hon. James F. Gannon, Jr., and Hon. John Bentley, members of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, be and they are hereby appointed members of the Board of School Estimate of Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That in pursuance to the provisions of Chapter 212, Article 2, P. L. 1917, Robert Hoos be and he is hereby appointed a member of the sinking Fund Commission of Jersey City, without pay, for the term of three years, to wit, to January 1, 1924; and be it further

Resolved, That the said Robert Hoos shall be deemed to have been appointed on January 1, 1921; and be it further

Resolved, That the said Robert Hoos shall give a bond to the City of Jersey City, which bond shall be approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form and by the Director of Revenue and Finance as to sufficiency of sureties.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering fifty (50) miles ef No. 10 hard drawn copper wire to the Department of Public Safety of Jersey City, be and the same is hereby awarded to Walter J. Coleman, at the price named in his bid, namely, $3,438.00, that being the lowest bid received, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to have prepared and executed the necessary contracts therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, Bids have been received by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City for furnishing and delivering two (2) one and one-half ton trucks for use in the Jersey City Fire Department, as per plans and specifications on file in the City Clerk's office; and

Whereas, The bid of the Morris Motor Car Co. is the lowest bid received; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering two (2) one and one-half ton trucks for use in the Jersey City Fire Department, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Morris Motor Car Company at the price named in their bid, namely, $6,280.12; and be it further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for same.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, Bids have been received for the furnishing and delivering one (1) manual fire alarm telegraph transmitter for use in the Jersey City Fire Department, as per plans and specifications on file in the City Clerk's office; and

Whereas, The bid of the Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Company is the lowest bid received; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing the above named one (1) manual fire alarm telegraph transmitter, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Company at the price named in their bid; and be it further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for same.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, Bids have been received for the furnishing and delivering of one (1) or more fire alarm recording registers for use in the Jersey City Fire Department, as per plans and specifications on file in the City Clerk's office; and

Whereas, The bid of the Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Company is the lowest bid received; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing one (1) fire alarm recording register, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Company at the price named in their bid; and be it further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for same.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the Board adjourned.

JOHN BENTLEY,
MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.
A. HARRY MOORE.
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

Approved:
FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF FEBRUARY 8, 1921

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, February 8, 1921, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

RECEPTION OF BIDS.

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for furnishing supplies to the various departments of the City Government, the City Clerk called for bids with the following results:

Fire Hydrants.

1. Kennedy Valve Mfg Co., 98 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

2. A. P. Smith Mfg Co., 107 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

1½-ton Truck Police Dept.

1. Morris Motor Car Co., $3,442.10, with surety company bond.

Wire Fencing Bayside Park.

1. Cyclone Fence Co., $3,391.06, with surety company bond.

2. Anchor Post Iron Works, $2,493.00, with surety company bond.

Bedding Stock.

1. Wm. Gotthardt, $2,963.25, with surety company bond.

15,000 Lineal Feet Wire Fabric.

1. Whipple Hdw. Co., 28 cents per lineal foot, with freeholder surety bond.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received, opened and read and referred to the Director of the Department from which the specifications emanated.

IMPROVEMENT HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised as required by law for public hearing for the purpose of receiving objections to the confirmation of the final assessment map and report for the improvement of Hutton Street between Hudson Boulevard and Liberty Avenue, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof, the City Clerk read the public notice of hearing and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the confirmation of said assessment map.

A written protest was received from Henry L. Eberle, 426 Summit Avenue, owner of Lot 44, Block 843, in which he stated that the assessment together with the assessed valuation of the lot will make the value of the lot $1,300.00; that he will be unable to sell the lot for such price, further that he is willing to sell the lot for $1,000.00 and cannot get a buyer.

No other written protests were received and no one appeared to object to the confirmation of the said final assessment map and report.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the protest of Harry L. Eberle was not sustained for the reason that in his opinion the assessment shown on said map is equitable and just.

Whereupon the following resolution was introduced:

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, This Board met on the Eighth day of February, 1921, to hear, consider and adjudicate upon objections which should be presented against the final assessment map and report for the improvement of Hutton Street from Hudson Boulevard to Liberty Avenue, conformably to the provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917;

And Whereas, This Board has considered each and all the objections presented at such meeting, and have adjudicated upon the same, and have determined that neither all nor any of them are sufficient; and that the assessment shown on said map is just and equitable; therefore

Resolved, That said final assessment map and report, as filed by the Commissioners of Assessment on the Eleventh day of January, 1921, and the said assessment therein shown be and the same are hereby confirmed, and that the City Clerk be directed to file the same with the City Collector for collection.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

This time and place having been advertised as required by law for public hearing for the purpose of receiving objections to the confirmation of the final assessment map and report for the improvement of Seaview Avenue, between Garfield Avenue and Princeton Avenue, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof, the City Clerk read the public notice of hearing and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the confirmation of said assessment map.

No written protests were received.

The following named persons, property owners on Seaview Avenue, appeared before the Board and stated that the assessment, in their opinion, was too high: Mrs. Cavanaugh, Mrs. M. J. Flynn, J. Ohman and T. F. Costello.

Commissioner Fagen explained that the improvement was very much needed; that labor and material were very high at the time and that the improvement was made in first class manner, thereby greatly benefiting property. He also advised the protestants that the assessment could be paid in five installments during a period of five years.

The protestants agreed that the improvement was necessary and completed in first-class manner.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the protests were not sustained for the reason that in his opinion the assessments shown on said map were equitable and just.

Whereupon the following resolution was introduced:

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, This Board met on the eighth day of February, 1921, to hear, consider and adjudicate upon objections which should be presented against the final assessment map and report for the improvement of Seaview Avenue, from Garfield Avenue to Princeton Avenue, conformably to the provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917; and

Whereas, This Board has considered each and all the objections presented at such meeting, and have adjudicated upon the same, and have determined that neither all nor any of them are sufficient, and that the assessment shown on said map is just and equitable; therefore

Resolved, That said final assessment map and report, as filed by the Commissioners of Assessment on the eleventh day of January, 1921, and the said assessment therein shown be and the same are hereby confirmed, and that the City Clerk be directed to file the same with the City Collector for collection.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

FRANCHISE HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the application of John Hillmann for permission to maintain encroachment on building owned by him, known as No. 605 Ocean Avenue, Jersey City, the City Clerk read the public notice of hearing and then called for anyone who might desire to protest, and no written protests were received against the said application.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the following described applications for franchise privileges:

John Hillmann, encroachment, 605 Ocean Avenue; Schlossberg & Solomon, encroachment, Central Avenue

and Thorne Street; New York Machinery Exchange, vacation Pollock Avenue; vacation of Eleventh Street, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to Wednesday, February 23, 1921, at 2 p. m. in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.
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Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

The hearing on the application of the Natural Products Refining Co. for permission to vacate Jane and Commercial Streets having been adjourned and continued to this time and place, and the City Clerk having caused to be advertised that the Board of Commissioners would consider the final passage of an ordinance covering said application, the City Clerk read the ordinance and then called for any one who might desire to protest against the passage thereof. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the passage of the ordinance.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the final passage of an ordinance covering the application of the Natural Products Refining Company for the vacation of Jane and Commercial Streets, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to Tuesday, February 15, 1921, at 2 p. m., in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

CITY ORDINANCES.

This time and place having been advertised for the purpose of considering the passage of the following described ordinance: "An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'The Building Code,' passed September 7, 1907, and approved October 1, 1907," the City Clerk read the ordinance and then called for any one who might desire to protest against the final passage thereof. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the passage of the ordinance.

On motion of Mayor Hague, the ordinance was referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the application of the Newark Tire and Rubber Company for permission to erect electric sign to extend eight feet from building line at No. 516 Bergen Avenue, Jersey City, the City Clerk read the public notice and application, and then called for any one who might desire to protest against the application.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the application.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to the Newark Tire and Rubber Company to erect electric sign to extend eight feet from building line at No. 516 Bergen Avenue, Jersey City, as shown on blue print attached to application; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From property owners and residents in the vicinity protesting against the proposed erection of a garage or garages on a certain site known as lot Nos. 24-28, in block 704, located on the south side of Prospect Street, between Ogden Avenue and Palisade Avenue.

Received and referred to the Building Department and the Commission on Building Districts and Restrictions.

From Herman Wurret, requesting permission to erect garage in cellar of No. 61 Wade Street.

Received.

From Young & Young, attorneys for Isidor Dlugasch, requesting permission to convert store at 104-106 Greene Street, into a garage for the storage of automobiles.

Received and referred to the Building Department.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

From Board of School Estimate, submitting certified copy of resolution passed by them on October 25, 1920, determining that the sum of $50,000, in addition to the sum of $197,000 heretofore appropriated, is necessary for furniture and equipment to be installed in the Lincoln High School.

Received and referred to the Director of Revenue and Finance.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named parties, for the following amounts and purposes as hereinafter set forth:

$6.00, John S. Menagh Co.

$162.00, Wm. Eckel.

$16.80, Jos. Dixon Crucible Co.

$15.68, I. Judge.

$141.00, Garfunkel Bros.

$17.70, Hudson Observer.

$21.84, Hudson Observer.

$21.84, Hudson Observer.

$21.84, Evening Journal Assn.

$17.64, Evening Journal Assn.

$21.84, Evening Journal Assn.

$15.20, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co.

$13.50, Jersey City Storage Battery Co.

$5.40, Am. Motor Specialties Co.

$1.50, Chas S. Simpkins.

$15.25, Coleman Auto Elec. Service Co.

$1.29, Jersey City Supply Co.

$3.85, I. Judge.

$4.25, Davis Bournonville Co.

$22.05, F. B. Brill.

$76.12, R. H. Perry & Co.

$40.00, James Carroll.

$275.00, Smith & Kelleher.

$10.00, Public Service Elec. Co.

$457.20, Public Service Elec. Co.

$281.82, Public Service Gas Co.

$4.00, Public Service Elec. Co.

$701.03, Carscallen & Cassidy.

$129.36, Chas. H. Engler.

$15.35, H. C. Cassell, soft soap.

$63.96, Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$61.36, Hudson Observer, adv.

$69.95, H. Jasper, lamps.

$12.25, L. Max and Son, glass.

$5.50, J. H. Ohmer, den. alcohol.

$52.95, D. J. O'Brien, brushes.

$36.83, R. H. Perry Co., coal.

$117.00, C. D. Reese Co., badges.

$117.60, L. J. Tonnelle, tires- tubes.

$42.39, Union Printing Co., printing.

$6.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$40.00, Union Printing Co., postage stamps.

$83.75, J. A. Vill and Son, supplies.

$34.79, J. A. Vill and Son, supplies.

$42.00, Valvoline Oil Co., oil.

$15.30, J. A. Vill and Son, supplies.

$4.20, J. C. Ladder Co., ladder.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$263.00, Charles L. Cast, insurance.

$69.75, Hudson Real Estate Company.

$11.65, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$9.40, Chas. F. Hansen, supplies.

$208.25, The Peter Jocham Co., supplies.

$150.00, Union Printing Co., supplies.

$348.00, Union Printing Co., supplies.

$8.16, The Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$9.24, The Evening Journal Assn., adv.

$9.68, The Evening Journal Assn., adv.

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$105.82, The Central Railroad Co. of New Jersey.

$129.49, The Central Railroad Co. of New Jersey.

$125.35, E. B. Dawson Company, supplies.

$3.05, Hudson Electrical Supply & Equip. Co., supplies.

$57.05, J. F. Nagle, insurance.

$79.40, J. F. Nagle, insurance.

$303.51, The Texas Co., gas.

$7.40, The Texas Co., chrystalite.

$60.47, The Texas Co., gasoline.

$14.25, The Texas Co., gasoline.

$32.50, Union Printing Co., supplies.

$21.45, Louis Frey, blue prints.

$64.10, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$5.88, Public Service Gas Company.

$21.79, Louis Frey, blue prints.

$31.05, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$60.50, Elvir Merten, supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen,
Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$88.20, J. C. Hislop Co, steel locker.

$22.23, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.

$47.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$47.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$11.43, New York Telephone Company, Service.

$7.80, New York Telephone Company, Service.

$2.00, The American City, year's subscription, magazine.

$3.00, J. F. Kelly, keys.

$41.16, Payton & Hoos, desk.

$24.40, Chas. Hansen, stationery.

$15.00, Chas. Hansen, stationery.

$12.20, New York Telephone Company, Mont. 1931.

$4.00, Munson Supply Co, speed keys.

$40.52, Mutual Service Supply Co, supplies.

$8.00, Chas. Hansen, supplies.

$1.65, Whipple Hardware Co, duster.

$45.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$99.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$61.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$4.00, Dobke Typewriter Exchange, rent typewriter.

$3.30, Chas. Hansen, supplies.

$8.30, Chas. Hansen. supplies.

$21.00, Chas. Hansen, supplies.

$2.00, Charles Hansen, supplies.

$4.20, J. F. Kelly, keys.

$104.00, Underwood Typewriter Co, typewriter.

$27.04, Evening Journal, advertising.

$130.10, A Datz, supplies.

$7.65, A. Datz, supplies.

$25.48, Tudson Observer, advertising.

$256.50, Union Printing Co, printing.

$1.68, Public Service Gas Company, service.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen,
Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the amounts and purposes indicated:

$61.00, Payton & Hoos, chair and carpets.

$6.00, Great Bear Spring Co., spring water.

$24.09, D. E. Cleary Co., groceries.

$25.31, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$16.95, Charles F. Hansen, office supplies.

$1.75, Expert Auto Tire Co., tire repairs.

$3.50, Underwood Typewriter Co., repairing typewriter.

$14.00, Fred Decker, milk.

$40.65, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$47.50, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$489.00, A. McDonough, groceries.

$13.48, Swift & Co, bacon.

$94.97, William Bill, groceries.

$175.73, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$41.55, William Bill, supplies.

$23.23, D. E. Cleary Co., groceries.

$11.58, McKesson & Robbins, Inc., drugs.

$264.60, Morris Weismann, eggs.

$194.51, Swift & Co., meats.

$17.50, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$253,90, Swift & Co., meats.

$42.53, William C. Hagen, ham.

$352.83, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$231.29, William C. Hagen, meat.

$147.39, S. W. Kagan Co., beef.

$55.51, W. H. Walthery, meats.

$3.50, Otto Wilkens, drugs.

$90.00, Hudson Mattress Mfg. Co., mattresses.

$140.25, Union Printing Co., printing.

$84.65, Expert Auto Tire Co., repairs.

$7.70, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$65.00, H. S. A. Pamlih, massage instruction.

$160.45, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$61.25, Valvoline Oil Co., oils.

$299.88, Adolph Koment, Inc., bread.

$324.87, J. Decker, milk, cream, etc.

$14.18, D. E. Cleary Co., groceries.

$4.38, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

$7.50, Interstate Chemical Co., acid.

$52.28, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

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$30.87, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$12.90, Archbold & Gallagher, borax, etc.

$30.61, J. Decker, cream.

$287.00, Keystone Dairy Co., meats.

$120.19, S. W. Kagan Co., meats.

$12.25, William Bill, groceries.

$99.87, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$80.64, J. J. Craven, M. D., carfares.

$124.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$7.45 Charles F. Hansen, office supplies.

$111.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$25.00, Payton & Hoos, crash.

$22.50, Lily Cup Co., cups.

$110.00, J. J. Craven, M. D., postage stamps.

$321.36, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, antitoxin.

$6.00, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, antitoxin.

$3.45, Charles F. Hansen, office supplies.

$410.40, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, serum.

$97.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$153.12, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, antitoxin.

$183.84, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, antitoxin.

$9.92, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$7.65, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$10.35, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$39.82, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$24.00, H. D. Dougherty & Co., locker.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagan,
Degnon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

PAYROLLS.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached payrolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being for services rendered during the periods specified.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS.

From Commissioner Gannon, submitting supplemental debt statement.

Received and ordered filed.

From Commissioner Moore, advising the Board that in his opinion the Board should take the necessary steps to place itself on record as opposed to any legislative action in approval of the plans proposed by the New York, New Jersey Port and Harbor Development Commission fo the creation of a Port Authority for the metropolitan district, until the complete report of that Bi-State Commission is available.

Received, and in connection with the communication, the following resolution was introduced:

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That a copy of the communication submitted to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City this day, relative to the creation of a Port Authority for the metropolitan district, be transmitted to His Excellency, Edward I. Edwards; and further

Resolved, That instructions be forwarded by the City Clerk to the Corporation Counsel of Jersey City. to act in accordance with the recommendation of Commissioner Moore.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen,
Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

From Commissioner Moore, submitting copy of letter sent by him to the Corporation Counsel suggesting that he proceed at once to force the matter of an issue, in re: the action of the Central Railroad in placing a barrier across Henderson Street at the entrance of the South Cove, thus hindering the development of the South Cove property and adjacent basins, which development has been held in abeyance for some time and from which the City will derive a large return. The Commissioner also requests the formal indorsement of the Board of Commissioners for the course pointed out in said communication to the Corporation Counsel.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon, the Board approved of the action taken by Commissioner Moore.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, William V. McLoughlin has been certified by the Civil Service Commission as first on the eligible list for appointment to the position of Rounds Sergeant and Assistant Drillmaster, Jersey City Police Department; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said William V. McLoughlin be and he hereby is appointed Rounds Sergeant and Assistant Drillmaster in the Police Department of Jersey City, with the rank and pay of Rounds Sergeant therein, same to be effective immediately.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, Bids have been received for the furnishing and delivering of twelve motorcycles and twenty-four side cars for use in the Jersey City Police Department, as per plans and specifications on file in the City Clerk's office; and

Whereas, The bid of Baker, Murray & Imbrie, Inc., is the lowest bid received; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing the above named twelve motorcycles and twenty-four side cars, be and the same is hereby awarded to Baker, Murray & Imbrie at the price named in their bid; and be it further

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby authorized to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for same.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, Bids have been received for the furnishing and delivering of three (3) type 59, 1920, eight-cylinder chassis for use in the Department of Public Safety as per plans and specifications on file in the City Clerk's office; and

Whereas, The bid of the Cadillac Motor Car Co. is the lowest bid received; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing the above named three type 59, 1920, eight-cylinder chasis, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Cadillac Motor Car Co. at the price named in their bid; and be it further

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby authorized to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for same.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, Bids have been received for the furnishing and delivering of one touring car for use in the Department of Public Safety, as per plans and specifications on file in the City Clerk's office; and

Whereas, The bid of the Blakeslee-Cadillac Co. is the lowest bid received; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing the above named touring car, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Blakeslee-Cadillac Co. at the price named in their bid; and be it further

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby authorized to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for same.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, Patrolman John Donovan and John Pietrowski have tendered their resignations as members of the Jersey City Police Department; therefore be it

Resolved, That the resignations of John Donovan and John Pietrowski as patrolmen in the Jersey City Police Department be and the same are hereby accepted, effective immediately.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, Charles Zoellner has tendered his resignation as Assistant Superintendent of Weights and Measures; therefore be it

Resolved, That the resignation of Charles Zoellner as an Assistant Superintendent of Weights and Measures be and the same is hereby accepted, effective immediately.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, The New York Telephone Company has secured permission from the Interstate Commerce Commission to increase the rates for telephone calls between Jersey City and New York; and

Whereas, No notice was given to this City nor any opportunity afforded for objections to such additional rates, and in order that the rights of the public may be protected if they have been jeopardized by reason of such permission; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he hereby is authorized and requested to investigate the making of the said order and advise this Commission in his opinion as to any action that should be taken.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering hay, oats, straw, etc., be and is hereby awarded to Messrs. Carscallen & Cassidy at the prices named in their proposal, namely:

695,000 pounds hay, No. 1 timothy, large bales, per 100 pounds, $1.95;

68,750 pounds straw, best grade, per 100 pounds, $1.25;

30,000 pounds bran, per 100 pounds, $2.35;

15,125 bushels oats, per bushel, 80 cents;

9,000 pounds alfalfa, per 100 pounds, $3.50;

2,000 pounds rock salt, per 100 pounds, $3.00;

50 pounds dairy salt, per 100 pounds, $2.75;

500 pounds oil meal, per 100 pounds, $5.00;

there being no lower bidder, and the Corporation Attorney be and is hereby directed to prepare and have executed necessary contract therefor.

Received and order placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements and findings as shown on report of the Water Assessor for month of January, 1921, presented to this Commission at its meeting held this day, be and are hereby confirmed, and the said officer be and is hereby authorized to make such charges on his books:

Additions to reg. water, $376.80.

Cancellations to reg. water, $1,611.25.

Cancellations to metered water, $302.98.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission has certified Allan H. Fish, of No. 270 Virginia Avenue, Jersey City, and William P. Black, of No. 129 St. Paul's Avenue, Jersey City, as being eligible for appointment to the position of Searcher; be it therefore

Resolved, That Allan H. Fish and William P. Black be and they are hereby appointed to the positions of Searcher in the office of the City Collector, Department of Revenue and Finance, at an annual salary of two thousand dollars ($2,000), payable in equal semi-monthly installments, effective February 8, 1921.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The Corporation Counsel in accordance with the resolution passed by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, January 18, 1921, has filed with the Clerk of Hudson County Court of Common Pleas a relicta withdrawing answer to the suit of Mary Cannon, administratrix of the estate of Thomas Francis Cannon, deceased, against Jersey City, and confessing judgment against the City in the sum of $692.50, therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and directed to draw warrant on the City Treasurer to the order of Mary Cannon, Administratrix of the estate of Thomas Francis Cannon, deceased, in the sum of $682.50, and that said warrant be placed in the hands of the Corporation Counsel for disposition.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolution authorizing the issuance of not exceeding $1,600,000 tax revenue bonds.

Resolved as follows:

1. In renewal of tax revenue bonds of 1920 now outstanding and in anticipation of the receipt of tax revenues as fixed by the certificate of the County Board of Taxation as the amount to be raised by taxation in the City for the current year, which are delinquent, the City shall borrow the sum of $1,600,000 and issue therefore tax revenue bonds in the said amount to meet the lawful expenditures under the appropriations for local purposes, including the local school appropriations, the State school appropriation or tax, the State reappropriation or tax, and other State appropriations or taxes as the same may become due for the year, provided, however, that the tax revenue bonds herein authorized shall not be issued in excess of the amount of said delinquent taxes.

2. The said tax revenue bonds shall be 1,600 in number, numbered from 1 to 1600, inclusive, of the denomination of $1,000 each, shall be dated March 1, 1921, and shall mature on March 1, 1924, shall bear interest at the rate bid by the successful bidder, and shall be coupon bonds registerable as the principal only or as to both principal and interest at the option of the bidder thereof, and shall be signed by the Mayor of the city and by the City Treasurer under the seal of the City, and attested by the City Clerk.

3. The said bonds shall be in substantially the following form:

No. $1,000

STATE OF NEW JERSEY,
CITY OF JERSEY CITY,
TAX REVENUE BONDS OF 1920.

The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, a municipal corporation of the State of New Jersey, for value received, promises to pay to the bearer of this bond, or if it be registered, to the person in whose name it is registered, the sum of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000) on the first day of March, 1924, and to pay interest thereon at the rate of .... per centum (....%) per annum, semi-annually on the first days of March and September, in each year, from the date of this bond until it matures, upon presentation and surrender as they severally mature of the coupons therefor annexed hereto, or if this bond be registered as to both principal and interest, then to the person in whose name it is registered. Both principal and interest of this bond will be paid in lawful money of the United States of America, at the office of the Treasurer of said City.

This bond may be registered as to principal by the holder in his name on the books of the City ...., kept in the office of the City Comptroller ...., and such registration shall be noted on the back of this bond, after which no valid transfer of this bond shall be made except on said books until after registered transfer to bearer. Such registration shall not affect the negotiability of the coupons which shall continue to pass by delivery. At the request of the holder this bond will be converted into a bond registered as to both principal and interest, and the coupons annexed hereto attached and cancelled and thereafter both principal and interest shall be payable only to the registered holder.

This bond is one of an issue, the authorized principal amount of which is $1,600,000, the bonds of which are of like tenor, and is issued against delinquent tax revenues of 1920, pursuant to an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled "An act concerning municipal and county finances," approved March 28, 1917, constituting chapter 192 of the pamphlet laws of 1917, as amended, and by virtue of a resolution of the Board of Commissioners of said City duly adopted February ......, 1921.

The Treasurer of the City, who has signed this bond states: (a) That this bond is issued pursuant to the act above referred to; (b) that the total borrowing power authorized by said act for tax revenue bonds such as this instrument is $1,600,000; (c) $2,000,000 of such instruments are outstanding but will be paid and cancelled on the date hereof.

It is hereby certified and recited that all conditions, acts and things required by the Constitution and statutes of the State of New Jersey to exist, to have happened and to have been performed, precedent to and in the issuance of this bond exist, have happened and have been performed, and that the issue of bonds of which this is one, together with all other indebtedness of said City is within every debt and other limit prescribed by the Constitution and statutes of said State.

In witness whereof, The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City has caused this bond to be signed by its Mayor and Treasurer under the seal of the City and attested by its City Clerk, and the coupons hereto annexed to be authenticated by the fac simile signature of said Treasurer, and this bond to be dated the first day of March, 1921.

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Mayor.

....
Treasurer.

Attest:

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FORM OF COUPON

No.......... $............

The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, a Municipal Corporation of the State of New Jersey, will pay to the bearer on the 1st day of
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in lawful money of the United States of America, at the office of the Treasurer of said City
being six months interest then due on its Tax Revenue Bond of 1920.

Dated March 1, 1921
and bearing No.

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Treasurer

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION

I hereby certify that at the request of the holder of the within bond, for its conversion into a bond registered as to both principal and interest. I have this day cut off and destroyed coupons attached thereto, numbered from to , inclusive, of the amount and value of each, amounting in the aggregate to Dollars ($) and

that the within bond is hereby converted into a registered bond, with the principal thereof and semi-annual interest thereon payable to
, assignee or legal representative.

Dated , 19 .

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Comptroller

Date of Registry	Name of Registered Holder	Registered by
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4. In case the definitive bonds shall not be ready for delivery on the date fixed therefor, temporary receipts shall be issued in substantially the following form:

FORM OF INTERIM CERTIFICATE
STATE OF NEW JERSEY
CITY OF JERSEY CITY

No.......... For $25,000 Bonds

Interim Certificate for Tax Revenue Bonds of 1920

The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, a Municipal Corporation of the State of New Jersey, acknowledges the receipt of payment in full of twenty-five (25) $1,000 Tax Revenue Bonds of 1920 of said City, to be dated March 1, 1921, to mature on March 1, 1924, to bear interest at the rate of per centum (%) per annum, authorized to be issued by resolution of the Board of Commissioners of said City duly adopted on , 1921.

This Certificate is issued pending the preparation of said bonds, and said bonds with all coupons attached will be delivered to the bearer hereof when they have been prepared and executed, upon the surrender of this Certificate at the office of the Comptroller of said City in the City Hall, Jersey City, New Jersey.

In Witness Whereof the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, New Jersey, has caused this Interim Certificate to be executed by its Treasurer this first day of March, 1921.

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City Treasurer

5. The said Bonds shall be sold in the manner provided by law by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance at public bidding as the result of sealed proposals which shall be publicly opened and read at the place and time as stated in the advertisement for such bidding and after advertisement of one week previous to date of bidding in the official newspaper published in New York City.

6. The form of the advertisement of sale shall be substantially as follows:

CITY OF JERSEY CITY,
NEW JERSEY
NOTICE OF SALE
OF
$1,600,000 TAX REVENUE BONDS

Sealed proposals will be received by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance of the City of Jersey City, New Jersey, on Thursday, February 17, 1921, at 12 o'clock noon, at the City Hall in said City, for the purchase of $1,600,000 Tax Revenue Bonds of said City. Said bonds will be of the denomination of $1,000 each; will be dated March 1, 1921; will be payable on March 1, 1924, and will bear interest at the rate bid by the successful bidder, but not in excess of six per centum per annum. Both principal and interest will be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the Treasurer of said City. The bonds will be bearer bonds, with the privilege of registration as to principal only or as to both principal and interest.

In case on the date of delivery the amount of said bonds which may be lawfully issued is less than the full amount awarded the purchaser will be required to take such lesser amount.

The right is reserved to reject all bids, and any bid not complying with the terms of this notice will be rejected.

Each bidder is required to state the amount of interest he is willing to take for the loan about to be made. The bidder offering the least interest rate expressed in multiples of one-hundreths of one percentum will be awarded the sale of the bonds; if, however, one or more bidders offer the same interest rate, then the bidder who shall offer the greatest additional premium shall be awarded the sale of the bonds.

The bonds will not be sold for less than par and in addition to the amount bid the successful bidder must pay accrued interest at the rate borne by the bonds from the date of the bonds to the date of payment of the purchase price.

All bidders are required to deposit a certified check payable to the order of the City of Jersey City, for two per centum of the amount of bonds bid for, drawn upon an incorporated bank or trust company. Checks of unsuccessful bidders will be returned upon the award of the bonds. No interest will be allowed upon the amount of the check of a successful bidder and such check will be retained to be applied in part payment for the bonds or to secure the City against any loss resulting from the failure of the bidder to comply with the terms of his bid.

Proposals should be addressed to Hon. James F. Gannon, Jr., Commissioner, City Hall, Jersey City, N. J., and enclosed in a sealed envelope marked on the outside "Proposal for Bonds."

The bonds will be delivered at the office of the Comptroller in the City Hall, in said city, on March 1, 1921, at 10.30 a. m., and must then be paid for by a certified check on an incorporated bank or trust company. If the definitive bonds are not then ready, temporary receipts will be issued in denominations of $25,000 each.

The successful bidder will be furnished with the opinion of Messrs. Hawkins, Delafield & Longfellow, of New York city, that the bonds are binding and legal obligations of the city.

The bonds will be prepared under the supervision of the United States Mortgage & Trust Company, which will certify as to the genuineness of the signature of the officials and the seal impressed thereon.

By order of the Board of Commissioners.

Dated, February 8, 1921.

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Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

7. The proper officials of the City are hereby authorized to execute and deliver said bonds in pursuance of the award of the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, and upon receipt of the purchase price thereof, and accrued interest at the rate borne by the bonds from the date of the bonds to the date of payment of the purchase price.

PROPOSAL FOR BONDS.

Dated, ..., 19..

Hon. James F. Gannon, Commissioner,
City Hall,
Jersey City, N. J.

Sir: Subject to the provisions of the annexed Notice of Sale, which is made a part of this proposal, we offer to purchase the issue of One Million Six Hundred Thousand Dollars ($1,600,000) Tax Revenue Bonds of 1920 described in such notice, the said bonds to bear interest at the rate of ...... per centum (....%) per annum, and to pay therefor .... Dollars ($............) and accrued interest at the rate borne by the bonds from the date of the bonds to the date of the payment of the purchase price.

We enclose herewith certified check payable to the order of the City of Jersey City in the sum of Thirty-two Thousand Dollars ($32,000.00), being two per cent. (2%) of the par value of the bonds bid for, which check is to be applied in accordance with such notice.

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Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission has certified the name of Nerle Louis Paladeau, Jr., 310 Academy street, Jersey City, as being eligible for appointment to the position of Senior Clerk Stenographer in the Law Department, Department of Revenue and Finance; therefore be it

Resolved, That Nerle Louis Paladeau, Jr., be and he is hereby appointed Senior Clerk Stenographer in the Law Department, Department of Revenue and Finance, at an annual salary of $1,500.00, payable semi-monthly, said appointment to take effect January 1, 1921.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, In anticipation of the receipt of taxes to be levied or of taxes levied and not delinquent, this municipality may borrow and have obligations outstanding to provide such moneys as may be necessary to meet its lawful expenditures under the appropriations for the year for which such taxes are levied or are to be levied, to wit, the fiscal year 1921; therefore be it

Resolved, That in pursuance of Chapter 192, P. L. 1917, approved March 28, 1917, as amended, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do and they hereby authorize and direct that Tax Anticipation Notes of the City of Jersey City be issued to the amount of $100,000.00, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum, payable July 1, 1921, and at maturity; said notes to be dated February 10, 1921, to become due and payable December 31, 1921, or sooner if called by the City, and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the specifications for the furnishing and delivering of lumber to the Jersey City High Schools' Athletic Field, Montgomery Park, be and they are hereby approved and the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for bids in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That Mayor be and he is hereby authorized to execute a contract with the Public Service Electric Company for the installation of a duplicate lighting system on operating room floor of the new hospital building, which is known as a "break-down" system.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled "The Building Code," passed September 7, 1907, and approved October 1, 1907.

The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That from and after the date of the passage of this ordinance, no wooden trusses shall be used in the construction of any new building in Jersey City when the clear span is over fifty (50) feet.

Section 2. All members of wooden trusses shall be properly bolted together with iron or steel bolts independent of any spikes or nails.

Section 3. All splices shall be provided with proper steel or iron splice plates.

Section 4. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent with the provisions of this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed.

Secton 5. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of John T. Rowland, Jr., Architect in charge of the preparation of plans and specifications for the construction and equipment of the new City Hospital Buildings, contract for furnishing and delivering six (6) food conveyors and fourteen (14) milk urns for use in the Jersey City Hospital, be and the same is hereby awarded to The Kny-Scheerer Corporation at the price named in their bid, namely $3,040.00, that being the only bid received ,and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to have prepared and executed the necessary contracts therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, There has been introduced in the Senate by Senator Parry of Essex County a measure designed to afford a complete review of the valuation of public utility properties as fixed by the commission created under the Alien Act of 1920; and

Whereas, In the judgment of this board, the measure so introduced by Senator Parry is necessary if the interests of the people are to be protected and the rates charged for service by the public utilities of this State kept down to a reasonable basis; be it

Resolved, That this Board of Commissioners does endorse the Parry Bill and requests its passage; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be sent to Senator Parry and the other members of that body.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the Board adjourned.

JOHN BENTLEY,
MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, Jr.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

Approved:
FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF FEBRUARY 15, 1921

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, February 15, 1921, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

CITY ORDINANCES

This time and place having been advertised for the purpose of considering the final passage of the following described ordinances:

"An Ordinance to regulate the maintaining and keeping of lodging houses in Jersey City, for public safety."

"An ordinance appropriating $6,400 for the purchase of fire department equipment and authorizing temporary bonds for said purpose, and providing for the payment of said bonds."

"An ordinance appropriating $7,955 for the purchase of fire department equipment and authorizing temporary bonds for said purpose and providing for the payment of said bonds."

The City Clerk read each ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon, the ordinances were referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

ALTERATION HEARINGS

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the application of Herman Wurret for permission to erect garage in cellar of two-story frame two-family house now being erected at 61 Wade Street, the City Clerk read the application and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of the application. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the application.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the application of Herman Wurret for permission to erect garage in cellar of two-story frame two-family house now being erected at 61 Wade street be and the same is hereby referred to the Director, Department of Streets and Public Improvements, for investigation and recommendation.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

From N. Feinberg, requesting permission to alter building, converting second floor into store, at 198-200 Newark Avenue.

Received.

From Hugo Berman, requesting permission to erect electric sign at No. 15 Exchange Place.

Received.

OFFICERS COMMUNICATIONS.

From Superintendent of Buildings, advising the Board that in his opinion the application of I. Dlugash for permission to convert 104-106 Greene Street into garage shows that the building is to be increased in size and, being a frame building, in the fire limits, he would suggest that the permission be denied. However, because the applicant did not file any sketch with the application, it is unable to define just what alteration is to be made.

Received and the City Clerk directed to advise the applicant to submit plans for the alteration.

From the Board of School Estimate, submitting certified copy of resolutions passed by them February 15, 1921, determining that the sum of $2,179,417.15

in addition to the amount apportioned to them by the County Superintendent of Schools, is necessary for the schools of Jersey City for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1921, and ending June 30, 1922.

Received and referred to Commissioner Gannon.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named parties for the following amounts and purposes as hereinafter set forth:

$28.00, E. Kelly.

$48.00, C. J. Lutton.

$45.77, New York Telephone Co.

$17.64, Thos. L. Higgins.

$1.50, Hudson Oil & Supply Co.

$147.00, Chas. H. Engler.

$5.00, Pintsch Compressing Co.

$176.40, H. P. Baldwin Co.

$10.08, Jersey City Lumber Co.

$41.20, Valvoline Oil Co.

$38.50, Multiple Elec. Products Co., Inc.

$46.20, Wedlake-Lamson Co.

$8.40, Wedlake-Lamson Co.

$30.67, Economy Auto Supply Co.

$50.55, Keegan's Garage.

$225.46, The Peter Jocham Co.

$70.20, I. Judge.

$109.60, I. Judge.

$310.60, Ajax Insurance Co., insurance.

$290.00, Bergen Horse Co., horse.

$8.88, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$8.40, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$77.00, Chas. Hayes, horseshoeing.

$254.78, Gulf Refining Co., gasoline.

$364.81, Gulf Refining Co., gasoline.

$143.93, Gulf Refining Co., gasoline.

$9.45, T. M. G. Lennon, paper.

$302.06, C. L. Munch, insurance.

$764.20, R. H. Perry Co., coal.

$375.30, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$269.31, Public Service Gas Co., service.

$100.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following claimants for the amounts and purposes indicated:

$59.46, Public Service Gas Co., gas.

$73.66, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$20.00, Metropolitan Bldg. & W. C. Co., cleaning windows.

$34.80, Public Service Electric Co., light.

$56.99, Thompson's Garage, Inc., auto storage, etc.

$10.50, J. W. Greene, Inc., quilt.

$70.69, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$13.10, Garfunkel Brothers, electric supplies.

$127.29, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$5.00, Charles F. Hansen, cards.

$12.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$3.35, Charles F. Hansen, tags.

$6.80, Colgate & Co., soap.

$21.72, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$18.02, Keystone Dairy Co., milk.

$17.20, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$31.95, William Bill, vegetables, etc.

$7.20, Public Service Electric Co., light.

$5.00, Morris Motor Car Co., auto repairs.

$339.00, Flynn Bros., groceries.

$450.00, A. McDonough, groceries.

$7.00, Fred Decker, coal.

$360.00, A. McDonough, groceries.

$115.50, Michael J. Conlin, removing dead animals.

$55.88, Palisade Auto Supply Co., auto supplies.

$123.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$174.24, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, antitoxin.

$13.50, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$64.58, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$8.25, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$40.97, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$22.00, I. Price, uniforms.

$82.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$7.50, Benj. Kuperman, windshield.

$53.18, Baldwin Lumber Co., lumber.

$202.58, The Kleinhaus Store, pajamas.

$36.35, Garfunkel Bros., electric supplies.

$7.30, Parke Davis Co., drugs.

$183.41, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

$322.31, Charles H. Nolte, butter.

$65.86, Jerome O'Keefe, duck.

$94.16, W. H. Walthery, pork.

$16.93, Joseph H. Browne, waste.

$12.00, Joseph H. Browne, lime.

$226.80, Colgate & Co., soap.

$83.79, Essex Laboratories, compound.

$71.00, Colgate & Co., soap.

$32.00, Dr. J. A. Husik, phenoiodine.

$5.31, Morris Motor Car Co., auto repairs.

$10.21, Food Appliances, butter mold.

$138.15, Joseph T. Sack, supplies.

$92.65, Joseph T. Sack, supplies.

$27.25, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

$27.75, Alex. Hamill Iron Works, repairs.

$103.44, John F. Crosby, vegetables.

$54.39, William Bill, pears.

$199.88, Kleinhaus Store, uniforms, etc.

$11.00, J. H. Ohmer, alcohol.

$71.32, The Hospital Supply Co., splints, etc.

$51.90, Otto Wilkens, supplies.

$3.89, McKesson & Robbins, pepsin.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$843.88, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$608.10, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$1.50, Great Bear Spring Co., supplies.

$2.50, Great Bear Spring Co., supplies.

$120.00, Hudson Real Estate Co., insurance.

$33.50, Hudson Real Estate Co., insurance.

$4.60, New York Telephone Co., services.

$4.35, New York Telephone Co., services.

$4.50, Jersey City Supply Co., supplies.

$3.85, New York Telephone Co., services.

$18.50, Wm. R. Harrison, photos.

$165.97, Belle Meade Auto Sales, supplies.

$9.00, Digestive Ferments Co., supplies.

$125.15, Arthur Erickson, supplies.

$59.00, Expert Auto Radiator Co., supplies.

$4.50, Great Bear Spring Co., supplies.

$96.20, Hersey Mfg. Co., supplies.

$1.25, Jersey City Supply Co., supplies.

$52.85, Jersey City Lumber Co., lumber.

$80.67, Public Service Gas Co., services.

$29.00, Public Service Electric Co., services.

$128.68, Auto Economy Co., supplies.

$6.00, Walter J. Coleman, supplies.

$19.76, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$1.25, H. B. Kuntz, supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS

From Commissioner Fagen: Submitting sketch and report on the proposed continuation of Central Avenue to Pavonia Avenue and Summit Avenue and recommending that the matter be referred to the Jersey City Development Plan Board of Engineers, and also to the Engineering Department, who shall hold hearings upon the subject and make an early report, so that the work may be started when the spring opens up.

Received and recommendations adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, The vacancy of Constable exists in the Ninth Ward of Jersey City; therefore, be it

Resolved, That Robert J. Livingston be and he hereby is appointed a Constable to fill such vacancy.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen,

Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, the names of Joe Van Rosencrance, Thomas O'Rourke, George W. Snow, Jr., Edward J. Dugan, Thos. G. Fahy and John Verga have been certified by the State Civil Service Commission as being eligible for appointment to the position of Assistant Inspector, Combustible and Fire Risks, in the Jersey City Fire Department; therefore, be it

Resolved, That Joe Van Rosencrance, Thomas O'Rourke, George W. Snow, Jr., Edward J. Dugan, Thos. G. Fahy and John Verga be and they are hereby appointed Assistant Inspectors, Combustibles and Fire Risks, in the Jersey City Fire Department, at a salary of $2,200 per annum, these appointments to be effective immediately.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer for furnishing and delivering, f. o. b. Jersey City, three (3) 5-ton flushers, with all the necessary attachments and equipments, for use in the Bureau of Street Cleaning, Department of Streets and Public Improvements, be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed, and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass: An Ordinance appropriating $7,955.00 for the purchase of fire department equipment and authorizing temporary bonds for said purpose and providing for the payment of said bonds.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, New Jersey, do ordain:

Section 1. The sum of $7,955.00 is hereby appropriated for the purchase of the following equipment for the Fire Department, in addition to previous appropriations made for said purpose, to wit:

1. Fire alarm recording register, $455.00.

1. Manual fire alarm telegraph transmitter, $7,500.00.

Sec. 2. For the purpose of meeting said appropriation and of temporarily financing said improvements, which are not yet completed, temporary improvement bonds in the amount of $7,955.00 shall be issued in pursuance to an Act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled "An Act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by County, City, Borough, Village, Town, Township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March 22, 1916, constituting Chapter 252, P. L. 1916, as amended.

Sec. 3. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of not exceeding six per centum per annum, and may from time to time be renewed. No bonds issued in pursuance of this ordinance shall mature more than six years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out. Said bonds shall be executed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance under the seal of the City and attested by the City Clerk, and shall recite they are issued to temporarily finance the purchase of equipment for the Fire Department.

Sec. 4. Said bonds shall be sold by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and shall be in such form and shall mature at such time or times, subject to the provisions hereof, as he may determine, and all other matters in respect thereof shall be determined by said Director.

Sec. 5. Said bonds shall at maturity be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of Funding Bonds, or if not so paid, a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay said bonds as they mature. In each year after the date of said bonds a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay the interest on said bonds.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance appropriating $6,400.00 for the purchase of Fire Department equipment and authorizing temporary bonds for said purpose, and providing for the payment of said bonds.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, New Jersey, do ordain:

Section 1. The sum of $6,400.00 is hereby appropriated for the purchase of two one and one-half ton motor trucks for the Fire Department in addition to previous appropriations made for said purpose.

Sec. 2. For the purpose of meeting said appropriation and of temporarily financing said improvement, which is not yet completed, temporary improvement bonds in the amount of $6,400.00 shall be issued in pursuance of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled "An Act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by County, City, Borough, Village, Town, Township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March 22, 1916, constituting Chapter 252, P. L. 1916, as amended.

Sec. 3. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of not exceeding six per centum per annum, and may from time to time be renewed. No bonds issued in pursuance of this ordinance shall mature more than six years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out. Said bonds shall be executed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance under the seal of the City and attested by the City Clerk, and shall recite they are issued to temporarily finance the purchase of equipment for the Fire Department.

Sec. 4. Said bonds shall be sold by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, and shall be in such form and shall mature at such time or times, subject to the provisions hehreof as he may determine, and all other matters in respect thereof shall be determined by said Director.

Sec. 5. Said bonds shall at maturity be paid out of proceeds of the sale of Funding Bonds, or if not so paid, a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay said bonds as they mature. In each year after the date of said bonds a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay the interest on said bonds.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

A Supplement to an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance relating to taxes for the year 1921," enacted January 4, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Twenty-One.

RECITALS

Whereas, On January 4, 1921, in pursuance to the provisions of Chapter 192, P. L. 1917, approved March 28, 1917, as amended, this Board of Commissioners enacted a tax ordinance for the fiscal year 1921 to raise moneys to meet its lawful expenditures under the appropriations for the year 1921, with the exception of the amount to be raised for local school purposes; and

Whereas, The amount recited in said tax ordinance to be assessed, raised by taxation and collected is the sum of $5,489,390.91; and

Whereas, The effect of the provisions of Chapter 1, P. L. 1919, under which law the amount of local school appropriations are fixed and determined, was to prevent this Board of Commissioners from including in said ordinance the amount to be assessed, raised by taxation and collected for the local schools; and

Whereas, The Board of School Estimate, at a meeting held February 15, 1921, did fix and determine the amount of money necessary to be raised for the public schools in Jersey City to be $2,179,417.15, and did certify said amount to this board;

Now, therefore, be it ordained by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City:

Section 1. That there shall be assessed, raised by taxation and collected for the fiscal year 1921, in addition to the sum of $5,849,390.91 heretofore recited in said ordinance, the further sum of $2,179,417.15 for the support of the public schools of Jersey City.

Sec. 2. That the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to deliver to the County Board of Taxation a certified copy of this ordinance.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen,
Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to regulate the maintaining and keeping of lodging houses in Jersey City, for public safety."

The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. Definition of Lodging Houses.—A lodging house shall be taken to mean and include any house or building or portion thereof in which persons are harbored or lodged for hire for a single night or less than a week at any one time, or any part of which is let for any persons to sleep in for any time less than a week.

Section 2. Operating and Maintaining.—No person, persons, firm or corporation shall keep or maintain a lodging house in any part of Jersey City accommodating or that which will accommodate fifteen or more persons above the first floor and three or more stories in height before first obtaining a permit in writing so to do from the Superintendent of Buildings of Jersey City.

Section 3. Permits.—Before the Superintendent of Buildings shall issue such permits the person, persons, firm or corporation must file plans in duplicate of each floor of said building used for lodging house purposes drawn to a scale of not less than one-quarter of an inch to the foot, showing all fire escapes, stairs, halls, rooms and exits on each floor and a statement in writing showing the number of lodgers housed on each floor, signed by the applicant in affidavit form on printed forms furnished by the Building Department of Jersey City.

Section 4. Fire Escapes.—All fire escapes shall be of standard design as specified in the Jersey City Building Code and located as directed by the Superintendent of Buildings. All balconies must be kept free of all obstructions at all times. All windows and other openings that open to any fire escape balcony, the frames and sashes shall be of standard fireproof construction and glazed with wire glass and must work freely at all times.

Sestion 5. Stairs and Hallway Enclosures.—All stairs shall be not less than three feet wide in the clear between hand rails and be of a greater width when required by the Superintendent of Buildings. All stairs must be enclosed with fireproof walls of masonry where practical or other fireproof material, as directed by the Superintendent of Buildings. All landings and halls shall not be of a less width than the stairs. All doors leading to stairs or hallway enclosures shall be fireproof construction and glazed with wire glass, open outward and be self-closing.

Section 6. Frame Buildings.—No frame building situated in any part o Jersey City not now used as a lodging house as specified in section 2 of this ordinance shall hereafter be used for such purposes.

Section 7. Cost of Permits.—The Superintendent of Buildings shall charge and collect a fee of $50.00 annually for each permit for each lodging house and pay the same into the city treasury.

Section 8. Posting of Permits.—All permits must be numbered and signed by the Superintendent of Buildings and at all times be posted in a conspicuous place.

Section 9. Violations and Penalties.—Any person, persons, firm or corporation, upon being found guilty by any police or district court judge having jurisdiction in Jersey City of violating this ordinance or any part of same, shall forfeit and pay a penalty of $50.00 for each offense, and for a further continuance of such violation or violations the said permit issued by the Superintendent of Buildings shall be revoked by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City.

Section 10. Date to Take Effect.—This ordinance and all parts of same shall take effect thirty days after final passage.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen,
Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen,
Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the specifications for furnishing and delivering furniture and equipment to the Jersey City Hospital buildings specified under section two, prepared by John T. Rowland, Jr., architect in charge of the plans and specifications for the construction and equipment of the new City Hospital buildings and approved by Dr. John Nevin, Medical Director of Jersey City, and the Corporation Counsel of Jersey City, be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed, and the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and requested to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen,
Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the following named persons be and they are hereby appointed to the position of Clerk and Custodian of Building Code Records at the annual salary of $2,500.00 per annum, payable in semi-monthly installments, their names having been duly certified as eligible by the State Civil Service Commission, said appointments to take effect immediately: Frank J. Longwell, Thomas J. Duff and Joseph C. Glavin.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen,
Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, Bids have been received for the furnishing and delivering of one (1) or more fire alarm recording registers for use in the Jersey City Fire Department, as per plans and specifications on file in the City Clerk's office, and

Whereas, The bid of the Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Company is the lowest bid received; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing one (1) fire alarm recording register be and the same is hereby awarded to the Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Company at the price named in their bid, and be it

Further resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for same.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, Bids have been received for the furnishing and delivering one (1) manual fire alarm telegraph transmitter for use in the Jersey City Fire Department, as per plans and specifications on file in the City Clerk's office, and

Whereas, The bid of the Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Company is the lowest bid received; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing the above named one (1) manual fire alarm telegraph transmitter, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Company at the price named in their bid, and be it

Further resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for same.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, Bids have been received by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City for furnishing and delivering two (2) one and one-half ton trucks for use in the Jersey City Fire Department, as per plans and specifications on file in the City Clerk's office, and

Whereas, The bid of the Morris Motor Car Company is the lowest bid received; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering two (2) one and one-half ton trucks for use in the Jersey City Fire Department, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Morris Motor Car Company at the price named in their bid, namely, $8,260.12, and be it

Further resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for same.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City at meeting held January 18, 1921, for furnishing and delivering linen, flannel, etc., and

Whereas, Said bids were referred to Doctor John Nevin, Medical Director, and M. McGiverin, General Purchasing Agent, for investigation and recommendation, and

Whereas, Said Medical Director and General Purchasing Agent have reported that the bid of Kleinhaus & Co. for certain items was the lowest bid received for these particular items; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering the following items to the Jersey City Hospital be and the same is hereby awarded to Kleinhaus & Co. at the prices named in their bid, as follows:

1,200 bed spreads for hospital, per each, $1.48, $1,788.

1,200 bath towels (Turkish), per dozen, $3.45, $345.

2,000 yards twill muslin, per yard, 21¾ cents, $435.

500 pair children's stockings (assorted), per dozen, $1.09, $45.42.

500 doctors' gowns, assorted sizes, per each, $1.49, $745.

1,000 children's undershirts, per dozen, $2.84, $236.67.

—and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey

City at a meeting held January 18, 1921, for furnishing and delivering linen, flannel, etc.; and

Whereas, Said bids were referred to Dr. John Nevin, Medical Director, and M. McGiverin, General Purchasing Agent, for investigation and recommendation; and

Whereas, Said Medical Director and General Purchasing Agent have reported that the bid of H. W. Baker & Co. for certain items was the lowest bid received for these particular items; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering the following items to the Jersey City Hospital be and the same is hereby awarded to H. W. Baker & Co. at the prices named in their bid, as follows:

2,500 sheets, 72 by 99 inches, Pequot, per dozen $14.90, $3,104.15; 2,500 pillow cases, 36 by 45 inches, Pequot, per dozen $3.75, $781.25; 1,500 yards muslin, two yards wide, per yard 39⅞ cents, $598.13; 1,000 yards outing flannel, per yard 13¼ cents, $132.50; 200 orderlies' aprons, each 33½ cents, $67; total, $4,683.03, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City at meeting held January 18, 1921, for furnishing and delivering linen, flannel, etc.; and

Whereas, Said bids were referred to Dr. John Nevin, Medical Director, and M. McGiverin, General Purchasing Agent, for investigation and recommendation; and

Whereas, Said Medical Director and General Purchasing Agent have reported that the bid of Ganz & Goodman for certain items was the lowest bid received for these particular items; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering the following items to the Jersey City Hospital be and the same is hereby awarded to Ganz & Goodman at the prices named in their bid, as follows:

1,800 hand towels, huck, 18 by 30 inches, each 13¼ cents, $238.50; 1,000 pairs men's socks, assorted sizes, per dozen $1.26, $105; 200 orderlies' coats, white, assorted sizes, each $1.62½, $325; total, $668.50, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City at meeting held January 18, 1921, for furnishing and delivering linen, flannel, etc.; and

Whereas, Said bids were referred to Dr. John Nevin, Medical Director, and M. McGiverin, General Purchasing Agent, for investigation and recommendation; and

Whereas, Said Medical Director and General Purchasing Agent have reported that the bid of Jerome O'Keeffe for certain items was the lowest bid received for these particular items; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering the following items to the Jersey City Hospital, be and the same is hereby awarded to Jerome O'Keeffe at the prices named in his bid as follows:

500 yards children's rompers material, per yard 27½ cents, $139.50; 3,000 yards shroud muslin, per yard 10⅝ cents, $318.75; 1,000 yards baby diaper material, 20 inches, per yard 11 1-5 cents, $112; 500 yards cotton bathrobes, assorted sizes, each $3.95 5-6, $1,979.17; total, $2,549.42, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file

in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City at meeting held January 18, 1921, for furnishing and delivering linen, flannel, etc.; and

Whereas, Said bids were referred to Doctor John Nevin, Medical Director, and M. McGiverin, General Purchasing Agent, for investigation and recommendation; and

Whereas, Said Medical Director and General Purchasing Agent have reported that the bid of Furst & Co. for certain items was the lowest bid received for these particular items; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering the following items to the Jersey City Hospital, be and the same is hereby awarded to Furst & Co. at the prices named in their bid as follows:

3,000 yd. unbleached muslin 1 yd. wide, per yd, $0.08¾	$262.50
1,000 pr. women's stockings, white, assorted sizes, per dozen, $1.12½	93.75
Total	$356.25

and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City at meeting held January 18, 1921, for furnishing and delivering linen, flannel, etc.; and

Whereas, Said bids were referred to Doctor John Nevin, Medical Director, and M. McGiverin, General Purchasing Agent, for investigation and recommendation; and

Whereas, Said Medical Director and General Purchasing Agent have reported that the bid of Altro Manufacturing Co. for furnishing 2,500 undershirts was the lowest bid received for that particular item; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering 2,500 undershirts, assorted, to the Jersey City Hospital, be and the same is hereby awarded to Altro Manufacturing Company at the price named in their bid, namely, $2,100, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

On motion of Commissioner Bentley the board adjourned.

Approved:

JOHN BENTLEY,
MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF FEBRUARY 23, 1921

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Wednesday, February 23, 1921, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

RECEPTION OF BIDS.

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for furnishing supplies to the various departments of the City government, the City Clerk called for bids with the following result:

Lumber for Jersey City High Schools' Athletic Field:

1. J. C. Lumber Co., $982.42, with certified check for $982.42.

2. Coastwise Lumber & Supply Co., $1,237.37, with surety company bond.

3. Dodge & Bliss Co., $1,263.50, with freeholder surety bond.

4. Consumers Coal & Ice Co., $1,281.65, with certified check for $1,281.65.

5,000 feet fire hose, Fire Department:

1. United States Rubber Co., $7,500.00, less 2 per cent. 30 days, with surety company bond.

2. Fabric Fire Hose Co., $7,000.00, with surety company bond.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received opened and read and referred to the Director of the Department from which the specification emanated for investigation and recommendation.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications:

N. Feinberg, convert second floor into store, 198-200 Newark avenue; Hugo Berman, electric sign to extend 8 feet beyond building line 15 Exchange place, the City Clerk read each application and then called for any one who might desire to protest against the granting of any of the above described applications. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against any of the applications.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the application of N. Feinberg for permission to alter frame building, converting second floor into store, in three-story two-family frame building No. 198-200 Newark avenue, be and the same is hereby referred to the Mayor and Superintendent of Buildings with power.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Hugo Berman to erect electric sign to extend 8 feet from building line at No. 15 Exchange Place, Jersey City, as shown on plan attached to application;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From Isidor Dlugasch, 102 York street, submitting plans and requesting permission to convert premises 104-106 Greene Street into garage.

Received and referred to the Mayor and Superintendent of Buildings for investigation and report back to the Board of Commissioners.

From Commissioners of Assessment and Chief Engineer, submitting final assessment maps and reports for the following improvements:

Van Cleef Street, between Stegman Street and 144.40 feet north of Wegman Parkway;

Van Winkle Avenue, between Liberty Avenue and Tonnele Avenue;

Eastern Parkway between Ocean Avenue and Garfield Avenue;

Tenth Street between Grove and Erie Streets, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Received.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named parties for the following amounts and purposes as hereinafter set forth:

$35.00, Oscar L. Nordine.

$64.00, John Kirkpatrick.

$23.00, John Brennan.

$92.50, Wm. McKittrick.

$34.11, Glendale Products Co.

$11.16, Economy Auto Supply Co.

$350.00, Am. La France Fire Eng. Co.

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$6.00, Am. La France Fire Eng. Co.

$16.00, S. F. Hayward & Co.

$2.35, Boyle-Loewus Co.

$73.01, Walter J. Coleman.

$58.80, J. Flannery.

$80.85, S. Miller.

$55.00, Strand Elec. Lamp Co.

$15.00, Dempsey Bros.

$15.00, Payton & Hoos.

$13.50, Standard Slide Corp.

$48.00, Woodhouse Mfg. Co.

$2.50, Great Bear Spring Co.

$13.50, Interstate Chemical Co.

$136.27, R. H. Perry & Co.

$22.60, E. H. Barnett.

$20.65, John A. Vill & Son.

$6.00, John A. Vill & Son.

$39.20, Union Printing Co.

$20.80, Hudson Observer.

$9.00, Evening Journal Association.

$8.64, Evening Journal Association.

$21.84, Evening Journal Association.

$5.55, Standard Oil Co.

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$798.11, Standard Oil Co.

$42.80, Valvoline Oil Co.

$42.40, Valvoline Oil Co.

$7.80, Loori Bros.

$19.60, Loori Bros.

$14.56, Otto Wilkins.

$110.25, C. G. Braxmar Co., shields.

$670.16, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$10.80, J. Dixon Crucible Co., grease.

$27.55, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., repairs.

$1.50, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., repairs.

$100.70, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., shoes and tubes.

$39.40, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$19.50, T. T. Finnerty, ice.

$33.00, Fleischman Bros., repairs.

$25.20, Gamewell Fire Alarm Telegraph Co., ribbons.

$29.75, Mrs. A. Howard, repairs, police blankets.

$16.47, T. L. Higgins, hardware.

$35.00, C. H. Hansen, stationery.

$161.21, Hendee Mfg. Co., parts.

$194.45, P. Jocham Co., repairs.

$9.10, Keegan's Garage, parts.

$58.02, A. B. Kuntz, supplies.

$13.25, L. Max & Sons, glass.

$150.00, E. S. Myers, rent stable.

$8.35, J. S. Menagh Co., tools.

$133.65, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$12.00, National Gas Governor Co., rental regulators.

$14.38, J. H. Ohmer, supplies.

$77.18, Rockland Chemical Co., disinfectant.

$52.00, Seraphim Mfg. Co., measures.

$37.75, J. T. Sack, oil heaters.

$13.00, Union Printing Co., envelopes.

$12.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$16.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$25.50, Valvoline Oil Co., oil.

$5.01, Whipple Hardware Co., hardware.

$35.96, Whipple Hardware Co., hardware.

$20.00, Payton & Hoos, chair.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$49.25, Ahlemeyer Bros., repairs.

$114.10, L. A. Bittighoffer repairs.

$1.95, Walter J. Coleman, supplies.

$94.00, Chas. Hvass & Co., supplies.

$37.50, Chas. Hayes, horseshoeing.

$147.42, James P. Hall, supplies.

$11.57, Jersey City Lumber Co., supplies.

$21.00, Jersey City Supply Co., supplies.

$264.00, C. J. Lutton, horseshoeing.

$12.92, Littleford Bros., supplies.

$8.35, New York Telephone Co., service.

$6.15, New York Telephone Co., service.

$2.50, New York Telephone Co., service.

$12,731.55, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$1,609.33, Public Service Gas Co., service.

$183.28, I. Judge, supplies.

$65.25, J. F. Sullivan, horseshoeing.

$20.64, J. H. & R. Shannon Co., supplies.

$68.00, James Sweeney, horseshoeing.

$23.25, Union Printing Co., supplies.

$92.25, Union Printing Co., supplies.

$12.29, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$9.24, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$9.46, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$4.56, Eveneing Journal Association, advertising.

$8.04, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$9.12, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$8.76, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$17.00, Kenneth Apolant, supplies.

$28.95, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$23.55, Blakeslee Cadillac Co., supplies.

$8.07, the Bristol Co., supplies.

$18.55, Adam Black, repairs.

$88.07, Coleman Auto. Elec. Service, supplies.

$15.53, C. H. Engler Co., lumber.

$15,702.00, East Jersey Water Co., water.

$250.65, Expert Auto Tire Repair, repairs.

$1,100.00, George W. Fuller, services.

$156.10, Geo. J. Gannon, insurance.

$8.64, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$1,100.00, Geo. A. Johnston, services.

$54.03, Jersey City Supply, supplies.

$6.00, Jersey City Supply, supplies.

$30.50, E. Kelly, horseshoeing.

$6.30, Nathan & Co., supplies.

$3.00, New York Telephone Co., service.

$7.62, New York Telephone Co., service.

$3.87, National Meter Co., supplies.

$5.00, A. B. Dick Co., supplies.

$37.11, New York Telephone Co., service.

$9.75, Union Towel Supply Co., supplies.

$101.25, Underwood Typewriting Co., typewriter.

$52.80, Westinghouse Elec. Co., supplies.

$8.04, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$143.99, E. B. Dawson Co., supplies.

$233.54, Fagan Iron Works, supplies.

$818.72, Fagan Iron Works, supplies.

$19.76, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$4.80, Initial A. & T. Co., supplies.

$169.36, Geo. C. Lavery Co., lumber.

$181.00, Murphy Tire Co., supplies.

$116.53, New York Telephone Co., service.

$28.35, Palace Garage, supplies.

$38.00, Union Printing Co., supplies.

$12.00, A. C. McClintic, refund.

$27.65, George Pollock, refund.

$1,553.43, Pennsylvania Salt Manufacturing Company, supplies.

$4.50, Public Service Elec, service.

$28.80, Rensselear Valve Company, supplies.

$28.55, Delia Salla, refund.

$1.50, Herman F. Trautmann, newspapers.

$413.94, Texas Company, supplies.

$6.84, Texas Company, supplies.

$41.50, Union Printing Company, supplies.

$90.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$58.75, Union Printing Company, printing.

$172.55, John Wolf, supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$25.60, James P. Hall, Inc., mason material.

$32.50, Edward J. Franklin, insurance.

$76.25, Eagle Window Cleaning Company, cleaning windows.

$8.00, Fleischman Bros., auto repairs.

$10.97, Jersey City Supply Company, miscellaneous supplies.

$35.00, W. A. Barclay, iron skylight.

$104.50, Thos. L. Higgins, paint.

$156.28, Patton Paint Company, paint.

$58.50, James B. Hall, Inc., sand.

$24.55, R. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$221.88, R. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$41.20, H. Kuntz, lamps.

$3.75, M. Trachtenberg, glass.

$25.76, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$14.10, H. Kuntz, lamps

$15.75, Louis A. Boehler, insurance.

$40.00, Elmer E. Williams, insurance

$15.75, C. Howard Slater, insurance.

$10.92, Goldberg Wrecking Co., Inc., lumber.

$10.08, Goldberg Wrecking Co., Inc., lumber.

$48.65, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$1.80, Thos. L. Higgins, sponges.

$13.35, A. J. Haesloop, miscellaneous supplies.

$168.40, George H. McKelvey, insurance.

$1.85, New York Telephone Company, telephone service.

$20.25, Adam J. Ruby, insurance.

$4.50, New York Telephone Company, telephone service.

$377.95, Adam J. Ruby, insurance.

$20.28, The Evening Journal Association, adv.

$21.84, The Evening Journal Association, adv.

$9.00, W. L. Ellis, typewriter ribbons.

$1.50, Whipple Hardware Company, alcohol.

$1.44, Whipple Hardware Company, nails and bolts.

$12.66, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$59.90, F. B. Brill, painting supplies.

$30.09, Thos. L. Higgins, miscellaneous supplies.

$35.00, George C. Lavery & Company, lumber.

$2.70, New York Telephone Company, telephone service.

$8.82, New York Telephone Company, telephone service.

$28.00, Oscar Michler, repairing saws.

$33.36, Belle Meade Auto Sales, auto repairs.

$19.24, Hudson Observer, adv.

$2.00, Carl Luck, keys.

$7.35, George W. Irving, lavatory repairs.

$15.75, W. A. Barclay, repairing roof.

$28.00, H. B. Kuntz, electric fixtures.

$490.00, W. A. Barclay, new roof.

$20.80, Hudson Observer, adv.

$7.75, New York Telephone Company, telephone service.

$20.80, Hudson Observer, adv.

$475.00, Elliott-Kiel Company, Inc., automobile body.

$185.32, R. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$43.90, New York Telephone Company, telephone service.

$48.22, Thos. L. Higgins, miscellaneous supplies.

$206.64, R. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$16.76, Jersey City Supply Company, miscellaneous supplies.

$7.80, Chas. F. Hansen, pads and pencils.

$10.25, James P. Hall, Inc., plaster boards and sand.

$12.50, James P. Hall, Inc., cement.

$105.50, James P. Hall, Inc., mason material.

$8.40, James P. Hall, Inc., lath.

$4.00, Public Service Elec. Co., electric service.

$1.00, Public Service Elec Co., electric service.

$46.00, Public Service Elec. Co., electric service.

$12.50, James P. Hall, Inc., cement.

$33.27, Public Service Gas Co., gas service.

$142.00, Public Service Elec Co., electric service.

$290.50, Public Service Elec. Co., electric service.

$5.60, Public Service Elec. Co., electric service.

$18.50, Public Service Gas Co., gas service.

$6.30, Public Service Gas Co., gas service.

$1.68, Public Service Gas Co., gas service.

$42.20, Public Service Elec Co., electric service.

$27.30, Public Service Elec. Co., electric service.

$50.00, Thomas Finnerty, ice.

$72.92, Public Service Gas Co., gas service.

$4.34, Public Service Gas Co., gas service.

$8.81, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., miscellaneous repairs.

$2.05, A. J. Haesloop, painting material.

$46.30, S. J. Crawford Co., plumbing repairs.

$6.00, Thomas L. Higgins, brushes.

$16.75, A. J. Haesloop, painting material.

$167.06, Jersey City Lumber Co., lumber.

$37.45, A. J. Haesloop, painting material.

$60.60, Thos. L. Higgins, mop wringers and handles.

$2.56, Jersey City Lumber Co., lumber.

$2.40, Jersey City Ladder Co., Inc., rope.

$14.75, Carl Luck, door check.

$2.50, J. Harris, glass.

$3.00, J. Harris, glass.

$6.00, Carl Luck, Yale lock.

$12.10, John P. Landrine, miscellaneous supplies.

$10.11, A. J. Haesloop, miscellaneous supplies.

$15.75, Edw. Freland, insurance.

$62.30, W. A. Barclay, plumbing repairs.

$15.60, A. J. Haesloop, tree pruners.

$21.84, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$65.07, Thomas L. Higgins, brooms.

$10.80, Monarch Elect. Con. Co., lamps.

$17.12, Jersey City Lumber Co., lumber.

$27.25, Jacob S. Zelinka, repairs to smoke pipe.

$25.60, Marcy Stove Repair Co., steam boiler.

$62.10, A. J. Haesloop, brushes and ash tools.

$25.60, Marcy Stove Repair Co., shaker bars.

$49.30, George C. Lavery & Co., Inc., lumber.

$4.00, Jersey City Ladder Co., Inc., locks.

$20.90, A. J. Haesloop, scoops and ash cans.

$29.89, Chas. H. Engler Lumber Co., lumber.

$277.00, W. A. Barclay, installing showers.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen,
Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons, for the following amounts and purposes:

$3.72, Hudson Observer, advertising bond issue.

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$20.80, Hudson Observer, appln. F. Finn, encroachment.

$3.74, Hudson Observer, appln. Harry Max.

$1.80, Hudson Observed, appln. R. J. Miller.

$20.80, Hudson Observer, appln. Nat.-Central Theatres.

$2.00, Evening Journal Assn., appln. Pitsas.

$2.00, Evening Journal Assn., appln., Gantner.

$21.80, Evening Journal Assn., appln. J. Hillman, encroachment.

$20.80, Evening Journal Assn., appln. F. Finn, encroachment.

$1.80 Hudson Observer, appln. Gantner.

$1.80, Hudson Observer, appln. Pitsas.

$21.84, Hudson Observer, appln. J. Hillman, encroachment.

$21.32, Hudson Observer, prop: hay, grain, etc.

$21.32, Evening Journal Assn., prop. hay, grain, etc.

$21.32, Evening Journal Assn, appn., Nat.-Central Theatres.

$6.50, J. W. Harrison, supplies.

$144.00, Evening Journal Assn., procl. starving children.

$10.85, Union Towel Supply Co., towel service.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following claimants for the amounts and purposes indicated:

$17.25, New York Telephone Company, service.

$181.93, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$181.93, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$38.52, L. L. Croner, groceries.

$14.88, New York Telephone Company, service.

$7.50, W. R. Holmes, coffee.

$51.30, T. Finnerty, ice.

$84.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$57.84, Morris Motor Car Company, auto repairs.

$112.25, Union Printing Company, printing.

$18.00, William R. Harrison, photographs.

$6.50, Great Bear Spring Company, spring water.

$4.44, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$12.72, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$4.44, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$398.10, Edward M. Dixon, fish.

$173.50, Otto Wilkens, instruments, etc.

$3.25, L. L. Croner, paprika.

$59.56, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$6,643.00, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$418.80, Charles H. Nolte, butter.

$19.00, William C. Hagen, bacon.

$68.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$95.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$221.00, James Bicker, X-ray plates.

$5.25, The Norwich Pharmacal Company, sodium bicarbonate.

$81.13, McCloskey Drug Company, drugs.

$170.72, The Kleinhaus Store, sheeting etc.

$38.50, Multiple Electric Products Company, lamps.

$85.20, Mountain Ice Company, ice.

$34.00, C. A. Woolsey Paint Company, paints.

$18.50, Expert Auto Tire Company, tire repairs.

$21.32, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$0.28, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$20.80, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$6.45, New York Telephone Company, service.

$20.80, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$9.10, American Auto Tire Company, tire repairs.

$21.75, Maresca Safe Company, fitting doors to vault.

$13.75, Charles Hansen, office supplies.

$57.50, Scott Paper Company, towels.

$10.40, T. Finnerty, ice.

$107.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$169.92, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, antitoxin.

$46.25, Wm. Singler, office supplies.

$179.00, Emil Landeck, printing.

$5.00, Great Bear Spring Company, water.

$30.00, Wisner Manufacturing Company, thermometers.

$6.24, Burroughs Adding Machine Company, repairs.

$561.81, Hudson County S. P. C. A., dog wagon service.

$67.40, M. Miller, supplies.

$10.00, Alex Scott, auto storage.

$22.00, Model Auto & Garage Company, towing auto, etc.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen,
Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

PAY ROLLS

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached payrolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being for services rendered during the periods specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen,
Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS

From Commissioner Gannon, submitting supplemental debt statement.

Received and ordered filed.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, George Kreiner, a patrolman in the Jersey City Police Department, who has been under suspension since his arrest, has been convicted in the Hudson County Court of Quarter Sessions of the crime of robbery; and

Whereas, It is provided by Chapter 74 of the Laws of 1913 of the State of New Jersey that any person holding an office in any municipality who shall be convicted of any misdemeanor or high misdemeanor touching the administration of his office or which involves moral turpitude, shall forfeit such office and cease to hold the same from the date of such conviction; therefore be it

Resolved, That Patrolman George Kreiner be and he hereby is dismissed from the Police Department of Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen,
Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, Lieutenant Charles Ladd, of the Jersey City Fire Department, has made application to be retired; and

Whereas, He is under the law qualified to be retired, having served more than twenty years and having attained the age of fifty years; therefore be it

Resolved, That Lieutenant Charles Ladd be placed on the retired list, to take effect March 1, 1921.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen,
Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer, and approved by the Corporation Counsel, as to form, for furnishing and delivering fifteen (15) tons each water gate boxes and covers, and sewer manholes, frames and covers, be and are hereby adopted, and ordered filed, and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen,
Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, The Commissioners of Assessment and Chief Engineer have this day filed with the City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City their final assessment maps and reports for the following improvements:

Improvement of Van Winkle Avenue between Liberty Avenue and Tonnele Avenue.

Improvement of Van Cleef Street between Stegman Street and a point 144.40 feet north of Wegman Parkway.

Improvement of Eastern Parkway between Ocean Avenue and Garfield Avenue.

Improvement of Tenth Street between Grove Street and Erie Street, all in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917 and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof; therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and requested to fix a date for public hearing and advertise the same as required by law for the purpose of receiving objections which may be presented against the confirmation of the above described final assessment maps.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering hay, oats, straw, etc, be and is hereby awarded to Messrs. Carscallen & Cassidy, at the prices named in their proposal, namely,

695,000 lbs. hay No. 1 Timothy, large bales per 100 lbs..........	$1.95
68,750 lbs. straw, best grade, per 100 lbs..........................	1.25
30,000 lbs. bran, per 100 lbs.......	2.35
15,125 bushels oats, per bushel....	.80
9,000 lbs. alfalfa, per 100 lbs......	3.50
2,000 lbs. rock salt, per 100 lbs....	3.00
50 lbs. dairy salt, per 100 lbs......	2.75
500 lbs. oil meal, per 100 lbs......	5.00

there being no lower bidder, and the Corporation Attorney be and is hereby directed to prepare and have executed necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the specifications for furnishing and delivering three (3) adding and subtracting typewriter tax billing machines for use in the City Collector's office, Department of Revenue and Finance, as submitted by the Director of Revenue and Finance, approved by the Corporation Counsel, be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed, and the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and requested to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering fire hydrants for use in Jersey City, N. J., to be delivered within four (4) months from date of contract, be and is hereby awarded to Kennedy Valve Mfg. Co., at the price named in their proposal, namely 98 per cent. of the Chief Engineer's standard, there being no lower bidder, and the Corporation Attorney be and is hereby directed to prepare and have executed necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, In anticipation of the receipt of taxes to be levied or of taxes levied and not delinquent, this municipality may borrow and have obligations outstanding to provide such moneys as may be necessary to meet its lawful expenditures under the appropriations for the year for which such taxes are levied or are to be levied, to wit, the fiscal year 1921; therefore be it

Resolved, That in pursuance of Chapter 192, P. L. 1917, approved March 28th, 1917, as amended, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do and they hereby authorize and direct that Tax Anticipation Notes of the City of Jersey City be issued to the amount of $300,000 bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 4 per cent. per annum, payable July 1, 1921, and at maturity; said notes to be dated February 24th, 1921, to become due and payable December 31st, 1921, or sooner if called by the city, and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing $3,500 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance appropriating $15,000 for fire hydrants and authorizing temporary bonds for said purpose and providing for payment of said bonds."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission has certified Henry J. Herrmann, No. 26 Tuers Avenue, Jersey City, as being eligible for appointment to the position of Searcher; be it therefore

Resolved, That said Henry J. Herrmann be and he is hereby appointed to the position of Searcher in the Department of Revenue and Finance (Bureau of Control) at an annual salary of two thousand dollars ($2,000), payable in equal semi-monthly installments, effective February 15th, 1921.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance duly advertised for bids for $1,600,000 tax revenue bonds of 1920 of the city; and

Whereas, at the sale of said bonds, held on February 17, 1921, no bids were received therefor; and

Whereas, the Commercial Trust Company of New Jersey is willing to purchase the said bonds, or so much thereof as may be issued, the same to bear interest at six per centum (6%) per annum, and to be paid for at par and accrued interest; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the said $1,600,000 Tax Revenue Bonds of 1920, bearing interest at six per centum (6%) per annum, be and the same are hereby awarded to the said Commercial Trust Company of New Jersey at par and accrued interest; further

Resolved, That in lieu of issuing Interim Certificates, each of which will entile the bearer to $25,000 of said bonds, one such Interim Certificate shall be issued for the full amount of said bonds.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, the Civil Service Commission has certified George D. Beatty, No. 89 Lexington Avenue, Jersey City, as being eligible for appointment to the position of Searcher; be it therefore

Resolved, That said George D. Beatty be and he is hereby appointed to the position of Searcher in the Bureau of Control, Department of Revenue and Finance, at an annual salary of Two Thousand Dollars ($2,000.00), payable in equal semi-monthly installments effective February 15, 1921.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, the Civil Service Commission has certified Francis X. Wheelehan of No. 29 Park Street, Jersey City, as being eligible for appointment to the position of Control Clerk; be it, therefore,

Resolved, That Francis X. Wheelehan be and he is hereby appointed Control Clerk in the office of the City Collector, Department of Revenue and Finance, at an annual salary of $2,000, payable semi-monthly, effective February 23, 1921.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, Bids have been received for the furnishing and delivering of one labor organizations, who naturally would demand representation on the commission. He suggested that Mr. Stanton, Mr. Saul and himself meet in conference and go over the matter thoroughly and then report to the Board of Commissioners.

Commissioner Fagen stated that inasmuch as it dealt with the craftsmen and the material supply men, that the matter should be taken up in public meeting and not in conference.

In conclusion Commissioner Gannon ordered the resolution withdrawn, and the matter was referred to the Mayor and Superintendent of Buildings John Saul for investigation.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the Board adjourned.

JOHN BENTLEY,
MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

Approved:
FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

Minutes of Meetings
of
Board of Commissioners

March, 1921

MEETING OF MARCH 1, 1921

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, on Tuesday, March 1, 1921, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

RECEPTION OF BIDS:

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for furnishing and delivering three Federal Flushers to the Street Cleaning Bureau of Jersey City, the City Clerk called for bids with the following result:

1. Morris Motor Co., $27,818.50, with surety company bond.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bid received opened and read and referred to the Director of the Dept. of Streets and public Improvements for investigation and recommendation.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS:

From Beck Shoe Co., requesting permission to erect electric sign at 327 Jackson.

Received.

From Eckel Bros., requesting permission to erect electric sign at 532 Mercer st.

Received.

From Elizabeth Thomson, requesting permission to alter and build garage in basement of 163 Magnolia avenue.

Received.

From property owners, protesting against erection and maintenance of ice service station at the northeast corner of Congress street and New York avenue.

Received and referred to the Superintendent of Buildings.

From residents, protesting against the maintainence of a chicken market and slaughter house at 403 Monmouth street, which, they state, creates odors detrimental to health of the residents in the vicinity.

Received and referred to the Bureau of Health for investigation.

From Counsellor Charles E. S. Simpson, submitting amended ordinance for the relief of the New York Machinery Exchange for the vacation of Pollock avenue.

Received.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

From Superintendent of Buildings, reporting on the application of Isidor Dlugasch to convert two-story frame building, 104-106 Greene street, into garage, which had been referred to him for investigation, advising the Board that permit should be refused for this alteration, inasmuch as it will be increasing area of frame buildings in fire limits.

Received.

From Superintendent of Buildings, reporting on the application of N. Feinberg for permission to alter frame buildings, 198-200 Newark avenue, and converting second floor into business purposes, which had been referred to him for investigation, advising the Board that the building is old, and that he could see no good reason why a permit should be granted for the alterations, as it will do nothing more than prolong the life of an old frame building in the fire limits of the city.

Received.

In connection with the application of N. Feinberg for permission to alter No. 198-200 Newark avenue, as reported on by the Superintendent of Buildings, Robert Hoos, president of the Jersey City Chamber of Commerce, together with other members of the Chamber, appeared before the Board and urged that no permit for the alteration be granted, because of the facts set forth in the report of Building Superintendent John Saul, and for the further reason that such alterations are a detriment to the Newark avenue business centre, and also that the location is a very valuable one, and a substantial building could be ereceted there, which would be a credit to the business section.

The Mayor stated that in such matters he preferred to have the applicant present so that the case could be discussed thoroughly, but in view of the fact that the Superintendent of Buildings had submitted his report, recommending that the permission be not granted, he would move that the recommendation be sustained by the board.

Whereupon the following resolution was introduced:

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Buildings of Jersey City the application of N. Feinberg, requesting permission to alter frame building at 198-200 Newark avenue, converting second floor for business purposes, instead of dwelling, be and the same is hereby denied, for the reason that said alteration means the prolonging the life of an old-frame building situated within the fire limits of Jersey City, this constituting a fire hazard.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named for the following amounts and purposes:

Police:

$290.00, Bergen Horse Co., horse.

$228.00, Mrs. Elizabeth Dougherty, prisoners' meals.

$9.00, B. B. Dust Eater Co., sweeping compound.

$20.58, C. F. Hansen, stationery.

$298.00, Gamewell Fire Alarm Teleg. Co., register paper.

$11.00, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$23.52, Garfunkle Bros., lamps.

$23.05, Garfunkle Bros., lamps.

$136.40, Mrs. Minnie Heitzman, prisoners' meals.

$6.00, T. L. Higgins, supplies.

$7.00, Mrs. A. Howard, repairs police blankets.

$73.50, J. Kirkpatrick, horseshoeing.

$7.00, Union Printing Co, binders.

$435.94, Emil Landeck, daily blotters.

$45.90, James P. McLaughlin.

$4.00, Mutual Iron Works.

$93.53, Diamond Chain & Mfg. Co.

$19.11, Lake Sales Co.

$35.10, Am. La France Fire Eng. Co.

$15.70, R. J. Letcher & Son.

$15.25, S. Miller.
$1.98, Joseph T. Sack.
$144.75, Joseph T. Sack.
$27.56, The Norwich Pharmacal Co.
$10.34, E. R. Squibb.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$119.65, Ahlmeyer Bros., repairs.
$3.70, C. F. Hansen, supplies.
$134.80, Peter Jocham Co., repairs.
$89.20, Peter Jocham Co., repairs.
$450.10, Peter Jocham Co., repairs.
$21.56, Emil Landeck, supplies.
$39.00, Thomas J. Miskell, horseshoeing.
$63.50, R. Stanton, horseshoeing.
$5.16, Evening Journal Association, advertising.
$32.59, F. B. Brill, supplies.
$33.75, Hugh Freil, supplies.
$67.35, Jersey City Supply, supplies.
$142.05, R. C. E. May, insurance.
$68.50, R. C. E. May, insurance.
$163.00, A. P. Smith Mfg. Co., supplies.
$5,534.06, Treasurer State of N. J., diversion excess of water.
$69.38, Peter G. Coffey, envelopes.
$15.45, L. Clark, repairs.
$8.50, C. F. Hansen, supplies.
$410.45, Jersey City Supply Co., supplies.
$106.35, Jersey City Supply Co., supplies.
$346.80, The Texas Co., supplies.
$44.10, Water Works Equipment Co., supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$25.00, Kelly's Garage, storage.
$25.50, Lewis Max & Sons, one windshield.
$5.00, Hudson Co. Storage Battery, auto supplies.
$1,384.40, Evening Journal, advertising.
$11.47, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.
$1.85, Chas. F. Hansen, one rubber stamp.
$29.00, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.
$74.97, Union Printing Co., printing.
$58.00, Union Printing Co., printing.
$3.45, Union Towel Supply, towel service.
$1.70, Underwood Typewriter Co., repairs to machine.
$15.03, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.
$19.58, Evening Journal, advertising.
$1.25, Dobke Typewriter Co., repairing machine.
$4.00, Munson Supply Co., set of speed keys.
$75.00, Clark & Gibby, typewriter desk and chair.
$12.32, Pub. Service Gas Co., gas consumed.
$7.50, Lawyers' Co-Operative Pub. Co., Law Reports, Vol. 9.
$92.25, Underwood Typewriter Co., new machine.
$12.70, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.
$50.00, Union Printing Co., printing.
$28.76, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.
$4.00, Speed Key Mfg. Co., speed keys.
$46.55, Herald Co., stationery.
$4.50, J. C. Storage Battery Co., auto supplies.
$9.00, Great Bear Spring Co., water.
$9.44, Blakeslee-Cadillac Co., auto supplies.
$257.32, Lexington Auto Tire Co., auto supplies.
$44.75, Belle Meade Auto Sales, auto supplies.
$420.00, Mary Kiernan, storage election booths.
$3.00, Great Bear Spring Co., water.
$10.05, N. Y. Telephone So., service.
$59.25, Union Printing Co., printing.
$88.00, Union Printing Co., printing.
$20.00, Union Printing Co., printing.
$98.50, Union Printing Co., printing.
$53.00, Union Printing Co., printing.
$3.75, Western Union Tel Co., time clock.
$259.80, Evening Journal, advertising.

$1,409.12, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$5.00, American Law Book Co., one copy Vol. 14A.

$12.00, A. J. Doan & Son, 30 copies brief.

$4.50, Baker, Voorhis & Co., publications.

$30.20, Sarco Co. of N. J., legal transcripts.

$3.25, Union Towel Supply, towels.

$7.40, N. Y. Tel. Co., telephone.

$4.00, Dobke Type. Exch., typewriter rental.

$2.50, Payton & Hoos, lock.

$6.85, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$59.25, Union Printing Co., printing.

$10.00, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$3.00, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$22.84, Sarco Co. of N. J., supplies.

$4.50, W. J. Coleman, repairs.

$7.44, Evening Journal Assn., tax ord.

$246.23, Rowands & Westphal, insurance.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the City Treasurer, in payment of the following claims:

$59.04, Murphy Tire Co., tires.

$7.00, Gas Consumers Assn., automatic gas governors.

$1.50, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$136.45, New York Telephone Co., telephone service.

$16.05, Henry J. Reitze, repairs.

$21.32, Garfunkel Bros., electrical supplies.

$40.00, Henry J. Reitze, cable.

$155.13, Whipple Hardware Co., painting supplies.

$134.55, Harry Jasper, electrical supplies.

$9.20, J. Flannery, boxes, covers and caps.

$5.75, Thos. L. Higgins, miscellaneous supplies.

$24.25, S. Kukielski, auto repairs.

$6.80, M. Trachtenberg, glass.

$35.75, George W. Irving, repairs.

$22.25, George J. Gannon, insurance.

$5.20, Jersey City Lumber Co., lumber.

$2.00, Marcy Stove Repair Co., connecting rod.

$4.38, Smooth-On-Mfg. Co., iron cement.

$3.60, Thos. L. Higgins, locks, bolts and screws.

$5.63, Thos. L. Higgins, raw sienna.

$3.80, M. Trachtenberg, glass.

$4.80, M. Trachtenberg, glass.

$535.60, James P. Meehan, contract, No. 160-A.

$25.00, Geo. H. Aspinwall, Inc., aqua ammonia.

$156.75, Geo. H. Aspinwall, Inc., phenolzone.

$100.00, Geo. H. Aspinwall, Inc., cleaning fluid.

$3.27, Thos. L. Higgins, screws, bolts and shields.

$10.00, Garfunkel Bros., switches, blades and handles.

$7.20, Garfunkel Bros., key sockets.

$5.35, Thos. L. Higgins, miscelleanous supplies.

$13.00, A. J. Haesloop, stove bolts.

$1.25, Thos. L. Higgins, alcohol.

$1.75, Jersey City Ladder Co., Inc, repairs to ladder.

$431.76, Jersey City Lumber Co., lumber.

$89.38, Whipple Hardware Co., brooms and wire.

$468.17, Whipple Hardware Co., wire cloth (Contract 162-A).

$212.50, Jersey City Lumber Co., lumber.

$0.75, Whipple Hardware Co., oil heater wick.

$16.90, Jersey City Ladder Co., Inc., extension ladder.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance, entitled "An ordinance to restrict vehicular traffic on Grove street."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, On Tuesday, February 8, a resolution was introduced at the meeting of the City Commission in which the resignation of John Pietrowski and John Donovan as members of the Jersey City Police Department were accepted. Pietrowski had requested a leave of absence for three months and did not intend to sever his connection with the Police Department permanently; therefore be it

Resolved, That the portion of the resolution introduced at the meeting of February 8, concerning John Pietrowski be and the same is hereby rescinded.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioner Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, On September 13, 1920, a collision occurred between an auto truck of the Fire Department and an automobile of Ferris-Grecco Press, Inc., which said collision was caused, in part, by defective brakes on the Fire Department truck; and

Whereas, The automobile of Ferris-Grecco Press, Inc., was damaged to the extent of $157.88, and claim therefore, has been made, which claim in the opinion of this Board should be paid; therefore be it

Resolved, That a warrant be drawn in favor of Ferris-Grecco Press, Inc., for $157.88 in payment of said damage, warrant to be delivered upon the execution of a release by said claimant.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission has certified to the names of Patrick J. Cooney, Clair Birch and Thomas Burke as being eligible for appointment to the position of Battalion Chief in the Jersey City Fire Department; therefore be it

Resolved, That Patrick Cooney, Clair Birch and Thomas Burke be and they are hereby appointed to the position of Battalion Chief in the Jersey City Fire Department at an annual salary of $3,500, payable in semi-monthly installments, appointments to be effective from date.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, The Civil Servzice Commission has certified the names of Henry Grabedunkel, James Manning, Walter Farrelly, Richard J. Cullen, Bernard Duffy as being eligible for appointment to the position of Captains in the Jersey City Fire Department; therefore be it

Resolved, That Henry Grabedunkel, James Manning, Walter Farrelly, Richard Cullen and Bernard Duffy be and they are hereby appointed Captains in the Jersey City Fire Department at an annual salary of $2,700, payable in semi-monthly installments, appointments being effective from date.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission has certified the names of Joseph Holloran, Bernard Reilly, J. H. Malone, James Connell, Walter Acker, Joseph Fox, Timothy Cronin and George Bush as being eligible for appointment to the position of Lieutenants in the Jersey City Fire Department; therefore be it

Resolved, That Joseph Holloran, Bernard Reilly, J. H. Malone, James Connell, Walter Acker, Joseph Fox, Timothy Cronin and George Bush be and they are hereby appointed to the position of Lieutenants in the Jersey City Fire Department at an annual salary of $2,400, payable in semi-monthly installments, appointments to be effective from date.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission of the State of New Jersey has certified the names of the following persons as being eligible for appointment to the position of fireman in the Jersey City Fire Department; therefore be it

Resolved, That the following persons be and they are hereby appointed as fireman in the Jersey City Fire Department at an annual salary of $1,700 for the first three years, and for the fourth year and thereafter, payable in semi-monthly installments, said appointments to be effective from March 1, 1921:

Raymond V. Kegelman
Wm. V. Harford
Joseph C. Eckoff
Raymond Mujick
John W. Burns
Herbert Selig
Frederick W. Schmid
Leonard J. Spanburgh
Charles H. Butler
Charles W. Bolender
Michael J. Mannion
James A. Finn
Lester J. Cookson
Walter L. Curtis
William Malicke
William A. Brennan
Joseph F. McCarthy
Thomas M. Dennison
Herman Hoffman
James Flynn
David Perlman
Lewis P. Roth
George V. Irwin
John J. Fitzgerald
James P. Carroll
James A. Rowan
Adolph J. Beckert, Jr.
Albert Stonier
Harold S. Bonsper
George J. Troy
Michael E. Kane
Oscar J. Geismar
Harry Snell
William W. Waite
Edward P. Sullivan
Michael J. Monahan
William J. Nickerson
James P. Brahney
William F. Geraghty
William F. Sweeney
Joseph J. Atchinson
James A. Lavin
John Flannelly
Ernst A Lemken
William J. Murray
Lester W. Delamater
William J. Herbert
Dennis Burns
Charles H. Smith
Joseph G. McLaughlin
Walter J. Wescott
Francis J. O'Hare
George J. Boss
Leo P. Duffy
John F. Gerken
Albert Birckholtz
Christopher F. Brady
George W. McCarthy
James F. Lavan
William F. Bihler
Samuel Briefer

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That pending final disposition by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, temporary permit be and the same is hereby granted to Armour and Company and the Erie Railroad Company, to lay and maintain certain spur tracks at Monmouth street and Sixteenth street, as shown on blue print attached to application.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission has certified Edward T. Reilly, of 577 Jackson avenue, Jersey City, as being eligible for appointment to the position of Custodian of Records; be it therefore

Resolved, That Edward T. Reilly be and he is hereby appointed Custodian of Records in the office of the City Collector, Department of Revenue and Finance, at an annual salary of $2,000, payable semi-monthly, effective February 23, 1921.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioner Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance, entitled "An ordinance to vacate that portion of Pollock avenue, which lies west of a certain other public highway known as Mallory Avenue in the City of Jersey City, New Jersey."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, A vacancy exists for the position of telephone operator in the City Hall Building; and

Whereas, The name of Kathryn E. Hulsz has been certified by the Civil Service Commission as being eligible for appointment; therefore be it

Resolved, That Kathryn E. Hulsz be and she is hereby appointed telephone operator in the City Hall Building at a salary of $1,000.00 per year, effective March 1, 1921.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, The Willite Road Construction Company of America has applied for a lease upon 40,000 square feet of the land owned by the city, adjoining Howell Street Dock; and

Whereas, They are willing to pay three cents per square foot per year for this property; be it

Resolved, That under the direction of the Director of Parks and Public Property, a lease be entered into, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized to have the necessary forms executed.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gallon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

Resolved, That the Board of City Commissioners, by virtue of this resolution, do hereby create a Commission to be known as the Jersey City Building Code Commission, whose duty it shall be to study and analyze the existing Jersey City Building Code, to compare in detail the Jersey City Building Code with the codes of other cities of similar size, to conduct hearings and to make recommendations to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City for the necessary revision, changes or amendments to said Code, to the end that Jersey City may be in a position to properly and adequately compete with other cities of the Metropolitan District, and that the following are hereby appointed as members of the said Jersey City Building Code Commission: Messrs. James Mitchell, John Fagen, Edward A. Ryan, W. Neumann, Frederick Dunham, James Billington and Joseph W. Edwards, and that the said Commission present its report to the Board of City Commissioners on or before October 1, 1921, and that the Commission submit, following its first meeting, to the Board of Commissioners the sum of money required for its investigation and report, such fund to be appropriated by the Board of City Commissioners by special resolution.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the resignation of Carrie R. Dilts as Dietetician and Laboratory Assistant to the City Chemist, submitted to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City this day, be and the same is hereby accepted, to take effect March 1, 1921.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Building of Jersey City, the application of Isidore Dlugasch requesting permission to convert two-story frame building at 104-106 Greene Street into garage to connect with frame building at 58 York Street, be and the same is herby denied for the reason that said alteration connects two frame buildings within the fire limits of Jersey City, and for the further reason that the Jersey City Building Code prohibits the increasing in area of frame buildings in the said fire limits.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner Moore, the Board adjourned.

JOHN BENTLEY,
MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
FRANK HAGUE.

Approved: Commissioners.

FRANK A. DOLAN, City Clerk.

MEETING OF MARCH 8, 1921

MINUTES of a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, March 8, 1921, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Absent: Commissioner Bentley (excused).

RECEPTION OF BIDS

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for furnishing supplies to the various departments of the City Government, and also performing certain work, the City Clerk called for bids, with the following results:

Furniture and Equipment City Hospital Buildings

1. Payton & Hoos, $4,136.74, with alternative bid on certain items, with surety company bond.

2. Globe-Wernicke Co., $7,632.00, with surety company bond.

3. L. M. Hicks, by item, with surety company bond.

4. The Lincoln Newark Co., by item, with surety company bond.

15 Tons Water Gate Boxes, Etc.

1. Lasker & Minck, $.05275 per pound, with certified check $500.

2. Interlocking Castings Co., 4.85 cents per pound, with certified check $500.

3. John B. Forbes Foundry & Iron Works, $.055 per pound, with surety company bond.

4. Fagan Iron Works, $.0479 per pound, with freeholder surety bond.

Painting Sixth Precinct Station House

1. Andrew Lemon, $3,735.00, with certified check $3,500.00.

2. J. I. Hass, $3,440.00, with freeholder surety bond.

3. William Hass, $2,073.00, with freeholder surety bond.

Three Tax Billing Typewriter Machines

1. Remington Typewriter Co., $760.00 each, with surety company bond.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received opened and read and referred to the Director of the Department from which the specifications emanated.

CITY ORDINANCES

This time and place having been advertised for the purpose of considering the final passage of the following described ordinances:

"An Ordinance appropriating $15,000 for fire hydrants and authorizing temporary bonds for said purpose and providing for payment of said bonds."

"An Ordinance authorizing $3,500 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City."

The City Clerk read each ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of the above described ordinances.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the ordinances were referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

ALTERATION HEARINGS

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications:

Eckel Bros., electric sign to project 7 feet from building line at No. 532 Mercer St.,

Beck Shoe Co., electric sign to project 7 feet from building line at No. 327 Jackson Ave.,

Elizabeth Thomson, alter present frame basement and change into garage at No. 163 Magnolia Ave.,

the City Clerk read each application and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of any of the above described applications. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against any of the above described applications.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Eckel Bros., to erect one electric sign to project 7 feet from building line at No. 532 Mercer Street, Jersey City, as shown on blue print attached to application; further

Resolved, That the superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to the Beck Shoe Co. to erect electric sign to extend 7 feet from building line at No. 327 Jackson Avenue, Jersey City, as shown on blue print attached to application; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the application of Elizabeth Thomson for permission to alter present frame basement into garage at No. 163 Magnolia Avenue be and the same is hereby referred to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements for investigation.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

HEARINGS.

An application for permission to erect a garage at 90 Waverly Street, having been filed with the Building Department by William Abrams, and a protest having been filed with the City Clerk by residents in the vicinity of proposed location, the City Clerk advised the board that he had notified Mr. Abrams and the protestants to appear at this time and place for a hearing in the matter.

Counsellor Morris Barrison appeared with the applicant Mr. Abrams.

Bernard J. Reitze, of No. 3 Lienau Place, presented a protest against the proposed garage, signed by several residents and property owners in the neighborhood. Mr. Reitze stated that the neighborhood was residential, consisting of private houses all set back off the building line, and that the proposed garage will be built right up to the building line and that in that way spoil the residential appearance and value of the other property on the block. He also stated that Mr. Abrams does not own a car at present and intends to erect the garage and then sell the property.

Commissioner Gannon asked Mr. Abrams how many cars he intended to keep there, and he replied that he would only keep one. The Commissioner than asked why he needed a garage twenty-feet long. He replied that he was going to erect a fireproof wall for the protection of his property.

Commissioner Gannon asked the protestants if they would object to Mr. Abrams erecting the garage provided he kept back of the building line. Mr. Reitze stated that it could not be done.

Counsellor Barrison advised the board that Mr. Abrams had lived in his property for the past five years and that he was interested in the development of the property, and that the property being his home, it was not in the market for sale. He also stated that directly opposite this proposed garage there is a public garage containing nine to ten cars, and that the garage is owned by Mr. Reitze, one of the protestants; that Mr. Abrams intended to keep only one car in the garage, which would be used by him as a pleasure car and also in connection with his carpentry business; that upon the proposed location of the garage there existed an old chicken coop which was unsightly and that this garage will really improve the property; that Mr.

Abrams has spoken to a great many of the residents in the vicinity and they did not object to the garage.

Mr. Hojnacki of No. 88 Waverly Street appeared and stated that he did not object to the garage.

Mr. Reitze stated that there was no public garage opposite the proposed garage and that he owned that property which is now occupied by a wholesale drug concern, and that only one car is maintained there.

Commissioner Gannon stated that he did not like the idea of having this garage protruding beyond the line of the other property because it would naturally be detrimental to the value of the block and also that Mr. Abrams being in the carpentry business he would store lumber, etc., on the property, which would constitute a fire hazard.

Mr. Reitze stated that there had been no hearing held before the Zoning Commission in the matter.

Counsellor Barrison stated that he was in favor of discussing the matter with the protestants in order to reach a satisfactory plan. Both sides consented to do this, and the hearing was closed until such time as a decision would be arrived at between both parties, and the matter referred back to the Commissioner on Building Districts for investigation.

At this time Counsellor Harry Lane presented a petition signed by several property owners and residents on Orient Avenue and Claremont Avenue between Jackson and Bergen Avenues, protesting against the proposed erection of a theatre building on the plot of land known as Lots 74-78, 79, K. & L. in block 1984, known as street numbers 337-339 Jackson Avenue and 75-85½ Orient Avenue. Several of the signers on the petition also appeared before the board. The protest stated that they were appealing from the decision of the Committee on Building Districts and Restrictions to grant such permission, referring to the petition filed with the said Zoning Commission and also requesting that a hearing be held in the matter.

Mr. Lane stated that he represe about fifty residents and prope owners in the vicinity who objecte the theatre, which is supposed to erected on Jackson Avenue, while as matter of fact it is going to be erected in an absolutely residential section; that the proposed site has only about 35 feet on Jackson Avenue, which will make the theatre in sort of an "L" shape on Jackson Avenue; that this section has been built up as a residential section for the past twenty-five years; that he advised the Zoning Commission that if they granted a permit for the theatre he would appear before the Board of Commissioners.

Commissioner Moore stated that this was not a formal hearing because the applicant had not been notified.

Mr. Lane then requested that the board take the necessary action to see that no permit be issued for said theatre until the matter is finally disposed of by the Board of Commissioners.

In conclusion Commissioner Moore moved that the hearing be set for two weeks from today, and that in the meantime the City Clerk be directed to notify the Building Department not to issue any permits for the erection of the theatre until all parties interested in the matter have been granted a hearing.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From Fred Werban, requesting permission to erect electric sign at No. 420 Central Avenue.

Received.

From Star Shoe Co., Inc., requesting permission to erect electric sign at No. 656 Newark Avenue.

Received.

From E. Schimel, requesting permission to erect electric sign at No. 529 Jersey Avenue.

Received.

From A. E. Goodwin, requesting permission to alter cellar and build garage therein No. 75 Gautier Avenue.

Received.

From J. Gunsburg, requesting permission to erect brick addition at No. 193 Jackson Avenue.

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m Ambrose C. McClintic, requesting ermission to build extensions at 1 Perrine Avenue.

Received.

From Drs. A. J. and C. B. Molyneux, requesting that provision be made in the City Hospital Buildings for an Osteopathic Department.

Received and referred to the Mayor and Medical Director Dr. John Nevin.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS

From Superintendent of Buildings, submitting report for February, 1921,

Received and ordered filed.

From Commission on Building Districts and Restrictions, advising the Board that they had approved the plans for the proposed erection of garages on lots 24 to 28, block 704, located on the south side of Prospect Street, between Ogden and Palisade Avenues.

Received and referred to the Superintendent of Buildings.

From Commissioners of Assessment and Chief Engineers, submitting final assessment maps and reports for the following improvements:

Improvement of Cliff Street, between Hudson Boulevard and Liberty Avenue; improvement of Chapel Avenue, between Ocean Avenue and Rutgers Avenue., in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Received.

AUDITING CLAIMS

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Bentley:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named for the following amounts and purposes:

$27.53, Baker, Murray & Imbrie, parts.

$53.96, Blakeslee Cadillac Co., parts.

$14.55, F. B. Brill, paint.

$8.00, F. B. Brill, globes.

$24.00, A. Datz Co., printing.

$60.08, Duckworth Chain Co., chains.

$37.87, Dodge & Bliss Co., lumber.

$65.45, Gulf Refining Co., oil.

$19.30, C. F. Hansen, stationery.

$3.50, C. F. Hansen, stationery.

$14.00, C. F. Hansen, stationery.

$12.00, C. F. Hansen, paper.

$8.16, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$38.88, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$56.00, W. R. Harrison, photos of prisoners.

$150.00, E. T. Myers, rent stable.

$11.79, J. S. Menagh Co. supplies.

$302.56, J. P. McLoughlin, insurance.

$70.00, O. L. Nordine, horseshoeing.

$23.54, J. H. Homer, supplies.

$349.40, Public Service Elec. Co., service.

$233.34, Public Service Gas Co., service.

$200.73, R. H. Perry Co., coal.

$226.25, J. T. Ryerson & Son, traffic signs.

$24.00, Union Printing Co., stationery.

$100.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$10.78, J. A. Vill & Son, supplies.

$45.08, Whipple Hdw. Co., chamois.

$9.00, Belle Meade Auto Sales, curtains.

$375.00, Society Prevention Cruelty Children, Det. Home, Juveniles.

$17.89, Jersey City Supply Co.

$20.00, Am. La France Fire Eng. Co.

$175.93, Woodhouse Mfg. Co.

$117.80, Jersey City Storage Battery Co.

$147.85, Morris Motor Car Co.

$8.00, James Carroll.

$40.00, James Carroll.

$264.40, Public Service Elec. Co.

$347.34, Public Service Gas Co.

$3.00, Public Service Elec Co.

$4.00, Public Service Elec. Co.

$6.50, Public Service Elec. Co.

$28.35, Whipple Hardware Co.

$12.87, Whipple Hardware Co.

$19.60, Mutual Service Co.

$4.40, Whipple Hardware Co.

$30.00, Boynton Furnace Co.

$265.00, Union Printing Co.

$8.40, Hudson Observer.

$21.36, Hudson Observer.

$8.88, Hudson Observer.

$8.52, The Evening Journal Assn.

$24.44, The Evening Journal Assn.

$8.88, The Evening Journal Assn.

$10.20, Whipple Hardware Co.

$167.40, I. Judge.

$6.00, Thos. J. Murphy.

$33.91, Murphy Tire Co.

$19.11, McKesson-Robbins Inc.

$317.18, Garfunkel Bros.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$43.53, City Treasurer, redemption tax sale.

$13.20, City Treasurer, redemption tax sale.

$17.13, Hawkins, Delafield & Longfellow, services.

$101.23, The Barrett Company, supplies.

$11.00, Columbia Ribbon & Carbon Mfg., supplies.

$4.32, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$7.92, Hudson Observer, advertising.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the City Treasurer in payment of the following claims:

$9.30, John A. Ward, toilet repairs.

$127.52, Jersey City Lumber Co., lumber.

$20.00, Thomas L. Higgins, moulding.

$80.00, D. S. Walton & Co., toilet supplies.

$571.85, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$50.00, J. F. Connors, rental.

$60.00, J. F. Connors, rental.

$3.00, Carteret Garage Co., auto supplies.

$10.50, Glenwood Garage & Rent., skid chains.

$54.00, John A. Ward, plumbing.

$50.00, Lafayette Window Cleaning, window cleaning.

$16.50, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$5.35, J. Harris, glass.

$5.50, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$16.00, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$4.50, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$2.50, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$3.00, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$2.00, J. Harris, glass.

$4.65, J. Harris, glass.

$5.50, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$8.50, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$5.88, Public Service Gas Co.,

$29.30, Public Service Elec. Co., tric.

$4.48, Public Service Gas Co., gas.

$19.80, Public Service Elec. Co., electric.

$14.25, Lexington Auto Tire Co., auto supplies.

$4.60, A. J. Haesloop, scrub brushes and brooms.

$0.98, Public Service Gas Co., gas.

$43.50, Public Service Elec. Co., electric.

$42.70, Public Service Elec. Co., electric.

$7.00, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$12.70, Public Service Elec. Co., electric.

$192.80, Public Service Elec. Co., electric.

$19.04, Public Service Gas Co., gas.

$7.00, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$3.50, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$5.00, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$9.50, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$1.00, Public Service Elec. Co., electric.

$74.00, F. Russell Lyan, one bale of cleaning cloth.

$24.00, Thomas L. Higgins, two cases of soap.

$62.02, A. J. Haesloop, screws, bolts, etc.

$1,371.15, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$1,049.16, Whipple Hardware Co., hardware, wire cloth.

$16.50, Thomas L. Higgins, red lead and dry metallic.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following claimants for the amounts and purposes indicated:

$61.85 Valvoline Oil Company, oil.

$18.00, The Kny-Scheerer Corp., splints.

$15.76, The Kleinhaus Store, uniform material.

$7.70, Nelson R. Vanderhoof Company, flag.

$24.88, Hamilton Low Company, pulley, etc.

$28.80, S. Gumbrecht & Company, puddings.

$22.49, The Lewis Manufacturing Company, cellucotton.

$60.52, Garfunkel Brothers, lamps, etc.

$75.20, Mountain Ice Company, ice.

$10.00, I. Price, suits (uniforms).

$81.97, The Colson Company, repairs to apparatus.

$12.00, The Kleinhaus Store, pillow cases.

$315.00, Benjamin Witte, uniforms.

$9.00, New York Times, advertising for nurses.

$67.35, Valvoline Oil Company, oils.

$211.50, W. R. Holmes Company, tea and coffee.

$21.00, William Bill, groceries.

$6.75, The Hospital Supply Company, folding bed cradles.

$44.50, The Standard Oxygen Company, oxygen.

$69.75, William Bill, groceries.

$18.00, General Baking Company, yeast.

$58.21, Henry Kelly & Sons, Inc., vegetables.

$26.35, Henry Kelly, Jr., Inc., fruits.

$27.72, F. A. Van Winkle, police cloth.

$25.73, C. A. Wolsey Paint & Color Company, paint.

$17.50, John C. Wolf, carpet and curtain repairs.

$3.00, The Fleischman Company, auto repairs.

$33.75, Knauth Brothers, ambulance bag.

$345.47, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$291.06, Morris Weismann, eggs.

$495.00, Medo Photo Supply Corp., X-Ray plates.

$20.58, The Griswoldville Manufacturing Company, gauze bandage.

$422.18, Ammon & Person, eggs.

$41.36, Francis H. Leggett & Company, canned goods.

$16.00, Otto Wilkens, nipples, etc.

$11.50, William Bill, groceries.

$142.41, Francis H. Leggett & Company, groceries.

$22.64, E. B. Haskins, ink.

$22.15, The Griswoldville Manufacturing Company, gauze bandage.

$130.83, John F. Crosby, vegetables.

$87.47, Dempsey Brothers, medical supplies.

$18.77, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$48.71, Payton & Hoos, filing cabinets.

$16.66, Jerome O'Keefe, toweling.

$103.49, Ganz & Goodman, blankets.

$22.41, Joseph T. Sack, crockery.

$73.26, D. I. Cohen, adhesive tape, etc.

$134.30, Joseph H. Brown, toweling.

$91.37, The Kleinhaus Store, nurses' gowns.

$27.29, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$11.10, Garfunkel Brothers, fuses.

$46.55, Union Printing Company, printing.

$55.30, T. Russel Lyman, wash cloths, etc.

$444.00, Mead, Johnson & Company, Dextri-maltose.

$29.65, D. I. Cohen, nursing bottles, etc.

$13.61, Lake Sales Company, rings for auto.

$471.00, A. McDonough, grocery tickets.

$53.15, J. Decker, milk, etc.

$268.72, American Auto Tire Company, auto repairs.

$41.65, Otto Wilkins, drugs, etc.

$350.45, General Baking Company, bread.

$81.22, Swift & Company, chickens.

$35.82, J. V. Calley, groceries.

$61.50, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

$135.86, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

$15.75, Otto Wilkins, corks.

$125.24, L. L. Croner, groceries.

$274.40, Lewis Manufacturing Co., gauze.

$130.00, D. Eisenberg, vegetables.

$2.70, F. B. Brill, sink brushes.

$401.80, Cotton Products Laboratories, pads.

$171.08, The Kleinhaus Store, dry goods.

$150.00, New Jersey Window Cleaning Company, cleaning windows.

$31.61, Jerome O'Keefe, dry goods.

$24.00, Charles F. Hansen, supplies.

$90.00, S. Kubelski, repairs.

$54.75, Hewitt & Bauer, auto repairs.

$147.85, Smith Caterer, furnishing supplies.

$56.95, A. Greenhut, curtain rods, etc.

$199.38, A. Silz, Inc., meats.

$193.95, William H. Edwards, insurance.

$13.48, Swift & Company, bacon.

$370.09, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$49.25, S. W. Kagan, pork.

$2.84, Joseph H. Browne, salt.

$2.50, McKesson & Robbins, oil lavender.

$52.77, Otto Wilkens, drugs, etc.

$158.19, Swift & Company, meat.

$72.81, J. V. Calley, vegetables.

$35.28, D. E. Cleary Co, spinach.

$28.66, McKesson & Robbins, drugs.

$85.65, E. R. Squibbs & Sons, drugs.

$18.82, Whipple Hardware Co, garbage cans.

$22.69, McKesson & Robbins, drugs.

$4.75, Francis H. Leggett & Company, soup.

$44.00, M. J. Conlin, removing dead animals.

$13.50, George Forrest, licenses.

$104.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$70.21, Julius Frey, leather bags.

$50.00, H. B. Kuntz, lamps.

$10.00, Alex Scott, auto storage.

$14.61, Keegan's Garage, auto repairs.

$2.75, Dobke Typewriter Co, repairing typewriter.

$66.35, Union Printing Company, printing.

$56.28, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$2.35, Charles F. Hansen, pads.

$216.00, Bosquett Brothers, groceries.

$185.00, Joseph J. Maguire, burials.

$17.70, R. H. Perry Coal Company, coal.

$35.40, R. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$1.30, New York Telephone Company, service.

$4.32, The Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$100.07, William Bill, groceries, etc.

$18.79, L. L. Croner, groceries.

$47.21, General Baking Company, bread.

$46.36, William Bill, fruits and vegetables.

$45.45, Willam Bill, fruits and vegetables.

$16.36, W. H. Walthery, meats.

$16.91, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

$116.11, Ammon & Person, butter and eggs.

$9.75, John F. Crosby, vegetables.

$25.73, D. C. Markus, meats.

$5.82, William C. Hagen, meats.

$5.64, Edward M. Dixon, sea food.

$7.10, Colgate & Company, soap.

$20.00, Henry J. Reitze & Son, lamps.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PAYROLLS

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached payrolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being for services rendered during the periods specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS

From Commissioner Gannon, submitting supplemental debt statement.

Received and ordered filed.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, It appears that in the resolution passed by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City on March 1, 1921, appointing firemen in the Jersey City Fire Department, the names of certain appointees were incorrectly spelled, due to a typographical error; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the names of the appointees on said list of firemen be and the same are hereby corrected as follows:

Raymond Wujick, should be Raymond Wujcik.

Oscar J. Geismar, should be Oscar J. Gleisnar.

Joseph J. Atchinson, should be Joseph J. Atchison.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to improve all that part of Bryant Avenue between Sip Avenue and its southerly terminus, in the City of Jersey City, by the construction of a sewer and improvement with asphalt pavement on a concrete base, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the making of private connections with sewer, gas or water mains or conduits for wires in Bryant Avenue, between Sip Avenue and its southerly terminus, in the City of Jersey City, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof."

Received and ordered filed in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

There having been introduced at this meeting by Michael I. Fagen, Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements an ordinance entitled: "An Ordinance to improve all that part of Bryant Avenue, between Sip Avenue and its southerly terminus, in the City of Jersey City, by the construction of a sewer and improvement with asphalt pavement on a concrete base, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof," it is hereby

Resolved, That said ordinance shall lie on the table until the meeting of this Board to be held on March 29, 1921, at the City Hall, in Jersey City; further

Resolved, That at said time and place this Board consider the undertaking of the improvement proposed by said ordinance and the said ordinance itself, and that a hearing shall be then and there afforded to all persons whose lands may be affected by or who may be interested in such proposed improvement, both upon said proposed improvement and said ordinance; further

Resolved, That the City Clerk publish in the Jersey Journal and Hudson Observer, on March 14 and 21, 1921, notice of the intention of this Board to consider such proposed improvement and ordinance. Said notice shall be in the form attached to this resolution.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, the Commissioners of Assessments and Chief Engineer have this day filed with the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City their final assessment maps and reports for the following improvements:

Improvement of Cliff Street, between Hudson Boulevard and Liberty Avenue,

Improvement of Chapel Avenue, between Ocean Avenue and Rutgers Avenue,

all in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917, and the various amendments thereto and supplements thereof; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby requested to fix a date for public hearing on said final assessment maps and reports and advertise the same as required by law.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to the National-Central Theatres, Inc., to construct and maintain an overhead awning in front of its building situated on Central Avenue, Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance for the relief of John Hillman, in relation to the encroachment of the three-story frame building situated at the southwest corner of Grant and Ocean Avenues and known as 605 Ocean Avenue, in the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance for the relief of Maria C. Goss in relation to the encroachment of the premises situated on the southeast corner of Charlotte and St. Paul's Avenues, in the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance for the relief of Samuel Schlossberg and Moses Solomon in relation to the encroachment of the building situated on the southwest corner of Central Avenue and Thorne Street, in the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, the findings as shown on report of the Water Assessor for the month of February, 1921, presented to this Commission at its meeting held this day, be and are hereby confirmed, and the said officer be and is hereby authorized to make such charges on his books:

Additions to registered water, $149.90; cancellation to registered water, $406.85; cancellation to metered water, $180.90.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, Edward F. McEvoy, James M. H. Cassell and Albert E. Perry be and they are hereby appointed Inspectors in the Engineering Bureau at a salary of $2,100 each per annum, payable semi-monthly, the Civil Service Commission having certified that they are on the elegible list for appointment, this resolution to take effect immediately.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, James J. Trainor be and he is hereby appointed Foreman of the Bureau of Motor Vehicles at a salary of $2,600 per annum, payable semi-monthly, the Civil Service Commission having certified that he is the only one on the eligible list for appointment, this resolution to take effect immediately.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, In anticipation of the receipt of taxes to be levied or of taxes levied and not delinquent, this municipality may borrow and have obligations outstanding to provide such moneys as may be necessary to meet its lawful expenditures under the appropriations for the year for which such taxes are levied or are to be levied, to wit, the fiscal year 1921; therefore be it

Resolved, That in pursuance of Chapter 192, P. L. 1917, approved March 28, 1917, as amended, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do and they hereby authorize and direct that tax anticipation notes of the City of Jersey City be issued to the amount of $180,000, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum, payable July 1, 1921, and at maturity; said notes to be dated March 10, 1921, to become due and payable December 31, 1921, or sooner if called by the City, and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an Ordinance entitled "An Ordinance appropriating $28,000.00 for the purchasing of street cleaning equipment and authorizing temporary improvement bonds for said purpose and providing for the payment of said bonds."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance approprating $7,000.00 for the purchase of new hose for the Fire Department and authorizing temporary improvement bonds for said purpose and providing for the payment of said bonds."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing the issue of $2,060,000 School Bonds of the City of Jersey City and providing for their payment."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass: "An Ordinance authorizing $3,500.00 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. The sum of $3,500.00 is hereby appropriated for the purchase of one 1½-ton auto truck chassis for use in the Jersey City Police Department, in addition to previous appropriation made for said purpose to wit: New Police Department Equipment.

Sec. 2. For the purpose of meeting said appropriation and of temporarily financing said improvement, which is not yet completed, temporary improvement bonds in the amount of $3,500.00 shall be issued in pursuance of an Act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled: "An Act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March 22, 1916, constituting Chapter 252 of the Laws of 1916, as amended.

Sec. 3. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of not exceeding six per centum (6%) per annum, and may from time to time be renewed. No bonds issued in pursuance of this ordinance shall mature more than six years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out. Said bonds shall be executed by the Mayor and Director of Revenue and Finance under the seal of the City and attested by the City Clerk, and shall recite they are issued to temporarily finance the acquisition of New Police Department Equipment.

Sec. 4. Said bonds shall be sold by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and shall be in such form and shall mature at such time or times, subject to the provisions hereof, as he may determine, and all other matters in respect thereof shall be determined by said director.

Sec. 5. Said bonds shall at maturity be paid out of the proceeds of sale of funding bonds, or if not so paid, a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay said bonds as they mature. In each year after the date of said bonds a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay the interest on said bonds.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance appropriating $15,000 for fire hydrants and authorizing temparary bonds for said purpose and providing for payment of said bonds.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, New Jersey, do ordain:

Section 1. The sum of $15,000 is hereby appropriated for the purchase of fire hydrants.

Sec. 2. For the purpose of meeting said appropriation and of temporarily financing said improvement which is not yet completed, temporary improvement bonds in the amount of $15,000 shall be issued in pursuance of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled: "An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March 22, 1916, constituting Chapter 252 of the Laws of 1918, as amended.

Sec. 3. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of not exceeding six per centum (6%) per annum, and may from time to time be renewed. No bonds issued in pursuance of this ordinance shall mature more than six years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out. Said bonds shall be executed by the Deputy Comptroller under the seal of the City and attested by the City Clerk, and shall recite they are issued to temporarily finance the installation of fire hydrants.

Sec. 4. Said bonds shall be sold by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and shall be in such form, and shall mature at such time or times, subject to the provisions hereof as he may determine, and all other matters in respect thereof shall be determined by said Director.

Sec. 5. Said bonds shall at maturity be paid out of the proceeds of sale of funding bonds, or if not so paid, a tax shall be levied and collected, sufficient in amount to pay said bonds as they mature. In each year after the date of said bonds a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay the interest on said bonds.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City for furnishing and delivering lumber to the Jersey City High Schools' Athletic Field; and

Whereas, The bid of the Jersey City Lumber Co. was the lowest bid received; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering lumber to the Jersey City High Schools' Athletic Field, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Jersey City Lumber Company at the price named in their bid, namely $982.43, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to have prepared and executed the necessary contract for the same.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners on February 8, 1921, for the furnishing and delivering of about 15,000 lineal feet (more or less) of wire fabric to the Department of Parks and Public Property and

Whereas, The bid of the Whipple Hardware Company was the only bid received; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for the furnishing and delivering of about 15,000 lineal feet (more or less) of wire fabric be and is hereby awarded to the Whipple Hardware Company at the to be delivered in quanities as ordered price named in their bid, said material by the Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property, and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to have executed the necessary contract for the same.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners on February 8, 1921, for the furnishing and delivering of bedding stock to the Department of Parks and Public Property; and

Whereas, The bid of William Gotthardt was the only bid received; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for the furnishing and delivering of bedding stock to the Department of Parks and Public Property be and is hereby awarded to William Gotthardt at the price named in his bid; said material to be delivered only in quantities as ordered by the Director of Parks and Public Property, and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for the same.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners on February 8, 1921, for the furnishing and delivering of wire fencing for Bayside Park; and

Whereas, The bid of the Anchor Post Iron Works was the lowest bid received; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the contract for the furnishing and delivering of wire fencing for Bayside Park be and is hereby awarded to the Anchor Post Iron Works at the price named in their bid and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for the same.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Application has been made to this Commission by Clyde Rickard of No. 346 Arlington Avenue for permission to widen private garage in the rear of his house to the extent of eighteen inches, so that it will be large enough to house the two private cars owned by him;

Resolved, That the relief petitioned for be and is hereby granted, and that the Superintendent of Buildings be and is hereby authorized to issue permit for the work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, This Board is advised by the Mayor that his attention has been directed to a condition existing in certain ice cream parlors in the city in that the New Jersey Retail Ice Cream and Candy Manufacturers' Association complains that certain ice cream dealers feed dogs and other animals accompanying patrons from the plates and utensils used by human beings; and

Whereas, if this condition is allowed to continue it will prove a menace to the health of the community; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the following regulation be and the same is hereby promulgated:

That do dog shall be kept in any store or shop wherein ice cream is manufactured, stored or sold, nor shall any dog be brought into any such store or shop by any patron or other person, or bed fed from any utensil used or to be used by any human being.

Any person violating this regulation shall be subject, if found guilty before any police justice in Jersey City, to a penalty of not more than Ten Dollars ($10.00) for each violation; and be it further

Resolved, That this resolution shall become effective at once and that the Bureau of Sanitation, Department of Health, be and is hereby authorized to have posted in a conspicuous place in all stores and shops a copy of this resolution.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission has certified the name of Miss Ella E. Lunney as eligible for appointment as Record Clerk; therefore, be it

Resolved, That Miss Ella E. Lunney be and she is hereby appointed Record Clerk in the Department of Health at an annual salary of $2,000.00, payable in semi-monthly installments, said appointment to take effect immediately.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission of the State of New Jersey has certified the name of Mr. James T. McEneaney of No. 395 Baldwin Avenue, this city, as eligible for appointment as Sanitary Inspector, Department of Health; therefore, be it

Resolved, That Mr. James T. McEneaney be and he is hereby appointed Sanitary Inspector in the Department of Health at an annual salary of $1,800.00, payable in semi-monthly installments, said appointment to take effect immediately.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That a warrant be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of Frank Sutton for the sum of $2,021.09, being payment on account of professional services, electrical and mechanical engineering work, new hospital buildings.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore, for Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, Bids have been received for the furnishing and delivering of one (1) one and one-half ton truck chassis for use in the Jersey City Police Department, as per plans and specifications on file in the City Clerk's office; and

Whereas, The bid of the Morris Motor Car Co. is the lowest bid received; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing the above named one (1) one and one-half ton truck chassis, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Morris Motor Car Company at the price named in their bid; and be it further

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for same.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore, for Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, At the meeting of the Board

of Commissioners held on the 23d day of February were received pursuant to advertisement from the United States Rubber Company and the Fabric Fire Hose Company for furnishing five thousand (5,000) feet more or less four-ply solid multiple woven cotton rubber-lined fire hose; and

Whereas, The bidders have in each instance bid to supply the hose at the same price, to wit, one dollar and forty cents ($1.40) per foot; therefore be it

Resolved, That a contract for furnishing twenty-five hundred (2,500) feet of the said hose, in accordance with the plans and specifications, be awarded to the United States Rubber Company in conformity with its bid; and be it further

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is authorized and requested to prepare the necessary contracts.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore, for Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, At the meeting of the Board of Commissioners held on the 23d day of February bids were received pursuant to advertisement from the United States Rubber Company and the Fabric Fire Hose Company for furnishing five thousand (5,000) feet more or less four-ply solid multiple woven cotton rubber-lined fire hose; and

Whereas, The bidders have in each instance bid to supply the hose at the same price, to wit, one dollar and forty cents ($1.40) per foot; therefore be it

Resolved, That a contract for furnishing twenty five hundred (2,500) feet of the said fire hose, in accordance with the plans and specifications, be awarded to the Fabric Fire Hose Company in conformity with its bid; and be it further

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare the necessary contracts.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering f. o. b. Jersey City three (3) five-ton Federal Flushers with the necessary equipments and attachments for use in the Bureau of Street Cleaning, be and is hereby awarded to the Morris Motor Company at the price named in their proposal, namely, twenty-seven thousand, eight hundred and eighteen dollars and fifty cents ($27,818.50), there being no lower bidder, and the Corporation Attorney be and is hereby directed to prepare and have executed necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering fire hydrants for use in Jersey City, N. J., to be delivered within four (4) months from date of contract be and is hereby awarded to Kennedy Valve Manufacturing Company, at the price named in their proposal, namely, 98 per cent. of the Chief Engineer's Standard, there being no lower bidder, and the Corporation Attorney be and is hereby directed to prepare and have executed necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the Board adjourned.

MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. MARRY MOORE,
FRANK HAGUE,

Commissioners.

Approved.
FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF MARCH 15, 1921

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, March 15, 1921, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

CITY ORDINANCES:

This time and place having been advertised as required by law for the purpose of considering the final passage of the following described ordinance:

"An ordinance to restrict vehicular traffic on Grove street."

The City Clerk read the ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of said ordinance. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the passage of said ordinance.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the final passage of an ordnance, enttled "An ordinance to restrict vehicular traffic on Grove Street," be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to March 22, 1921, at 2 p. m., in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

ALTERATION HEARINGS:

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications:

Star Shoe Co., Inc., electric sign, 656 Newark avenue; F. Schimmel, electric sign, 529 Jersey avenue; Fred Werban, electric sign, 520 Central avenue; A. E. Goodwin, alter cellar and building garage, 75 Gautier avenue; J. Gunsburg, build brick addition, 193 Jackson avenue; A. C. McClintic, building frame extension, 1 Perrine avenue.

The City Clerk read each application and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of any of the above described applications. No one appeared to protest, and no written protests were received against any of the above described applications.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to the Star Shoe Co., Inc., to erect electric sign to project eight feet from building line at 656 Newark avenue, Jersey City, as shown on plan attached to application;

Further Resolved, That the Superintendent of Building be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to E. Schimmel to erect electric sign to project six feet beyond building line at 529 Jersey avenue, Jersey City, as shown on plan attached to application;

Further Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Fred Werban to erect electric sign to project eight feet from building line at 420 Central avenue, Jersey City, as shown on plan attached to application;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the application of A. E. Goodwin for permission to alter cellar and build garage therein, at 75 Gautier avenue, Jersey City, be and the same is hereby referred to the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance for investigation.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to J. Gunsburg, to erect one-story brick addition in rear three feet two inches by forty-three feet five inches by 12 feet eight inches, lower floor beams in rear and build new store front in three-story five-family frame building, 193 Jackson avenue, Jersey City, as shown on plans attached to application;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Ambrose C. McClintic, to erect frame extension thirty-two inches by fourteen and one-half inches by twenty-four inches high, also extension over present one-story frame extension, fifteen inches by twenty-four inches by twelve inches high, on present two-story, two-family frame dwelling, 1 Perrine avenue, Jersey City;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioner Bentley, Fagen Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

Application having been made to the Building Department of Jersey City by L. S. Roberts for permission to erect garages on Lot Nos. 24-28, Block 704, on the south side of Prospect Street, between Ogden Avenue and Palisade Avenue, and a protest against said garages having been filed with the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, the City Clerk advised the board that he had notified the applicant and the protestants to appear at this time and place for hearing in the matter.

Counsellor Daniel Loeb appeared before the board and stated that he represented John Gukenberger, one of the signers on the protest, who has withdrawn his protest after learning that the building is to be only one-story high instead of three-stories, and will be sixteen feet away from his building. He also stated that Mr. Scherer, another signer of the protest, withdrew his objections upon learning that the building will be only eleven feet high.

Mr. Roberts, the applicant for the garages, appeared and stated that the building would be only one story high; that the property could not be used for any other purpose, being right on the brow of the hill; that on the north side of the street there are twenty garages erected now.

Commissioner Fagen stated that he was familiar with the location and that it is a fit place for such garages.

The City Clerk then called the names of the other signers on the protest, and no one appeared to protest.

Commissioner Gannon then moved that the hearing close and the application be granted, inasmuch as no one appeared to protest, and the original protest had been withdrawn.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for the erection of one-story brick building to be used for garage purposes on Lot Nos. 24-28, Block 704, on the south side of Prospect Street, between Ogden and Palisade Avenue, Jersey City, the protests against said garages having been withdrawn.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen,
Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From W. B. Littlefield, requesting permission to erect garage under front piazza at No. 54 Belmont Avenue.

Received.

From E. E. Smith, requesting permission to build garages in cellar of Nos. 239-241 Jewett Avenue.

Received.

From Fred Zachai, requesting permission to move building to rear and raise same 2½ feet and build foundation at No. 99 St. Pauls Avenue.

Received.

From Roger McGinley, pastor of St. Aeden's Catholic Church, protesting against the proposed public garage to be erected adjoining the property of the St. Aeden's Catholic Convent on Bergen Avenue, on the grounds that it would be extra hazardous to the convent and school, be a source of annoyance to the congregation of the church and furthermore would be a means of depreciating neighboring properties.

In connection with the foregoing protest, Mr. George Flagg, architect, representing the owner of the proposed garages, appeared before the board. He stated that the garages will be at the rear of the property projecting into the cemetery; that the wall facing the convent will be a blind wall.

The Mayor replied to Mr. Flagg that the church represented thousands and thousands of people living in that section and who must be protected against nuisances.

Commissioner Gannon stated that he did not approve of the garages being so close to the school and convent.

Commissioner Moore suggested that Mr. Flagg interview Father McGinley and find out if a settlement in the matter cannot be effected.

Mr. Flagg consented to follow Commissioner Moore's suggestion and matter was laid over for a period of two weeks.

OFFICERS COMMUNICATIONS.

From Superintendent of Buildings John Saul, submitting plans of H. Zeider for permission to erect brick storage building located at 95 Sackett Street, advising the Board that this property is located at the rear of Nos. 500-502 Bergen Avenue and that the Board of Commissioners revoked a permit June 8, 1920, for a garage at this location.

Received and referred to the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance for investigation and recommendation.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Director Bentley:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named for the following amounts and purposes:

$9.00, B. B. Dust Eater Co., compound.

$83.62, Baker, Murray and Imbrie, parts.

$80.00, Battery Service Co., repairs.

$132.30, Canton Art Metal Co., cabinet.

$10.50, Coleman Auto Electric Service Co., repairs.

$6.00, Columbia Ribbon and Carbon Manufacturing Co., ribbons.

$300.00, John Daly, rent, 7th Precinct.

$81.83, A. Datz Co., printing.

$140.80, Mrs. E. Dougherty, meals for prisoners.

$8.64, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$18.00, T. T. Finnerty, ice.

$461.17, Gulf Refining Co., gasoline.

$120.91, Gulf Refining Co., gasoline.

$15.00, C. F. Hansen, maps.

$70.00, Chas. Hayes, horseshoeing.

$32.39, T. L. Higgins, hardware (W. & M.).

$116.80, Mrs. M. Heitzman, meals for prisoners.

$8.64, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$31.15, Jersey City Lumber Co., lumber.

$7.25, Jersey City Storage Battery Co., repairs.

$58.50, P. Jocham Co., repairs.

$5.10, Keegan's Garage, parts.

$66.50, John Kirkpatrick, horseshoeing.

$25.79, A. Kuntz, supplies.

$162.06, J. P. McLoughlin, insurance.

$3.40, J. C. Menagh Co., globes.

$140.36, New York Telephone Co., service.

$12.00, National Gas Governor Co., rental regulators.

$70.00, O. L. Nordine, horseshoeing.

$7.00, Payton & Hoos, chair platform.

$27.29, Payton & Hoos, chair.

$11.00, Public Service Electric Co., service, stable.

$7.30, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$40.00, Union Printing Co., postage.

$30.00, Union Printing Co., envelopes.

$29.40, Union Printing Co., printing.

$7.33, Whipple Hardware Co., hardware.

$13.05, Whipple Hardware Co., paints.

$19.11, Whipple Hardware Co., varnish.

$46.15, New York Telephone Co.

$275.00, Smith & Kelleher.

$8.75, Standard Oil Co.

$4.65, Standard Oil Co.

$10.20, Standard Oil Co.

$3.88, Standard Oil Co.

$4.65, Standard Oil Co.

$12.75, Parke-Davis & Co.

$24.85, Garfunkel Bros.

$62.40, Garfunkel Bros.

$40.00, Geo. C. Krauss.

$56.00, John Kirkpatrick.

$43.50, Wm. McKittrick.

$10.00, Richard Stanton.

$3.60, John S. Menagh Co.

$1.40, Commercial Acytelene Co.

$16.50, Woodhouse Manufacturing Co.

$48.00, James Greene Co.

$104.58, Jos. H. Browne.

$8.28, Hudson Observer.

$8.76, Hudson Observer.

$31.50, American-La France Fire Engine Co.

$37.13, R. & L. Bearings Co., Inc.

$155.42, Mutual Iron Works.

$48.63, Mutual Iron Works.

$197.86, The Peter Jocham Co.

$22.40, I. Judge.

$25.32, I. Judge.

$92.00, Jersey City Auto Machine Works.

$106.00, Jersey City Auto Machine Works.

$31.18, Keegan's Garage.

$11.50, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen,
Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$34.85, Ahlmeyer Bros., repairs.

$40.20, L. A. Bittighoffer, harness.

$4.75, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$148.71, Julius Frey, harness.

$12.50, Louis Frey, prints.

$200.48, J. P. Hall, Inc., supplies.

$36.00, Charles Hvass & Co., supplies.

$62.00, Hudson Real Estate Co., insurance.

$10.65, Hudson Real Estate Co., insurance.

$62.00, Hudson Real Estate Co., insurance.

$15.50, Hudson Real Estate Co., Insurance.

$20.64, T. L. Higgins, supplies.

$8.50, Herald Company, printing.

$10.50, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$25.56, Jersey City Lumber Co., lumber.

$12.00, Benj. Kuperman, supplies.

$242.25, C. J. Lutton, horseshoeing.

$27.73, McCloskey Drug Co., supplies.

$70.06, Parke-Davis & Co., supplies.

$11,726.82, Public Service Electric Co., lighting.

$895.15, Public Service Electric Co., lighting.

$55.58, Public Service Electric Co., lighting.

$4.76, Public Service Gas Co., lighting.

$9.75, United Towel Supply Co., supplies.

$2.00, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$4.80, Otto Wilkens, supplies.

$5.16, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$8.76, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$4.92, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$98.80, L. A. Bittighofer, repairs.

$47.04, Carcallen & Cassidy, food.

$4.80, Colgate & Company, supplies.

$72.00, Charles Hvass & Co., supplies.

$21.84, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$26.40, Loori Bros., supplies.

$14.59, The Norwich Pharmacal Co., supplies.

$4.00, New York Telephone Company, service.

$6.75, New York Telephone Company, service.

$4.24, New York Telephone Company, service.

$825.00, A. Steiert & Son, brooms.

$4.80, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

$1,134.00, Frank McCarren, stamped envelopes.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$18.50, Great Bear Spring Water Co., water.

$8.80, J. C. Hislop Co., steel shelves.

$166.11, A. Datz Co., printing.

$13.48, New York Telephone Company, services.

$207.27, Union Printing Co.. printing

$3.00, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$1.20, Belle Meade Auto Sales, repairs.

$22.20, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$21.84, Hudson Observer, property billing machine.

$32.50, Union Printing Co., printing

$32.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$11.05, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$16.95, New York Telephone Company, service.

$21.84, Evening Journal Association, property billing machine.

$4.00, Munson Supply Company, keys.

$68.75, Rowlands & Westphal, insurance.

$161.40, Tileine Universal Flooring Co., flooring.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$3.25, Hudson Observer, application, DeAngelis.

$2.00, Evening Journal Association, application, H. Berman.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application, Wurret.

$2.00, Evening Journal Association, application, Newark Tire Co.

$12.00, Evening Journal Association, ordinance vacating Jane Street, National Products.

$2.00, Evening Journal Association, application, Beck Shoe Co.

$2.00, Evening Journal Association, application, Eckel Bros.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application, Thompson.

$11.40, Hudson Observer, ordinance vacating Jane Street, National Products.

$3.52, Hudson Observer, application, Wurrest.

$1.92, Hudson Observer, application, Newark Tire Co.

$1.80, Hudson Observer, application, H. Berman.

$1.92, Hudson Observer; application, Feinberg.

$1.50, J. F. Kelly, repairs.

$11.99, New York Telephone Company, service.

$17.00, J. Frey, prints.

$5.50, G. J. Boland, repairs.

$40.00, L. Max & Sons, glass.

$127.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$144.00, Hudson Observer, proclamation, Starving Children.

$7.32, Hudson Observer, ordinance relating to taxes.

$10.85, Union Towel Supply Company, service.

$66.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$290.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$5.52, Evening Journal Association, ordinance, Vehicular traffic.

$64.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$10.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$94.00, W. R. Harrison, photos.

$122.00, Geo. P. Kelley, transcript.

$5.70, L. Frey, prints.

$214.00, G. Stanley Underwood, plans.

$3.12, Burroughs Adding Machine Company, repairs.

$26.55, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$107.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$5.00, B. Kuperman, wire glass.

$630.00, National Surety Company, insurance bond.

$7.70, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$19.58, Hudson Observer, ordinance, bond sale.

$4.20, Evening Journal Association, tax notice.

$98.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$98.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$18.54, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$2.75, A. Datz Company, supplies.

$40.80, M. E. Kellogg Company, refund, balance.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the City Treasurer in payment of the following claims:

$8.63, New York Telephone Company, telephone services.

$2.50, New York Telephone Company, telephone services.

$116.38, New York Telephone Company, telephone services.

$45.85, New York Telephone Company, telephone services.

$7.80, New York Telephone Company, telephone services.

$123.14, New York Telephone Company, telephone services.

$52.92, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$30.84, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$2.00, Great Bear Spring Company, water.

$1.00, Great Bear Spring Company, water.

$20.28, Richard Entwistle, plumbing repairs.

$565.41, R. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$98.21, R. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$73 66, R. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$36.83, R. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$228.44, R. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$154.11, R. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$10.95, S. J. Crawford Company, heater repairs.

$38.40, S. J. Crawford & Company, plumbing repairs.

$448.00, S. J. Crawford Company, installing heater.

$40.00, Henry J. Reitze, electric lamps.

$435.00, W. A. Barclay, plumbing repairs.

$142.90, John A. Ward, plumbing repairs.

$282.30, John A. Ward, plumbing repairs.

$9.15, Thomas L. Higgins, repair material.

$8.52, Thomas L. Higgins, rapair material.

$3.05, Thomas L. Higgins, painting material.

$20.28, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$20.28, The Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$28.00, Fagan Iron Works, repair material.

$8.40, Anderson Bros. Company, plumbing repairs.

$488.00, J. I. Hass, Inc., painting.

$6.43, Jersey City Supply Company, plumbing supplies.

$16.65, Jersey City Supply Company, plumbing supplies.

$26.09, Jersey City Supply Company, plumbing supplies.

$6.00, S. Miller, electrical supplies.

$32.60, George C. Lavery & Company, Inc., lumber.

$50.00, Thomas Finnerty, ice.

$226.50, Public Service Electric Company, lighting services.

$64.45, Public Service Gas Company, gas.

$4.65, Standard Oil Company, oil.

$18.25, Standard Oil Company, auto supplies.

$5.76, Murphy Tire Company, auto supplies.

$11.10, Garfunkel Bros., electric supplies.

$20.00, Dieges & Clust, Playground Bureau material.

$261.30, Thomas P. Kenny, insurance.

$15.25, John F. Kelly, lock repairs.

$60.00, C. Pinchetti, concrete work.

$108.00, J. F. Connors, horse and wagon hire.

$224.00, Arthur Heppler, horse and wagon hire.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following named claimants for the amounts and purposes indicated:

$47.33, Hamilton Meat Market, chickens.

$32.49, D. E. Cleary Company, groceries.

$8.20, F. B. Brill, brushes.

$25.48, McKesson & Robbins, Inc., drinking straws.

$128.71, Hamilton Meat Market, meat.

$209.22, P. Loffredo & Brother, beef.

$99.08, McCloskey Drug Company, drugs.

$330.75, Seabury & Johnson, adhesive tape.

$299.68, Seabury & Johnson, bandage.

$26.46, D. E. Cleary Company, groceries.

$47.53, Austin, Nichols & Company, groceries.

$142.41, The Lewis Manufacturing Company, cellucotton.

$3.02, Austin, Nichols & Company, groceries.

$81.79, William Bill, groceries.

$1.45, Joseph H. Browne, salt.

$221.24, Hamilton Meat Market, lamb.

$90.56, P. Loffredo & Brother, beef and pork.

$67.97, Swift & Company, chickens.

$226.38, Keystone Dairy Company, milk.

$380.67, The General Baking Company, bread.

$105.35, John F. Crosby, vegetables.

$25.89, J. V. Calley, vegetables.

$2,919.20, R. H. Perry & Company, pea coal.

$90.45, Hamilton Meat Market, lamb.

$67.09, The Cronkhite Company, soap.

$10.60, I. Britten, fish, etc.

$27.30, Public Service Gas Company, gas.

$25.92, Henry McDermott, ice.

$1.10, Jerome O'Keefe, tape.

$11.75, A. B. Kuntz, repairing motor.

$28.69, New York Telephone Company, service.

$71.15, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$17.64, The Cudahy Packing Company, polish.

$33.93, E. B. Haskins, inks and pens.

$98.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$6.00, John Hopkins Press, subscription.

$24.94, New York Telephone Company, service.

$20.07, New York Telephone Company, service.

$8.00, New York Telephone Company, service.

$38.61, New York Telephone Company, service.

$29.40, The Herald Company, printing.

$22.21, Eimer & Amend, rubber tubing, etc.

$84.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$73.20, Loori Brothers, vaccine and antitoxin.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS.

From Commissioner Fagen, to whom was referred the application of Elizabeth Thomson for permission to erect garage in cellar of No. 163 Magnolia avenue, advising the Board that he made a personal investigation of the property and the neighborhood; that it is composed of private residences; that he did not observe any garages attached; therefore, he recommends that the application be denied, because if permission was granted it would only add to the fire hazard and would be detrimental to the neighborhood.

Received and recommendations adopted.

From Commissioner Moore, recommending that the board take steps to acquire for park purposes, the plot of ground situated on the northwest corner of the Hudson Boulevard and Van Nostrand avenue, which plot of ground is bounded by the Hudson Boulevard on the east, Stevens avenue on the south and Fowler avenue on the west.

Received.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission of the State of New Jersey has certified the names of the following persons as being eligible for appointment to the position of fireman in the Jersey City Fire Department; therefore be it

Resolved, That the following persons be and they are hereby appointed as firemen in the Jersey City Fire Department at a salary of $1,700 for the first three years and $2,000 for the fourth year and thereafter, payable in semi-monthly installments, said appointments effective from March 16, 1921:

Archibald Miller
James A. Campbell
Francis M. Maher
Michael F. Keanan
John J. McGuire
William M. Spille
David E. O'Neil
John J. Winkler
Frank M. Osmun
Edward S. Waters
Peter E. Kohnken
William J. Conway
Roderick F. Tighe
John F Stortz
Daniel A. Lenahan
John D. Dwyer
William Carley
William B. Zimmer
William F. Fitzgerald
John M. Hartnett
John J. Gibson
Joseph A. Lannon

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, Fireman Frederick Seeback has made application to be retired; and

Whereas, Under the law he is qualified to be retired, having served twenty-four years and having reached the age of sixty years; therefore be it

Resolved, That Fireman Frederick Seeback be and he is hereby retired on half pay effective from April 1, 1921.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, The Director of Public Safety has this day submitted to the Board of Commissioner of Jersey City specifications for one coupe for use in the Department of Public Safety; and

Whereas, The Board of Commissioners has approved said specifications; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said specifications covering one coupe, be and they are hereby approved and ordered filed, and the City Clerk authorized and requested to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to Armour & Company, the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad Company and the Erie Railroad Company to construct or cause to be constructed a certain spur track or siding along the southerly side of Eighteenth Street from a point one hundred (100) feet from the easterly line of Coles Street extended to the westerly line of Jersey Avenue."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to Armour & Company and Erie Railroad Company to construct or cause to be constructed a certain spur track or siding to begin in the westerly line of Monmouth Street extended, approximately thirty-five and fifty one-hundredths (35.50) feet easterly of the intersection of the southerly line of Sixteenth Street extended and running thence in a general northeasterly direction and on a curve across Monmouth Street to Sixteenth Street and thence continuing in a general northeasterly direction to the northerly side of Sixteenth Street and thence in an easterly direction to the westerly line of Coles Street."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the work under contract No. 2345, for the construction of a sewer in Sixteenth Street from a point 50 feet east of Monmouth Street to connect with sewer in Jersey Avenue, by Grange & Sloan, contracts, be and the same is hereby accepted as completed and the Chief Engineer, be and he is hereby directed to file with the Commissioners of Assessments a statement showing the entire cost of said improvement, and that thereupon the said Commissioners of Assessments shall proceed to make a proper assessment on any lands or real estate that may have been benefited or increased in value by such improvement, conformably to the provisions of Chapter 152, of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to improve all that part of Clarke Avenue, between Mallory Avenue and Water Street, in the City of Jersey City, by improving with asphalt pavement on a concrete base, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

There having been introduced at this meeting by Michael I. Fagen, Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, an ordinance entitled: "An Ordinance to improve all that part of Clarke Avenue, between Mallory Avenue and Water Street, in the City of Jersey City, by improving with asphalt pavement on a concrete base, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof," it is hereby

Resolved, That said ordinance shall lie on the table until the meeting of this Board to be held on April 5, 1921, at the City Hall, in Jersey City; further

Resolved, That at said time and place this board consider the undertaking of the improvement proposed by said ordinance and the said ordinance itself, and that a hearing shall be then and there afforded to all persons whose lands may be affected by, or who may be interested in such proposed improvement, both upon said proposed improvement and said ordinance; further

Resolved, That the City Clerk publish in the Jersey Journal and Hudson Observer, on March 21 and 28, 1921, notice of the intention of this board to consider such proposed improvement and ordinance. Said notice shall be in the form attached to this resolution.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the making of private connections with sewer, gas or water mains or conduits for wires in Clarke Avenue, between Mallory Avenue and Water Street, in the City of Jersey City, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, Upon the recommendation

of the Director of Streets and Public Improvements the application of Elizabeth Thomson for permission to alter present frame basement into garage at 163 Magnolia Avenue, be and the same is hereby denied for the reason that the neighborhood is composed of private residences neither of which have garages attached, and such proposed garage would increase the fire hazard and be a detriment to the neighborhood.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering fifteen (15) tons each water gate boxes and covers and seven (7) manhole frames and covers, be and is hereby awarded to Fagan Iron Works, at the price named in their proposal, namely $2,874.00, there being no lower bidder, and the Corporation Attorney be and is hereby directed to prepare and have executed necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, contract for furnishing and delivering three (3) adding and substracting typewriter tax billing machines for use in the City Collector's Office, Department of Revenue and Finance of Jersey City, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Remington Typewriter Company at the price named in their bid, namely, $760.00 each, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to have prepared and execute the necessary contracts therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

Whereas, In anticipation of the receipts of taxes to be levied or of taxes levied and not delinquent, this municipality may borrow and have obligations outstanding to provide such moneys as may be necessary to meet its lawful expenditures under the appropriations for the year for which such taxes are levied or are to be levied, to wit, the fiscal year 1921; therefore be it

Resolved, That in pursuance of Chapter 192, P. L., 1917, approved March 28, 1917, as amended, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do and they hereby authorize and direct that tax anticipation notes of the City of Jersey City be issued to the amount of $100,000.00, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum, payable July 1, 1921, and at maturity; said notes to be dated March 17, 1921, to become due and payable December 31, 1921, or sooner if called by the City, and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, In pursuance to the provisions of Chapter 152, P. L., 1917, section 45, page 298, relating to certain streets and sewer improvements, authority is vested in the governing body (where the amount of the assessments do not equal the cost of the improvement, and the amount of the assessment shall be paid by the municipality) to pay same out of any funds of the municipality available for the purpose; and

Whereas, The Commissioners of Assessments and the governing body of this municipality have in the confirmation of the following improvements to wit: Improvement St. Paul's Avenue. Opening of Merseles Street, improvement of Corneilson Avenue, determined that the cost of the improvement in excess of the benefits is $14,745.49, and therefore be it

Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, be and he is hereby authorized and directed to pay said cost of improvement in excess of benefits on the following improvement from "Local improvement revenue account:"

Improvement.	
Impt. St. Paul's Ave. No. 711	$4,454.75
Opening Merseles St., No. 712	1,789.50
Impt. Corneilson Ave., No. 713	8,501.24
Total	$14,745.49

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel and Director of Revenue and Finance be and they are hereby authorized and requested to institute condemnation proceedings for the purpose of acquiring a plot of land situate on the northwest corner of Hudson Boulevard and Van Nostrand Avenue, which plot of ground is bounded by the Hudson Boulevard on the east, Stevens Avenue on the south, and Fowler Avenue on the west; said plot of ground to be used for park purposes.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City at meeting held January 18, 1921, for furnishing and delivering linen, flannel, etc.; and

Whereas, Said bids were referred to Doctor John Nevin, Medical Director, and M. McGiverin, General Purchasing Agent, for investigation and recommendation; and

Whereas, Said Medical Director and General Purchasing Agent have reported that the bid of H. W. Baker & Company for certain items was the lowest bid received for these particular items; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering the following items to the Jersey City Hospital, be and the same is hereby awarded to H. W. Baker & Company at the prices named in their bid, as follows:

2,500 sheets, 72 in. x 99 in., Pequot, per doz., $14.90	$3,104.15
2,500 pillow cases, 36 in. x 45 in., Pequot, per doz., $3.75	781.25
1,500 yards muslin, 2 yards wide, per yard, $0.39⅞	598.13
1,000 yards outing flannel, per yard, $0.13½	132.50
200 orderlies aprons, per each, $0.33½	67.00
Total	$4,683.03

and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City at meeting held January 18, 1921, for furnishing and delivering linen, flannel, etc., and

Whereas, Said bids were referred to Doctor John Nevin, Medical Director, and M. McGiverin, General Purchasing Agent, for investigation and recommendation; and

Whereas, Said Medical Director and General Purchasing Agent have reported that the bid of Kleinhaus & Company, for certain items was the lowest bid received for these particular items; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering the following items to the Jersey City Hospital, be and the same is hereby awarded to Kleinhaus & Company at the prices named in their bid, as follows:

1,200 bed spreads for hospital, per each, $1.48	$1,788.00
1,200 bath towels, Turkish, per dozen, $3.45	345.00
2,000 yards twill muslin, per yard, $0.21¾	435.00
500 pair children's stockings, assorted, per dozen, $1.09	45.42
500 doctor's gowns, assorted sizes, per each, $1.49	745.00

1,000 children's undershirts, per dozen, $2.84	236.67

and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City at meeting held January 18, 1921, for furnishing and delivering linen, flannel, etc., and

Whereas, Said bids were referred, to Doctor Nevin, Medical Director, and M. McGiverin, General Purchasing Agent, for investigation and recommendation, and

Whereas, Said Medical Director and General Purchasing Agent have reported that the bid of Jerome O'Keeffe for certain items was the lowest bid received for these particular items, therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering the following items to the Jersey City Hospital, be and the same is hereby awarded to Jerome O'Keeffe at the prices named in his bid as follows:

500 yards children's rompers material, per yard, $.037½	$139.50
3,000 yards shroud muslin, per yard, $0.10⅝	318.75
1,000 yards baby diaper material, 20 in., per yard, $0.11 1-5	112.00
500 cotton bath robes, assorted sizes, per each, $3.95 5-6	1,979.17
Total	$2,549.42

and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City at meeting held January 18, 1921, for furnishing and delivering linen, flannel, etc., and

Whereas, Said bids were referred to Doctor John Nevin, Medical Director, and M. McGiverin, General Purchasing Agent, for investigation and recommendation; and

Whereas, Said Medical Director and General Purchasing Agent have reported that the bid of Ganz & Goodman for certain items was the lowest bid received for these particular items; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering the following items to the Jersey City Hospital, be and the same is hereby awarded to Gans & Goodman at the prices named in their bid, as follows:

1,800 hand towels, Huck 18 in. x 30 in., per each, $0.13¼	$238.50
1,000 pair men's socks, assorted sizes, per dozen, $1.26	105.00
200 orderlies coats, white, assorted sizes, per each, $1.62½	325.00
Total	$668.50

and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City at meeting held January 18, 1921, for furnishing and delivering linen, flannel, etc.; and

Whereas, Said bids were referred to Dr. John Nevin, Medical Director, and M. McGiverin, General Purchasing Agent, for investigation and recommendation; and

Whereas, Said Medical Director and General Purchasing Agent have reported that the bid of Furst & Co. for certain items was the lowest bid received for these particular items; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering the following items to the Jersey City Hospital be and the same is hereby awarded to Furst & Co. at the prices named in their bid as follows:

3,000 yds. unbleached muslin, 1 yd. wide, per yd., 8¾c.	$262.50
1,000 pr. women's stockings, white, asst. sizes, per doz., $1.12½	93.75
Total	$356.25

And the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City at meeting held January 18, 1921, for furnishing and delivering linen, flannel, etc.; and

Whereas, Said bids were referred to Dr. John Nevin, Medical Director, and M. McGiverin, General Purchasing Agent, for investigation and recommendation; and

Whereas, Said Medical Director and General Purchasing Agent have reported that the bid of Altro Manufacturing Co. for furnishing 2,500 undershirts was the lowest bid received for that particular item; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering 2,500 undershirts, assorted, to the Jersey City Hospital, be and the same is hereby awarded to Altro Mfg. Co at the price named in their bid, namely, $2,100, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare and have executed necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, The General Purchasing Agent of Jersey City has this day submitted to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City specifications for furnishing and delivering dry goods to Jersey City Hospital;

Whereas, This Board of Commissioners has approved said specifications; therefore be it

Resolved, That said specifications be and they are hereby approved and ordered filed and City Clerk authorized and requested to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner Bentley the board adjourned.

Approved:

JOHN BENTLEY,
MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.
A. HARRY MOORE,
FRANK HAGUE,

Commissioners.

FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk

MEETING OF MARCH 22, 1921

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, March 22, 1921, at 2 P. M.

Present: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

IMPROVEMENT HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised as required by law for public hearing for the purpose of receiving objections to the confirmation of the final assessment maps for the following improvements:

Improvement of Van Winkle Avenue between Liberty Avenue and Tonnele Avenue.

Improvement of Van Cleef Street between Stegman Street and point 144.40 feet north of Wegman Parkway.

Improvement of Eastern Parkway between Ocean Avenue and Garfield Avenue.

Improvement of Tenth Street between Grove Street and Erie Street, the City Clerk read the public notice of hearing and then called for any one who might desire to protest against the confirmation of the final assessment maps for said improvements.

The hearings were taken up in the following order:

VAN WINKLE AVENUE.

A written protest signed by property owners on Van Winkle Avenue between Tonnele and Liberty Avenue, was submitted to the Board, stating that the assessment in its entirety and as against each lot is excessive; that the work while well done, was completed in quick time without any delay or additional expense in the way of lost time, lack of material, etc.; that the amount of assessment is inequitable as compared with [illegible] improvements in the same neighborhood; that part of the improvement embracing the replacement of broken curbs and broken flagging on sidewalks was caused by the contractor who several years ago constructed a sewer in Van Winkle Avenue for relief of Newark Avenue sewer, who never repaired the curb and flagging, although formal complaint was made at the time; that prior to present improvement the street was a quiet one, used by the owners of the private homes on the block and the improvement caused slight, if any, increase in value of these homes; that the greatest benefit will be derived by business men and manufactories nearby who now use the street to a far greater extent than ever before, causing the block to lose its quiet home element and make it a busy and noisy street; that they are willing to pay what would be a reasonable and equitable assessment for the improvement, and in conclusion request the Board to amend the assessment and reduce it to what may be found to be a more proper amount.

Commissioner Fagen replied that the improvement was made during the war time when material and labor were very high; that the improvement was necessary; that the improvements made during the past four years are 90 per cent. better than any of the improvements made prior to that time and will last for twenty-five years instead of six years like the previous improvements; that the grade of asphalt is better and the foundation is much better; that the curbing and flagging does not come within the essence of the assessment for the improvements; that the City has no jurisdiction in the matter of the curbing and sidewalks; that this matter is regulated by State legislation, which provides that the property owner must repair the curb and flagging in front of his property, and if it is not done within specified time the City shall make the necessary repairs and assess the cost thereof on the property owner. The Commissioner advised the protestants that the assessment could be paid during a period of five years.

In conclusion Commissioner Fagen moved that the hearing be continued for two weeks, during which time he will hold a public hearing at which time the property owners may appear and discuss the matter thoroughly.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing for the purpose of receiving objections to the confirmation of the final assessment map for the improvement of Van Winkle Avenue between Liberty Avenue and Tonnele Avenue, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to Tuesday, April 5, 1921, at 2 P. M. in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

VAN CLEEF STREET.

Counsellor Joseph Autenrieth, representing the property owners on Van Cleef Street, appeared with them and presented a written protest signed by the said property owners, in which they protest against the assessment on the ground that the assessment is far in excess of the amount of the increased value of said property by reason of the improvement; further, that there are only four lots having a frontage on Van Cleef Street and the rest of the property being side lots; that the City should bear part of the assessment inasmuch as there is a public school on the next block.

Commissioner Fagen stated that the people in that vicinity were very anxious to have the improvement made and that it was completed in a good substantial manner and that the work was done during a period when unnatural conditions existed caused by the recent war when material and labor were very high.

In conclusion Commissioner Fagen moved that the hearing be continued for two weeks, during which time he will take the matter up with the Commissioners of Assessment and also with the property owners so that the matter can be thoroughly discussed.

By Commissioer Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing for the purpose of receiving objections to the confirmation of the final assessment map for the improvement of Van Cleef Street between Stegman Street and a point 144.40 feet north of Wegman Parkway, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to Tuesday, April 5, 1921, at 2 p. m. in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

EASTERN PARKWAY

No protests were presented against the confirmation of the Assessment Map for the improvement of Eastern Parkway between Ocean Avenue and Garfield Avenue.

TENTH STREET

No protests were presented against the confirmation of the Assessment Map for the improvement of Tenth Street between Grove and Erie Streets.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing for the purpose of receiving objections to the confirmation of the final assessment maps for the following improvements:

Improvement of Eastern Parkway between Ocean and Garfield Avenues,

Improvement of Tenth Street between Grove and Erie Streets,

in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to Tuesday, April 5, 1921, at 2 p. m., in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

FRANCHISE HEARINGS

The hearing on the following described applications for franchise privileges having been adjourned and continued to this time and place, and the City Clerk having caused to be advertised the fact that the Board of Commissioners will consider the final passage of ordinances covering said applications, the City Clerk read each of the following ordinances:

National-Central Theatre Co., Inc., marquise, 269-275 Central Avenue,
John Hillman, encroachment, 605 Ocean Avenue,
Maria C. Goss, encroachment, Charlotte Avenue and St. Pauls Avenue,
Schlossberg - Solomon, encroachment, Central Avenue and Thorne Street,

and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the passage of said ordinances.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the ordinances were referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

CITY ORDINANCES

This time and place having been advertised for the purpose of considering the final passage of the following described ordinances:

"An ordinance appropriating $28,000.00 for the purchase of street cleaning equipment and authorizing temporary improvement bonds for said purpose and providing for the payment of said bonds,"

"An ordinance authorizing the issue of $2,060,000 School Bonds of the City of Jersey City and providing for their payment,"

the City Clerk read each ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of said ordinances. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the passage of said ordinances.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the ordinances were referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

ALTERATION HEARINGS

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications:

E. E. Smith, garage in cellar of No. 239-241 Jewett Avenue,
W. B. Littlefield, garage under piazza, 54 Belmont Avenue,
Fred Zachai, move and raise No. 99 St. Pauls Avenue,

the City Clerk read each of the public notices of hearing, and then called for any one who might desire to protest against the said applications.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against any of the above described applications.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to E. E. Smith to build garages in cellar of 2½-story frame dwellings, Nos. 239-241 Jewett Avenue, as shown on blue prints attached to application;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to W. B. Littlefield to erect garage under front piazza of two-story, two-family frame dwelling, No. 54 Belmont Avenue, as shown on blue prints attached to application;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Fred

Zachai to move present 2½-story frame house to rear of lot, 15 feet, raise same 1½ feet and build foundation and garage in cellar of No. 99 St. Pauls Avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

HEARING:

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing for the purpose of hearing all those persons who may be interested either in favor of or against the following project:—

The construction of a theatre building on the premises known as Nos. 337-339 Jackson Avenue and Nos. 75-85½ Orient Avenue, the City Clerk read the public notice of hearing and then called anyone who desired to be heard in opposition to the proposed theatre.

Counsellor Harry Lane, representing several property owners and residents on Orient Avenue and Claremont Avenue, appeared before the board with a number of the said property owners and residents and urged the board not to grant the permit for the theatre because it would destroy the residential section of Orient Avenue and Claremont Avenue, which took so long to build up; that ten houses would have to be torn down and the residents thrown on the streets at a time when the housing situation is so critical; that Mr. Heyman who represents the applicant for the theatre frankly admitted to the Zoning Commission that it was New York capital that was financing the project; that the manner in which the matter was presented by the applicant is a subterfuge, because there is only a small frontage on Jackson Avenue and the main building will be on Orient Avenue.

Dr. William Parsons, pastor of the Claremont Presbyterian Church, submitted a written protest signed by the elders of the church in behalf of the congregation, protesting against the proposed theatre on the following grounds; that the section is residential and not a natural congregating centre; that the proposed theatre involves the destruction of residences of about 20 families, which is a more vital concern to this community than the coming of a non-productive industry; that the community is already adequately provided with amusement centers; that the people of the church have established a plant worth $100,000 in the erection of the church, and if the theatre is permitted, which will be only about 600 feet from this church, that it will hinder the work and depreciate the value of the church property; that at this time there is a determined effort to open places of amusement on Sunday afternoon and evening, during which hours the largest work of the church is done, and that if the theatre building is permitted, it will subject the church to a competition that would greatly lessen its usefulness to the community.

Counsellor Marcus Higginbotham appeared and addressed the board in behalf of the protestants. He stated that twenty-two families would be thrown out of their homes which they have strived so hard to build up.

George W. Bawman also addressed the board, protesting against the proposed theatre. He stated that the people who propose to erect the theatre had reduced his rent by one half in order to have him vacate the premises by April 15.

Mrs. M. Viguier, Mrs. Mary Niland, Mrs. Margaret Kenny, Mrs. Lane and other protestants addressed the board and urged that no permit be granted for the erection of the theatre.

Counsellor Samuel Heyman, representing the owner of the parcels of land on which the proposed theatre is to be erected, appeared before the board. He stated that when the hearing was held before the Zoning Commission, the matter was very thoroughly discussed; that the Zoning Commission saw fit to approve the application for the theatre; that from his understanding of the law, the Board of

Commissioners had no jurisdiction in the matter, but in view of the fact that a large body of citizens were present today at the hearing, he is willing to submit the case to the Board of Commissioners.

Mr. Heyman in a lengthy statement stated that if the city is to develop, projects of this kind should not be hindered; that the proposed theatre and equipment will cost in the aggregate about $400,000, increasing the ratables for the city in lieu of the present residences which give the city about $35,000 in ratables; that his clients are not desirous of exacting exorbitent rentals for the houses as they stand now because they are not worth such rentals; that most of the residents have already agreed to vacate the premises.

Commissioner Gannon stated that he would oppose the erection of the theatre unless Mr. Heyman would satisfy him that he could, through the various real estate men in the vicinity who are in favor of the project, find homes for the people who are to be dispossessed. Mr. Heyman replied that that would be a very difficult matter because he could not satisfy all the tenants.

Counsellor Atwood C. Wolfe, presented a petition signed by a large number of business men, property owners and residents of Jackson avenue, requesting the board to confirm the decision of the Zoning Commissio: in granting a permit for the proposed theatre, because they believe it is one of the busiest sections in the city and is in great need of an up-to-date theatre, and that such theatre will be a convenience and advantage to the neighborhood and community, and bring a great deal of business and additional taxes to the city.

A large delegation of the Jackson Avenue Business Men's Association appeared in favor of the proposed theatre.

Mr. Erwin, of the Claremont Bank, also appeared and spoke in favor of the theatre, Mr. Francis Gormley made a lengthy plea, urging the board to grant permission for the erection of the theatre.

In conclusion the Mayor stated that he desired to impress upon the people that the small property holder must be protected, and shall not be crushed because the large property owner has to make improvements; that the sympathy of the Board of Commissioners is with the small property owner; that there are many things to consider in this matter, such as the great many women and children living in the section; the church, and the view taken by the Business Mens' Association in the matter of the development of Jackson Avenue; that the city will send investigators through the section to make a thorough inspection and then report back to the board; that the board cannot arrive at a determination at this meeting; that the board will discuss the matter thoroughly and communicate their findings to the counsel for both sides, and also publish it in the daily newspapers circulated in the city. He also thanked the people for coming to the hearing and taking such an interest in the matter.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

From Albert Galuchie, requesting permission to erect one-story brick extension at No. 737 Bergen Avenue.

Received.

From M. Gordon, requesting permission to convert building into store No. 580 Jackson Avenue.

Received.

From Dominick Scalcione, requesting permission to alter building No. 191 Bay Street.

Received.

From A. D'Elia, requesting permission to alter cellar and build garage in cellar of No. 258 Dwight Street.

Received.

From Harry Finkel, requesting permission to alter building and put in new store front No. 117 Gates Avenue.

Received.

From Thomas F. Meaney, Counsel to the Hudson County Board of Health, relative to the menace to the communities of Hudson County from rabies, and urging the Board to adopt measures to ward off the possibility of a disastrous epidemic.

Received and referred to the Health Office of Jersey City.

From Ernest A. Kiesewetter, requesting permit for the erection of a temporary structure on land owned by the Erie R. R. Co., at Washburn Street, for the purpose of distributing ice to the people of Jersey City.

Received.

From Hudson County Bootblack Association of New Jersey submitting an ordinance regulating the closing of bootblack parlors at 4 p. m. on any legal holiday and requesting the Board to adopt same.

Received and referred to the Corporation Counsel for legal opinion.

OFFICERS COMMUNICATIONS.

From the Commissioners of Assessment and Chief Engineer, submitting their final assessment maps and reports for the following improvements:

Improvements of Fleet Street between Baldwin Avenue and Oakland Avenue;

Improvement of Holmes Avenue between Sip Avenue and its southerly terminus,

in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917.

Received.

From the Corporation Counsel, John Milton, advising the Board that Ralph P. Messano has been appointed temporarily as assistant to the Corporation Counsel at a salary of $1,800 per year, effective February 4, 1921.

Received.

From the Secretary of the Board of Education, submitting certified copy of resolution passed by them, which is as follows:

RESOLUTION CERTIFYING ADDITIONAL AMOUNT OF MONEY NECESSARY FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES.

Resolved, By the Board of Education of the City of Jersey City:

1—The amount of money required for school purposes hereafter stated in addition to the amounts heretofore paid and made available by the City of Jersey City is as follows:

Purpose	Appropriation	Amounts Paid	Amounts Required
School Building No. 6	$943,000	$500,000	$343,000
School Building No. 23	998,000	610,000	388,000
Additional Furniture for New Lincoln High School	50,000	None	50,000
			$781,000

2—The Secretary of this Board shall execute and deliver to the Board of Commissioners of said City a certificate in substantially the following form:

March 16, 1921.

To the Board of Commissioners of the City of Jersey City, N. J.

Pursuant to Chapter 112 of the Pamphlet Laws of New Jersey, 1916, entitled: "Supplement to an Act entitled: 'An Act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide, for the maintenance, support and management thereof' approved October Nineteenth, One thousand nine hundred and three, relating to the financing of school improvements" approved March 16, 1916, the undersigned certifies that the amount of money required for the school purposes hereafter stated in addition to the amounts heretofore paid and made available by the City of Jersey City, is as follows:

Purpose	Appropriation	Amounts Paid	Amounts Required
School Building No. 6	$943,000	$600,000	$343,900
School Building No. 23	998,000	610,000	388,000
Additional Furniture for New Lincoln High School	50,000	None	50,000
			$781,000

In Witness Whereof, the Board of Education of the City of Jersey City has caused this certificate to be executed by its Secretary under its corporate seal this sixteenth day of March, 1921.

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION
OF JERSEY CITY,
(Signed) G. Fred Ege,
Secretary.

(Seal)

Received and ordered filed.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Director Bentley:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named for the following amounts and purposes.

Police

$18.00, F. A. Anthracite, wood.
$12.50, Carscallen and Cassidy, feed.
$35.03, Fafnir Bearing Co., bearings.
$12.00, C. F. Hansen, paper.
$21.76, T. L. Higgins, soft soap.
$24.97, T. L. Higgins, mobo soap.
$12.50, G. C. Lavery & Co., lumber.
$24.50, Union Printing Co., printing.
$42.40, Valvoline Oil Co., oil.
$39.20, A. Kuntz.
$46.80, A. Kuntz.
$8.00, Jos. T. Sacks.
$6.00, Jos. T. Sacks.
$16.00, Jos. T. Sacks.
$8.00, Jos. T. Sacks.
$42.40, Valvoline Oil Co.
$4.96, Lake Sales Co.
$70.00, Wedlake-Lamson Co.
$1.91, A. J. Picard & Co.
$36.21, Economy Auto Supply Co.
$13.50, Interstate Chemical Co.
$167.00, I. Judge.
$425.25, Carscallen & Cassidy.
$413.19, Carscallen & Cassidy.
$469.26, Carscallen & Cassidy.
$399.12, R. H. Perry & Co.
$473.24, Standard Oil Co.
$36.50, A. Hopler.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons, in the amounts indicated:

$207.15, Ajax Insurance Agency, insurance.
$89.80, Ahelmeyer Brothers, repairs.
$9.00, Bullinger's Monitor Guide, subscription.
$84.00, Julius Frey, harness.
$2.00, Great Bear Spring Co., supplies.
$3.50, Great Bear Spring Co., supplies.
$120.00, Thos. L. Higgins, supplies.
$6.00, Thos. L. Higgins, supplies.
$20.25, Thos. L. Higgins, supplies.
$23.50, Chas. Hayes, horseshoeing.
$150.45, P. Jocham Co., repairs.
$106.45, P. Jocham Co., repairs.
$152.00, P. Jocham Co., repairs.
$7.90, Mutual Service Co., supplies.
$7.00, N. Y. Tel. Co., service.
$2.50, N. Y. Tel. Co., service.
$27.14, N. Y. Tel. Co., service.
$4.00, N. Y. Tel. Co., service.
$1,628.67, P. S. Gas Co., services.
$68.00, James Sweeney, horseshoeing.
$52.00, R. Stanton, horseshoeing.
$81.25, J. F. Sullivan, horseshoeing.
$5.00, Washburn Bros. Co., damages.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$22.84, Sarco Co. of N. J., license plates and badges.
$326.00, Union Printing Co., printing.
$276.00, Union Printing Co., printing.
$298.00, Union Printing Co., printing.
$3.50, C. F. Hansen, chair pad.
$12.00 Peerless Key Co., keys.
$5.52, Hudson Observer, Ord. Vehicular Traffic.
$3.75, J. F. Kelly, lock repairs.
$19.65, Eckel Tire Service Co., supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn

on the City Treasurer in payment of the following claims:

$17.00, The Coyle Realty Company, insurance.

$19.00, William H. Edwards, insurance.

$61.50, Blakeslee-Cadillac Company, auto supplies.

$23.36, Belle Mead Auto Sales, auto repairs.

$14.40, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$11.25, Ajax Insurance Agency, insurance.

$4.40, New York Telephone Company, telephone service.

$1.80, New York Telephone Company, telephone service.

$25.00, Charles Lucks, repairs.

$28.50, John E. Mullin's Sons, insurance.

$250.00, Nathan & Co., playground material.

$15.00, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$8.50, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$35.50, F. B. Brill, park supplies.

$20.00, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$41.56, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$2.75, A. J. Haesloop, bolts.

$12.50, Roth & Miller, surety bond.

$10.00, F. B. Brill, painting material.

$7.00, Junction Milling Company, lumber.

$5.50, George C. Lavery & Company, lumber.

$19.00, W. S. Fengado, insurance.

$494.38, R. C. E. May, insurance.

$50.00, Eagle Window Cleaning Company, cleaning windows.

$3.50, Carl Luck, repairs.

$4.15, Thomas L. Higgins, carpenter supplies.

$20.40, John A. Ward, plumber repairs.

$8.45, Thomas L. Higgins, carpenter material.

$29.00, Union Printing Company, stationery.

$164.50, Union Printing Company, stationery.

$9.90, A. J. Haesloop, park supplies.

$4.00, Public Service Electric Co., electricity consumed.

$450.00, Commercial Trust Company of New Jersey, rent.

$12.60, M. Tachtenberg, glass.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following-named claimants for the amounts and purposes indicated:

$38.58, Thompson Garage, Inc., storage and gas.

$24.80, Morris Motor Car Company, auto accessories.

$48.38, Thomas Finnerty, ice.

$88.91, Public Service Gas Company, service.

$35.00, Joseph T. Sack, lamps, etc.

$20.00, Metropolitan Building and Window Cleaning Company, cleaning windows.

$101.85, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$35.30, Public Service Electric Company, current.

$12.15, New York Telephone Company, service.

$9.00, J. J. Mooney, alcohol.

$73.66, R. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$188.34, Hamilton Meat Market, meat.

$9.00, Grain Soaps Corporation, soap.

$5.25, Henry J. Reitze, repairing motor.

$7.63, Archbold & Gallagher, ginger ale, etc.

$2.95, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

$12.60, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$13.20, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$13.08, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$4.32, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$7.00, Great Bear Spring Company, water.

$162.00, James Murray, shoes.

$480.00, A. McDonough, groceries.

$26.15, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$4.05, Morris Motor Company, repairs to auto.

$5.10, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$270.00, Joseph Maguire, burials.

$40.65, R. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$1.20, New York Telephone Company, service.

$73.66, Joseph H. Brainard, drugs.

$32.14, Henry McDermott, ice.

$11.30, Garfunkel Bros., lamps.

$58.75, Hudson Surgical Company, supplies.

$27.56, Joseph H. Browne, soap.

$181.93, R. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$93.77, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$7.20, Joseph H. Brown, soap.

$33.53, William C. Hagen, meat.

$5.65, Keegan's Garage, auto parts.

$21.32, Charles Hansen, stationery.

$14.00, Emanuel Schimmel, Dethol.

$70.85, M. Miller, supplies.

$94.08, Nurses' Outfitting Association, Inc., gowns.

$9.45, Hudson Oil & Supply Company, supplies.

$95.55, Union Printing Company, printing.

$16.30, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$442.41, Loori Bros., antitoxin.

$10.00, Alec Scott, storage.

$9.60, Thomas Finnerty, ice.

$35.50, Edmund P. Cotter, removing dead animals.

$150.00, Hazelton Mills, Inc., gauze.

$196.60, P. Loffredo & Brother, beef and pork.

$2.50, The Mallinkrodt Chemical Works, bicarbonate of soda.

$20.00, Armour & Co., pituitary liquid.

$2.78, Thomas L. Higgins, coffee strainers.

$112.60, Johnson & Johnson, supplies.

$194.27, Joseph H. Brown, supplies.

$77.40, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$33.52, Meincke & Company, instruments.

$121.32, William Bill, groceries.

$246.14, Hamilton Meat Market, lamb.

$2.84, Joseph H. Browne, salt.

$26.95, Joseph H. Browne, tags.

$138.77, Swift & Company, fowl and beef.

$24.70, Mallinkrodt Chemical Works, drugs.

$25.00, Otto Wilkens, supplies.

$304.57, General Baking Company, bread.

$251.37, Morris Weisman, eggs.

$225.00, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$73.16, William C. Hagen, meats.

$54.41, J. Decker, milk and cream.

PAYROLLS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attched payrolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being for services rendered at the Dover and Boonton plant of the Water Bureau, during the period specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen,
Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS.

From Commissioner Fagen, returning to the Board for such action as they may deem necessary, the following ordinances:

Armour & Co., spur track southerly side of 18th Street.

Armour & Co., spur track Monmouth and 16th Streets.

Received.

From Commissioner Fagen, recommending that the resolution adopted by the Board on March 15, 1921, denying application of Elizabeth Thomson for the erection of garage in cellar of No. 163 Magnolia Avenue, be rescinded and reconsidered, due to the fact that he has since learned that there were no objections filed against the application and also that the applicant had filed with him consents from the owners and tenants of the adjoining property that they have no objections to the alteration in question. For this reason he would recommend that the permission sought be granted.

Received.

From Commissioner Gannon, submitting supplemental debt statement.

Received and ordered filed.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, Fireman Thomas Dillon

has made application to be retired; and

Whereas, under the law he is qualified to be retired, having served thirty-nine years, and having reached the age of sixty-five years; therefore be it

Resolved, That Fireman Thomas Dillon be and he is hereby retired from the Jersey City Fire Department on half pay effective from April 1, 1921.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Director Fagen:

Resolved, That conformably to resolution of the Board of Street and Water Commissioners adopted November 1, 1909, the sewer heretofore constructed under private auspices in Neptune Avenue from Ocean Avenue to a point 200 feet west thereof, having been examined by the Chief Engineer and satisfactorily reported on, be and the same is hereby accepted for the uses and benefits of the public; and be it

Further Resolved, That the Permit Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and directed to enter same on Sewer Map as a public sewer.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Director Fagen:

Resolved, That the report of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, received this day with reference to the application of Elizabeth Thomson, for permission to alter present frame basement into garage at 163 Magnolia Avenue, be and the same is hereby received and approved; and be it

Further Resolved, that, upon his recommendation, the resolution passed at meeting held March 15, 1921, denying said application, be and the same is hereby reconsidered and rescinded; and be it

Further Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Elizabeth Thomson to alter present frame basement into garage at 163 Magnolia Avenue, in accordance with all the rules and regulations governing such matters.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, the Commissioners of Assessment and Chief Engineer have this day filed with the City Clerk and Clerk of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City their final assessment maps and reports for the following improvements:

Improvement Fleet Street, between Baldwin and Oakland Avenues;
Improvement Holmes Avenue, between Sip Avenue and its southerly teminus,

in accordance with provisions of Chapter 252, Laws of 1917, and the amendments thereof and supplements thereto; therefore be it

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and requested to fix a date for public hearing and advertise the same as required by law for the purpose of receiving objections to the confirmation of the above described map.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering f. o. b. Jersey City, Three (3) Five Ton Federal Flushers, with the necessary equipments and attachments for use in the Bureau of Street Cleaning, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Morris Motor Company, at the price named in their proposal, namely, Twenty-seven Thousand, Eight Hundred and Eighteen Dollars and Fifty Cents ($27,818.50), there being no lower bidder, and the Corporation Attorney be and is hereby directed to prepare and have executed necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An Ordinance for the relief of John Hillmann, in relation to the encroachment of the three-story frame building situated at the southwest corner of Grant and Ocean Avenue and known as 605 Ocean Avenue in the City of Jersey City.

Whereas, It has been reported to the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of Jersey City by the petition of John Hillmann that there is erected a certain three-story frame building at the southwesterly corner of Grant and Ocean Avenues, which building is erected upon Lot 28 in Block 1988 and known by street number 605 Ocean Avenue, Jersey City, N. J., and which said building encroaches on the southerly side of Grant Avenue for a distance of one and five-eighth inches (1⅝"), and also that the front of the building encroaches over and upon the building line of Ocean Avenue a distance of two and one-half inches (2½"), tapering to an encroachment of one and five-eighths inches (1⅝"), at the corner of Ocean and Grant Avenues, as shown upon a survey made by Edward W. Insley & Son, dated May 22, 1920, a copy of which survey is attached to the petition of the said John Hillmann; and

Whereas, The said John Hillmann prays permission to maintain the said encroachment, and a public hearing having been held thereof after due notice given in accordance with the statute, and there being no objection thereto;

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1—That permission be and the same is hereby granted to John Hillmann, his heirs, administrators and assigns, to maintain the said building now erected on said land as the same now stands, insofar as it relates to the aforesaid encroachment, until such time as the same shall be removed or require a reconstruction or rebuilding, at which time the same shall be made to conform to the building line as established.

Section 2—This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An Ordinance for the relief of Maria C. Goss in relation to the encroachment of the premises situated on the southeast corner of Charlotte and St. Pauls Avenues in the City of Jersey City.

Whereas, It has been reported to the Mayor and Board of Commissioners of Jersey City by the petition of J. Frank Finn, Attorney for Maria C. Goss, that there is erected a one-family dwelling on the southeasterly corner of Charlotte and St. Pauls Avenues, which building is erected upon Lot 1 in Block 642, and which said building encroaches on Charlotte Avenue in the front forty-one hundredths (41/100) of a foot, and in the rear one and thirty-four hundredths (1 34/100) of a foot, as shown by survey attached to and forming part of the petition of said petitioner, made by Joseph W. Onreiter, Civil Engineer and Surveyor; and

Whereas, The said petition of the said J. Frank Finn, Attorney for Maria C. Goss, prays for permission to maintain said encroachment, and a public hearing having been held thereon after due notice given in accordance with the statute, and there being no objection thereto;

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1—That permission be and

the same is hereby granted to Maria C. Goss to maintain the said building now erected on said land as the same now stands, insofar as it relates to the aforesaid encroachment, until such time as the same shall be removed or require a reconstruction or rebuilding, at which time the same shall be made to conform to the building line as established.

Section 2—This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance for the relief of Samuel Schlossberg and Moses Solomon in relation to the encroachment of the building situated on the southwest corner of Central Avenue and Thorne Street in the City of Jersey City.

Whereas, it has been reported to The Mayor and Board of Commissioners of Jersey City by the petition of Samuel Schlossberg and Moses Solomon that there is erected a certain building on the southwesterly corner of Central Avenue and Thorne Street, and known by street numbers 7 Thorne Street and 401-403 Central Avenue, Jersey City, N. J., and which said building encroaches as follows: The front wall of the building situated on the Thorne Street side and known as 7 Thorne Street, encroaches over and upon said street or highway four hundreths of a foot (4/100) for a distance along the said front wall; the wall of the building standing erected at the said corner of Central Avenue and Thorne Street encroaches over and upon said Thorne Street or highway, eleven hundreths of a foot (11/100) for a distance along said wall; and the front wall of said building on Central Avenue fronting and facing on said highway and abutting the said highway, encroaches over and upon the said street for the entire frontage of said building at the corner of Central Avenue and Thorne Street for a distance of forty-three hundredths of a foot (43/100) and at the southerly end of said building on Central Avenue for a distance of thirty-six hundredths of a foot (36/100); and the show windows of the store in said building also encroach over and upon said Thorne Street and Central Avenue and the cornice of said building on the same streets or highways also encroach thereon; and there exists on the Thorne Street side of said building an areaway and stairway leading from the street to the basement of said building, which it is claimed encroaches upon the said Thorne Street or highway; all as shown on survey attached to and forming part of the petition of said Samuel Schlossberg and Moses Solomon, made by Joseph W. Obreiter, Civil Engineer and Surveyor; and

Whereas, the said petition of the said Samuel Schlossberg and Moses Solomon prays for permission to maintain said encroachment, and a public hearing having been held thereon after due notice given in accordance with the statute, and there being no objection thereto;

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Samuel Schlossberg and Moses Solomon to maintain the said building now erected on said land as the same now stands, insofar as it relates to the aforesaid encroachment, until such time as the same shall be removed or require a reconstruction or rebuilding, at which time the same shall be made to conform to the building line as established.

Section 2. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance granting permission to the National-Central Theatres, Inc., to construct and maintain an overhead awning in front of its building, situated on Central Avenue, Jersey City.

Whereas, the National-Central Theatres, Inc., has made application for permission to construct and maintain an overhead awning beyond the building line and in front of its premises known as 269-275 Central Avenue, said awning or marquee to be securely and properly fastened to the wall of the said building, as shown on blueprint attached to said application on file in the office of the City Clerk;

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That the said National-Central Theatres, Inc., be and they are hereby permitted to construct and maintain in front of the premises known as 269-275 Central Avenue, Jersey City, an awning or marquee as shown on the blueprint of plans filed with the application of the said National-Central Theatres, Inc.

Section 2. The said overhead awning or marquee is to have a projection of 14 feet, no inches outwards from the building line and will be 15 feet 4 inches in length. It is to be 11 feet 10 inches above the sidewalk and is to be framed up with a ¼-inch by 15-inch plate, having a 2½-inch by 2½-inch by ⅜-inch angle at top and another at the bottom, which will extend across the front and return at either end, and be built into the wall. There will be two 9-inch by 13.25-inch channel struts each, one to be set about 2 feet 6 inches from either end, and to these will be secured the two 1¼-inch square supporting rods which will be carried up and be anchored into the reinforced concrete floor construction of the second story. There are to be three lines of 6-inch by 8-inch channels running laterally from end to end and framing in between the struts for stiffening the marquee and together with three lines of 2½-inch by 2½-inch by ¼-inch angles running across, will carry the roofing which will consist of ⅛-inch steel plates.

The work is to be put together with rivets wherever possible and bolted elsewhere with all connections made in securest manner and in accordance with the best practice. The marquee will slope towards the building and a gutter will be carried across the inner side from which the water will empty into a leader and be taken down inside the building and discharged into the drainage system. The marquee will be illuminated at night.

Section 3. The said overhead awning or marquee shall be built in accordance with the plans filed with the petition of said National-Central Theatres, Inc., and in a manner satisfactory to and under the supervision of the proper department of the city government.

Section 4. The ordinance granting this privilege shall be in full force and effect for a period of twenty years.

Section 5. In accepting the privileges of this ordinance and the operation and maintenance herein authorized, the beneficiaries thereby agree to assume full, complete and undivided responsibility for any and all injury or damage to persons or property by reason of such construction or maintenance and to hold the city harmless therefrom.

Section 6. This ordinance shall not become operative unless an acceptance in writing thereof shall be filed by the beneficiaries with the City Clerk within thirty days after receiving notice of the passage thereof.

Section 7. For the privilege herein accorded said beneficiaries shall pay annually to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City the sum of One Dollar ($1.00), said payment to be made in advance to the City Comptroller of Jersey City at his office in the City Hall on the first day of April, next succeeding the time when this ordinance shall become effective and each year thereafter in like manner; and this ordinance being for the sole relief of the said National-Central Theatres, Inc., shall not be assigned or permitted to be used by any other person, company or corporation whatsoever, except by the authority or subsequent resolution of this Board.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The Corporation Counsel advises this Board that he has appointed temporarily Ralph P. Messano as assistant to the Corporation Counsel at the salary of $1,800.00 per year, effective February 4, 1921; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said temporary appointment be and the same is hereby approved and confirmed.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission has certified Patrick J. Hawkes, of No. 179 Culver Avenue, Jersey City, as being eligible for appointment to the position of Custodian of Records; be it therefore

Resolved, That Patrick J. Hawkes be and he is hereby appointed Custodian of Records in the office of the City Collector, Department of Revenue and Finance, at an annual salary of $2,000, payable semi-monthly, effective March 22, 1921.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission has certified Henry J. Treusch, of No. 88 Sussex Street, Jersey City, as being eligible for appointment to the position of Custodian of Records; be it therefore

Resolved, That Henry J. Treusch be and he is hereby appointed Custodian of Records, in the office of the City Collector, Department of Revenue and Finance, at an annual salary of $2,000, payable semi-monthly, effective March 22, 1921.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission has certified Harry J. Gordy, of No. 966 Summit Avenue, Jersey City, as being eligible for appointment to the position of Custodian of Records; be it therefore

Resolved, That Harry J. Gordy be and he is hereby appointed Custodian of Records in the office of the City Collector, Department of Revenue and Finance, at an annual salary of $2,000, payable semi-monthly, effective March 22, 1921.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, Through the resignation of Harry J. Gordy a vacancy exists in the position of Collector of Personal Taxes in Arrears; be it therefore

Resolved, That Otto C. D. Eckelmann, of No. 85 Graham Street, Jersey City, be and he is hereby appointed Collector of Personal Taxes in Arrears, Office of the City Collector, Department of Revenue and Finance, at an annual salary of $1,500, payable semimonthly, effective March 22, 1921, this appointment being for a period of three years, in accordance with Chapter 65, Laws of 1893.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance appropriating $3,500.00 for the purchase of new hose for the Fire Department and authorizing temporary improvement bonds for said purpose and providing for the payment of said bonds."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance appropriating $4,000.00 for the improvement of water supply system and authorizing temporary improvement bonds for said purpose, and providing for the payment of said bonds."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUE OF $182,000.00 INTEREST DEFICIENCY NOTES

Resolved, By the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City:

1. No other provision having been made for the payment of interest due April 1, 1921, amounting to $182,000.00, on the outstanding water bonds of the City, the sum of $182,000.00 shall be borrowed to provide funds to pay such interest on said date.

2. Pursuant to the provisions of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled "An Act concerning municipal and county finances," approved March 28, 1917, constituting Chapter 192, P. L. 1917, as amended, such indebtedness shall be evidenced by the issue of Interest Deficiency Notes, dated March 24, 1921, payable on or at the option of the City before June 1, 1922, and bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum, payable at maturity.

3. Said Notes shall be executed by the Mayor and Treasurer under the seal of the City, and attested by the City Clerk, and are awarded and sold to the Sinking Fund Commissioners of said City at par and accrued interest, and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance is authorized and directed to have said Interest Deficiency Notes prepared and, after the execution thereof, to deliver the same upon the receipt of the purchase price therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

RESOLUTION RELATING TO THE FORM AND SALE OF $2,060,000 SCHOOL BONDS OF THE CITY OF JERSEY CITY, N. J.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City resolve:

1. The $2,060,000 School Bonds of the City authorized by "An Ordinance authorizing the issue of $2,060,000 School Bonds of the City of Jersey City, and providing for their payment," finally adopted on March 22, 1921, shall be in coupon form, registerable at the option of the holder either as to principal only, or as to both principal and interest, and shall be numbered from 1 upward in order of maturity.

2. The said bonds shall be in substantially the following form:

No. $1,000

STATE OF NEW JERSEY
CITY OF JERSEY CITY
SCHOOL BOND

The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, a municipal corporation of the

State of New Jersey, for value received, promises to pay to the bearer of this bond, or, if it be registered, to the person in whose name it is registered, the sum of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000) on the first day of April, 19 , and to pay interest thereon at the rate of five and one-half per centum (5½%) per annum, semi-annually on the first days of April and October in each year, from the date of this bond until it matures, upon presentation and surrender as they severally mature of the coupons therefor annexed hereto, or if this bond be registered as to both principal and interest, then to the person in whose name it is registered. Both principal and interest of this bond will be paid in lawful money of the United States of America, at the office of the Treasurere of said City.

This bond may be registered as to principal by the holder in his name on the books of the City, kept in the office of the City Comptroller, and such registration shall be noted on the back of this bond, after which no valid transfer of this bond shall be made except on said books until after registered transfer to bearer. Such registration shall not affect the negotiability of the coupons which shall continue to pass by delivery. At the request of the holder, this bond will be converted into a bond registered as to both principal and interest and the coupons annexed hereto detached and cancelled and thereafter both principal and interest shall be payable only to the registered holder.

This bond is one of an issue, the authorized principal amount of which is $2,060,000, the bonds of which are of like tenor, except as to maturities; $51,000 maturing on April 1 in each of the years 1922 to 1941 inclusive, and $52,000 on April 1 in each of the years 1942 to 1961 inclusive, and is issued pursuant to an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled: "An Act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October 19, 1903, and the acts amendatory thereof and supplemental thereto, and an ordinance of said city entitled: "An Ordinance authorizing the issue of $2,060,000 School Bonds of the City of Jersey City, and providing for their payment," duly adopted on March 22, 1921, and published as required by law.

It is hereby certified and recited that all conditions, acts and things required by the Constitution and Statutes of the State of New Jersey to exist, to have happened and to have been performed, precedent to and in the issuance of this bond, exist, have happened and have been performed, and that the issue of bonds of which this is one, together with all other indebtedness of said City is within every debt and other limit prescribed by the Constitution and Statutes of said State.

In witness whereof, The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City have caused this bond to be signed by its Mayor and Deputy Comptroller under the seal of the City and attested by its City Clerk, and the coupons hereto annexed to be authenticated by the fac simile signature of said Deputy Comptroller, and this bond to be dated the first day of April, 1921.

....

Mayor.

....

Deputy Comptroller.

Attest:

....

City Clerk.

(FORM OF COUPON)

No. $27.50

The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, a municipal corporation of the State of New Jersey, will pay to the bearer on the 1st day of , 19 , the sum of Twenty-seven and 50/100 Dollars ($27.50) in lawful money of the United States of America, at the office of the Treasurer of said City, being six months' interest then due on its School Bond dated April 1, 1921, and bearing No. .

....

Deputy Comptroller.

(CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION)

I hereby certify that at the request of the holder of the within bond, for its conversion into a bond registered as to both principal and interest, I have this day cut off and destroyed coupons attached thereto, numbered from to inclusive, of the amount and value of Twenty-seven and 50/100 Dollars ($27.50) each, amounting in the aggregate to Dollars ($), and that the within bond is hereby converted into a registered bond, with the principal thereof and semi-annual interest thereon payable to

.............., assignee or legal representative.

Dated .... 19....

....

Deputy Comptroller.

Date of Registry	Name of Registered Holder	Registered by
....	....	....
....	....	....
....	....	....

3. Said bonds shall be sold at a meeting of the Board to be held on April 5, 1921, at 12 o'clock, after notice of sale published at least twice, the first publication at least ten days prior to sale, in the official newspaper of the City, and also at least once in the Bond Buyer, a financial paper published in New York city. The form of notice of sale shall be substantially as follows:

CITY OF JERSEY CITY
NOTICE OF SALE
OF
$2,060,000 SCHOOL BONDS

Sealed proposals will be received by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance of the City of Jersey City, New Jersey, on April 5, 1921, at 12 p. m., at the Assembly Chamber of the City Hall in said city for the purchase of school bonds of said city of the authorized amount of $2,060,000. Said bonds will be of the denomination of $1,000 each, will be dated April 1, 1921, and $51,000 of said bonds will mature on April 1 in each year of the years 1922 to 1941, inclusive, and $52 on April 1 in each year of the years 1942 to 1961, inclusive.

Said bonds will bear interest at five and one-half per cent. per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of April and October in each year.

Both principal and interest will be payable in lawful money of the United States of America at the office of the City Treasurer of said city.

The bonds will be coupon bonds, with the privilege of registration as to principal only or as to both principal and interest.

No more bonds of said issue will be sold than will produce a sum equal to the authorized amount of said issue and an additional sum of less than $1,000. The sum required to be obtained at the sale of said bonds is $2,060,000. Unless all bids are rejected said bids will be sold to the bidder or bidders complying with the terms of sale and offering to pay not less than said sum and to take therefor the least amount of bonds commencing with the first maturity (stated in a multiple of $1,000); and if two or more bidders offer to take the same amount of said bonds, then to the bidder or bidders offering to pay therefor the highest additional price. The right is reserved to reject all bids, and any bids not complying with the terms of this notice will be rejected. In addition to the amount paid, the purchaser must pay accrued interest at the rate borne by the bonds from the date of the bonds to the date of payment of the purchase price.

All bidders are required to deposit a certified check payable to the order of the City of Jersey City for two per centum, of the amount of bonds bid for, drawn upon an incorporated bank or trust company. Checks of unsuccessful bidders will be returned upon the award of the bonds. No interest will be allowed upon the amount of the check of a successful bidder and such check will be retained to be applied in part payment for the bonds or to secure the city against any loss resulting from the failure of the bidder to comply with the terms of his bid.

Proposals should be addressed to

Hon. James F. Gannon, Jr., Commissioner, City Hall, Jersey City, New Jersey, and enclosed in a sealed envelope marked on the outside "Proposal for School Bonds."

The successful bidders will be furnished with the opinion of Messrs. Hawkins, Delafield & Longfellow of New York City, that the bonds are binding and legal obligations of the city.

The bonds will be prepared under the supervision of the United States Mortgage & Trust Company, which will certify as to the genuineness of the signatures of the officials and the seal impressed thereon.

By order of the Board of Commissioners.

JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
Commissioner of the Department of Revenue and Finance.
Dated March 22, 1921.

4. In case the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance shall agree with the successful bidder for the issuance of interim certificates pending the preparation of the definitive bonds, such interim receipts may be in substantially the following form:

No. FOR $1,000 BOND

JERSEY CITY, NEW JERSEY, INTERIM CERTIFICATE FOR SCHOOL BOND

The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, a municipal corporation of the State of New Jersey, acknowledges the receipt of payment in full for $1,000 school bond of said city to be dated April 1, 1921, to mature on .... and to bear interest at the rate of five and one-half (5½) per centum per annum, authorized to be issued by an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing the issue of $2,060,000 school bonds of the city of Jersey City and providing for their payment," duly adopted March 22, 1921, and published as required by law.

The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City have issued this certificate pending the preparation of said bond and will deliver said bond, with all coupons attached, when prepared and executed to the bearer hereof, upon surrender of this certificate at the office of United States Mortgage & Trust Company, 55 Cedar Street, New York City.

In Witness Whereof, the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City have caused this interim certificate to be executed by its Deputy Treasurer this first day of April, 1921.

THE MAYOR AND ALDERMEN OF JERSEY CITY.

By ....
Deputy Treasurer.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing the issue of $2,060,000 school bonds of the city of Jersey City and providing for their payment.

RECITALS

Pursuant to due action by the Board of Education and the Board of School Estimate, appropriations have been made for certain school purposes and promissory notes have been issued to provide funds to meet such appropriations in part. Such purposes, the appropriations therefor, and the notes issued to meet such appropriations as follows:

Purposes.	Appropriations.	Notes.
Fireproof school building, to be known as School No. 6........	$943,000	$600,000
Fireproof school building, to be known as School No. 23........	998,000	610,000
Purchase of additional land for Greenville High School..........	32,300	32,300
Purchase of additional land for School No. 4.	36,900	36,900
Purchase of additional furniture for new Lincoln High School......	50,000	None
Totals	$2,060,200	$1,279,200

It is advisable to issue bonds to fund said notes and to meet the appropriations for which notes have not been issued, in pursuance of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled "An act to establish a thorough and efficient system of free public schools, and to provide for the maintenance, support and management thereof," approved October 19, 1903, as amended.

The average of the different periods assigned by said statute for the maturity of bonds issued for said purposes, taking into consideration the amount of bonds to be issued as herein provided for said several purposes, is forty years.

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. School bonds of the city shall be issued in the aggregate principal amount of $2,060,000, shall be dated April 1, 1921, and $51,000 thereof shall mature on April 1 in each of the years 1922 to 1941, inclusive, and $52,000 thereof shall mature on April 1 in each of the years 1942 to 1961, inclusive, shall bear interest at the rate of five and one-half per centum (5½%) per annum, payable semi-annually on the first days of April and October in each year, and shall be of the denomination of $1,000 each.

Sec. 2. Said bonds shall be in such form as may be provided by resolution.

Sec. 3. Said bonds shall be sold at public sale as provided by law, or if no bids are received at public sale, then at private sale.

Sec. 4. In each year after the issuance of said bonds, the city shall in its annual tax levy raise money sufficient to pay the interest and principal of such bonds as may mature during such year.

Sec. 5. The proceeds of sale of such bonds shall be applied to the payment of the principal of the outstanding notes heretofore issued as herein recited, the balance deposited with the custodian of school moneys and shall be paid out only on the warrants or orders of the Board of Education.

Sec. 6. This Board does hereby concur in and consent to the appropriations referred to in the preambles hereof, and to the issuance of the bonds herein authorized.

Sec. 7. Pending the preparation of the definitive bonds herein authorized, the proper officials of the city are hereby authorized in their discretion to accept payment therefor and to issue negotiable receipts entitling the bearer to exchange such receipts for the definitive bonds represented thereby.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

A ordinance appropriating $28,000 for the purchase of street cleaning equipment and authorizing temporary improvement bonds for said purpose and provided for the payment of said bonds.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. The sum of $28,000 is hereby appropriated for the purchase of three motor-driven, five-ton Federal Flushers, with necessary equipment for use in the Bureau of Street Cleaning.

Section 2. For the purpose of meeting said appropriation and of temporarily financing said improvement which is not yet completed, such improvement not being current expenses, $28,000 Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be issued in pursuance of an Act of Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled "An Act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations, and the incurring of indebtedness, by county, city, borough, village, town, township, or any municipality governed by an improvement commission" approved March 22, 1916, constituting Chapter 252 of the Laws of 1916, as amended.

Section 3. Said Bonds shall bear interest at the rate of not exceeding six per cent. per annum, and may from time to time be renewed. No Bonds issued in pursuance of this ordinance shall mature more than six years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out. Said Bonds shall be executed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance under the seal of the City and attested by the City Clerk and shall recite they are issued to temporarily finance the purchase of new equipment for the Bureau of Street Cleaning.

Section 4. Said Bonds shall be sold by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, and shall be in such form, and shall mature in such time or times, subject to the provision hereof as he may determine, and all other matters in respect thereof shall be determined by said Director.

Section 5. Said Bonds shall be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of funding bonds, or if not so paid, a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay said bonds as they mature. In each year after the date of said bonds a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay the interest on said bonds.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon: Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the specifications submitted by the City Clerk to the Board of Commissioners this day, for furnishing and delivering four hundred election booths for use at the elections in Jersey City, approved by the Corporation Counsel, be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed, and the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and requested to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Ernest A. Kieswetter to erect a temporary building 16 feet wide by 28 feet in length and about 12 feet high on property owned by the Erie Railroad Company, situated in block 530½, Washburn Street, which company has consented to such building, said building to be used as an ice distributing station for the benefit of the people of Jersey City;

Further Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, John T. Rowland, Jr., Architect, and Dr. John Nevin, Medical Director, have advised the Director of the Department of Public Affairs of Jersey City, that the bids received by the Board at the meeting held November 9, 1920, for furnishing and delivering beds for use in the Jersey City Hospital are not advantageous to the City, and should be rejected; therefore be it

Resolved, That the bids for furnishing and delivering beds for use in the Jersey City Hospital, which were received by this Board on November 9, 1920, be and the same are hereby rejected.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the specifications prepared by John T. Rowland, Jr., Architect, and approved by Dr. John Nevin, Medical Director, and also approved as to form by the Corporation

Counsel, for furnishing and delivering beds for use in the Jersey City Hospital, be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed, and the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and requested to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the Board adjourned.

Approved:

JOHN BENTLEY
MICHAEL I. FAGEN
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.
A. HARRY MOORE
FRANK HAGUE
Commissioners.

FRANK A. DOLAN
City Clerk.

MEETING OF MARCH 29, 1921

MINUTES of a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, March 29, 1921, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Mayor Hague.

Absent: Commissioner Moore (excused).

RECEPTION OF BIDS

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for furnishing and delivering various supplies to the several departments of the city government, the City Clerk called for bids, with the following result:

Dish Toweling and Pajamas, City Hospital—

1. Jerome O'Keefe, toweling, 17½c per yard; pajamas, $16.35 per dozen, with freeholder surety bond.

2. The Kleinhaus Store, toweling, 19¾c per yard, pajamas, $14.50 per dozen, with freeholder surety bond.

3. L. S. Plaut & Co., Newark, N. J., $.171 per yard for toweling; pajamas, $16.44 per dozen, with surety company bond.

4. Furst Contract Dept., toweling, 17½c per yard; pajamas, $12.50 per dozen, with sample of toweling and freeholder surety bond.

Coupe, Department of Public Safety—

1. Morris Motor Car Co., $4,550, with surety company bond.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen, the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received opened and read and referred to the Director of the Department from which the specifications emanated, for investigation and recommendation.

IMPROVEMENT HEARINGS

This time and place having been advertised for the purpose of considering the undertaking of the following improvement:

The improvement of all that part of Bryant Avenue between Sip Avenue and its southerly terminus by the construction of a sewer and improvement with asphalt on concrete base,

in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917, and also for the purpose of determining upon the adoption or rejection of an ordinance covering said improvement, the City Clerk read the public notice of hearing and then called for anyone who might desire to be heard in opposition to the undertaking of the improvement.

A written communication signed by the property owners on Bryant Avenue who signed the original petition for the construction of the sewer and the street improvement was submitted to the Board of Commissioners, in which the said property owners state that upon learning of the exorbitant cost of the improvement they have decided to have only the sewer installed at this time and hold the street improvement in abeyance until present high costs are reduced. They request that the reference to the improvement of the street be stricken from the petition submitted by them on March 11, and that the installation of the sewerage system be started as early as possible, in order that the residents of the street may not suffer from lack of sanitary conditions during the hot season.

Several property owners on Bryant Avenue also appeared before the Board and requested that the sewerage system be installed and the street improvement abandoned for the present time.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the hearing was adjourned for one week and the whole matter referred back to him for further recommendation to the Board.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the passage of an ordinance for the undertaking of the improvement of Bryant Avenue between Sip Avenue and its southerly terminus by the construction of a sewer and improvement with asphalt on concrete base, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to April 5, 1921, at 2 p. m., in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

CITY ORDINANCES.

This time and place having been advertised for the purpose of considering the final passage of the following ordinance:

"An ordinance to provide for the making of private connections with sewer, gas or water mains or conduits for wires in Bryant Avenue, between Sip Avenue and its southerly terminus in the City of Jersey City, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152, of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof."

The City Clerk read the ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to be heard in opposition to the passage of said ordinance.

Commissioner Fagen moved that this ordinance be laid over for one week, in accordance with his recommendation in the matter of the ordinance for the improvement of Bryant Avenue.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the final passage of an ordinance providing for the making of private connections with sewer, gas or water mains or conduits for wires in Bryant Avenue between Sip Avenue and its southerly terminus, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to April 5, 1921, at 2 P. M. in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications:

A. D'Elia, alter cellar and build garage, 258 Dwight Street.

D. Scalcione, alter and erect new store front, 191 Bay Street.

A. Galuchie, erect brick extension, 737 Bergen Avenue.

H. Finkel, build new store front, 117 Gates Avenue.

M. Gordon, convert dwelling into store, 580 Jackson Avenue.

All as shown on plans attached to each of the applications. The City Clerk read each public notice of hearing and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of any of the above described applications. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against any of the above described applications.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the application of A. D'Elia for permission to alter cellar and erect garage therein in two-story, two-family frame dwelling, No. 258 Dwight Street, be and the same is hereby referred to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements for investigation.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Dominick Scalcione to remove part of frame front wall, erect new store front with galvanized iron cornice, erect new brick piers, put new concrete floor in cellar and erect new cement stairs as shown on blue print attached to application, in three-story, three-family frame dwelling, No. 191 Bay Street;

Further Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the application of Albert Galuchie, for permission to erect one-story brick extension, 20 feet by 30 feet by 11 feet high to the rear of three-story, two-family frame dwelling and store, No. 737 Bergen Avenue, be and the same is hereby referred to the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance for investigation.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Harry Finkel to remove present front porch, take out part of front wall of first floor, build in new store front and new brick extension in front of two-story frame building as shown on plans attached to application, at No. 117 Gates Avenue;

Further Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the application of M. Gordon for permission to lower first floor beams, remove partitions and front wall, build new store front, making store out of three-story frame, two-family dwelling, No. 580 Jackson avenue, be and the same is hereby referred to the Mayor and Superintendent of Buildings with power.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

From N. Feinberg, requesting permission to change only the show windows at Nos. 198-200 Newark Avenue.

Received.

From Stephen T. and Mary V. Frank, requesting permission to construct two-car garage in cellar of No. 63 Wade Street.

Received.

From A. F. Muller, requesting permission to build garage under house and build new stoop, No. 57 Lexington Avenue.

Received.

From Alena Gelato, requesting permission to alter basement and build garage in basement of No. 279 Neptune Avenue.

Received.

From L. A. Rochat, requesting permission to erect metal sign at No. 325 Barrow Street.

Received.

From Chas. A. Schuler, requesting permission to erect electric sign at No. 338 Central Avenue.

Received.

From property owners on Crawford Street, protesting against the granting of a permit for the erection of garages on the southerly end of Crawford Street by the owner of said property.

Received and the City Clerk directed to instruct the Superintendent of Buildings not to issue permit for said garages until the matter is taken up with the Board.

From residents in the two blocks bounded on the north by Vroom Street, on the west by Tuers Avenue, on the south by Mercer Street and on the east by Summit Avenue, protesting against the proposed establishment of an ice distributing station at Nos. 75-77 Jordan Avenue.

Received and the City Clerk directed to instruct the Superintendent of Buildings not to issue permit for said ice station until the matter is taken up with the Board.

From bootblacks of Jersey City, submitting petition signed by a large number of Jersey City bootblacks requesting the Board to enact an ordinance closing all bootblack establishments at the hour of four in the afternoon on all legal holidays.

Received and referred to the Corporation Counsel for legal opinion.

AUDITING CLAIMS

By Commissioner Bentley:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following-named parties, for the following amounts and purposes as hereinafter set forth:

$13.50, Interstate Chemical Company.

$92.60, Whipple Hardware Company.

$3.60, F. B. Brill.

$70.46, Harry Jasper.

$138.04, Chas. H. Engler Lumber Company.

$19.65, Barnes Foundry Company, sign holders.

$39.69, F. B. Brill, lanterns.

$50.00, J. M. Cunneen, tel. drops.

$31.36, A. Datz Company, printing.

$8.40, Evening Journal Association, advertisement.

$29.45, Expert Auto Tire Repair Company, repairs.

$47.52, Jos. Flannery, lamps.

$23.50, Great Bear Spring Company, water.

$16.68, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$39.00, J. T. Ryerson & Son, steel.

$20.00, T. J. Murphy, tire (adj.).

$636.70, R. H. Perry Company, coal.

$3.00, Standard Oil Company, hoof oil.

$68.50, J. A. Vill & Son, shoe.

$16.18, J. A. Vill & Son, supplies.

$51.40, W. & L. E. Gurley, graduates.

$24.40, J. A. Vill & Son, shoe-tubes.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$203.92, American Gas Accumulator Company, equipment.

$5.50, Jos. Calcaretto, horseshoeing.

$6.50, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$480.00, Interlocking Casting Company, sewer castings.

$75.00, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$288.61, Emil Landeck, printing.

$40.30, Thos. J. Miskell, horseshoeing.

$40.00, Union Printing Company, supplies.

$7.50, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

$14.96, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$4.92, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$14.08, Hudson Observer, advertising.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$10.85, Union Towel Supply Company, towel services.

$100.00, Devereaux & Reddan, legislative reports.

$13.08, Evening Journal Association, bond issue.

$24.00, Evening Journal Association, hearing theatre building.

$13.20, Evening Journal Association, bond issue.

$3.25, Union Towel Supply Company, services of towels.

$11.46, New York Telephone Company, phone service.

$275.00, A. J. Doan & Son, printing.

$11.00, Underwood Typewriter Company, rental of machine and ribbon.

$4.70, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$37.30, Keuffel & Esser, supplies.

$41.70, Wire Wheel Corporation of America, repairs.

$177.00, Geo. P. Kelley, transcript.

$69.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$22.50, Garfunkel Brothers, supplies.

$24.50, A. Daztz Company, supplies.

$5.00, C. F. Hansen, rubber stamps.

$34.75, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$1.50, J. F. Kelly, keys.

$39.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application McClintic.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application Gunsberg.

$2.00, Evening Journal Association, application Star Shoe.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application Goodwin.

$2.00, Evening Journal Association, application Schimmel.

$2.00, Evening Journal Association, application Werban.

$1.80, Hudson Observer, application Werban.

$1.80, Hudson Observer, application Star Shoe.

$1.80, Hudson Observer, application Schimmel.

$3.96, Hudson Observer, application Gunsberg.

$3.52, Hudson Observer, application Goodwin.

$3.96, Hudson Observer, application McClintic.

$1.80, Hudson Observer, application Eckel Bros.

$1.80, Hudson Observer, application Beck Shoe.

$3.74, Hudson Observer, application Thomson.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application Smith.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application Littlefield.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application Zachai.

$19.02, Edward & Smith, Refund Dep. Philip St. Bridge.

$3.52, Hudson Observer, application Littlefield.

$3.74, Hudson Observer, application Zachai.

$3.30, Hudson Observer, application Smith.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application Galuchie.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application D'Elia.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application Scalione.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application Gordan.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application Kinkel.

$10.32, Evening Journal Association, Ord. Relf. Schlossberg.

$7.65, Evening Journal Association, Ord. Relf. J. Hillman.

$13.68, Evening Journal Association, Ord. Nat. Central Theatre.

$6.60, Evening Journal Association, Ord. Nat. Maria C. Gross.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the City Treasurer in payment of the following claims:

$10.60, W. A. Barclay, plumber repairs.

$19.00, John J. Corcoran, plumber repairs.

$40.00, John J. Corcoran, plumber repairs.

$60.00, W. A. Barclay, roof repairs.

$9.60, Jersey City Supply Co., repair material.

$31.30, S. J. Crawford Co., repair material.

$3.30, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.

$200.00, James E. Pope, rent.

$29.40, John P. Landrine, shovels.

$54.38, Jersey City Lumber Co., lumber.

$37.63, Jersey City Lumber Co., lumber.

$16.80, A. J. Haesloop, mails.

$17.40, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.

$57.00, F. B. Brill, painting material.

$18.75, New Jersey Paint Works, paint.

$27.50, Standard Oil Co., oil.

$57.60, George C. Lavery & Co., lumber.

$102.41, Thomas L. Higgins, paint.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following named claimants for the amounts and purposes indicated:

$3.50, The Abbott Laboratories, drugs.

$264.75, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$390.64, Charles H. Nolte, butter.

$80.85, Archbald & Gallagher, groceries.

$65.62, William Bill, groceries.

$62.68, W. H. Walthery, pork.

$410, Loori Bros., drugs.

$45.30, Otto Wilkens, chemicals.

$1.85, A Hunt, oil chain.

$8.00, Tom Murray's Shoe Shop, hip boots.

$89.63, John P. Landrine, hardware.

$120.14, American Auto Tire Rep. Co., repairing tires.

$71.25, McCloskey Drug Co., drugs.

$16.04, American Auto Tire Rep. Co., repairing tires.

$345.00, The Beckman Co., blankets.

$78.35, Expert Auto Tire Rep. Co., repairing tires.

$13.25, Earnest A. Gibbons Co., grease cups.

$58.60, Joseph T. Sack, housefurnishings.

$66.52, Archbald & Gallagher, groceries.

$418.57, Edward M. Dixon, fish and oysters.

$10.94, Keegan's Garage, auto supplies.

$2.70, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

$71.05, Union Printing Co., printing.

$130.35, Joseph T. Sack, supplies.

$24.35, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$10.25, Alex. Hamill Iron Works, repairs.

$4.66, Kieley & Mueller, Inc., diaphragms.

$8.33, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$8.00, Expert Auto Radiator Co., repairing auto.

$15.00, Starter & Battery Service Co., recharging battery.

$162.08, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$266.46, D. Eisenberg, fruits and vegetables

$15.80, Hardenbergh Mfg. Co., vanobene.

$369.80, Maressi-Mazetti Corp., supplies.

$2,362.22, R. H. Perry Co., coal.

$21.32, Evening Journal Assn., advertising.

$20.28, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$14.35, Keegan's Garage, auto supplies.

$111.66, S. W. Kagan Co., meat.

$303.00, W. R. Holmes, coffee and tea.

$30.00, Standard Oil Co., Polarine.

$103.96, Jack McConvill, pork loins.

$214.32, Swift & Co. chicken.

$85.89, S. W. Kagan Co., lamb and tripe.

$94.08, Union Printing Co., printing.

$16.75, Albert Datz Co., printing.

$1.88, Underwood T. W. Co., repairing typewriter.

$20.00, Thomas A. Heenahan, removing dead animals.

$32.15, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$10.00, Great Bear Spring Water Co., water.

$235.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$12.00; Lederle Antitoxin Lab., vaccine.

$33.00, Edmunt P. Cotter, removing dead animals.

$205.20, Lederle Antitoxin Labs., serum.

$9.60, Initial Apron & Towel Supply Company, service.

$21.80, E. J. Biggane, office furniture.

$194.86, Loori Bros., antitoxin.

$35.24, Jerome O'Keefe, dry goods.

$14.64, Loori Bros, colic nipples.

$61.15, Jerome O'Keefe, dry goods.

$17.50, Albert Datz, printing.

$47.02, Public Service Gas Company, service.

$51.00, Bramhall Deane Company, bottle racks.

$26.00, Loori Bros., drugs.

$17.64, Thomas L. Higgins, steel wool.

$28.71, Otto Wilkens, surgical supplies.

$52.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$450.00, Mrs. A. McDonough, groceries.

$81.85, General Baking Company, bread.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagan,
Gannon and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

PAY ROLLS.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached payrolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being for services rendered during the periods specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, The names of Louis G. Bastian, Frank A. Halligan, William P. Lawless and James T. Grady have been certified by the State Civil Service Commission as being eligible for appointment to the positions of Assistant Superintendents of Weights and Measures; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said Louis C. Bastian, Frank A. Halligan, William P. Lawless and James T. Grady be and they are hereby appointed Assistant Superintendents of Weights and Measures at a salary of $1,800 per annum, these appointments to be effective from April 1, 1921.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering fifteen (15) tons each water gate boxes and covers and seven (7) manhole frames and covers, be and is hereby awarded to Fagan Iron Works, at the price named in their proposal, namely $2,874.00, there being no lower bidder and the Corporation Attorney be and is hereby directed to prepare and have executed necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications for repairs to asphalt pavements which are not under guarantee to December 31, 1921, prepared by the Chief Engineer and approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, be and are hereby adopted, and ordered filed, and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer, and approved by the Corporation Counsel, as to form, for regulating and repaving with sheet asphalt on present stone foundation the roadway of Whiton Street between Johnston Avenue and the terminus of the present stone pavement, south of Communipaw Avenue and Pine Street between Johnston Avenue and the Newark and New York (excepting such portion as lies between the tracks and portion now paved with asphalt and asphalt block pavement), be and are hereby adopted, and ordered filed, and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer and approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form, for the repaving with sheet asphalt on present stone block foundation the roadway of Academy Street between Summit Avenue and Bergen Square, be and are hereby adopted and ordered filed and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications prepared by the

Chief Engineer and approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form for regulating and repaving with sheet asphalt on present stone block foundation the roadway of West Side Avenue between Communipaw Avenue and the Northerly line of Montgomery Street (excluding such portion as lies between the tracks); also the portion of rails for a width of six inches, which shall be paved with wooden blocks; also laying a twenty-inch cast iron water pipe between Communipaw Avenue and the northerly line of Montgomery Street, be and are hereby adopted and ordered filed, and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer and approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form for the regulating and repaving with sheet asphalt on concrete foundation of the roadway of Stegman Street between Bergen Avenue and Hudson Boulevard be and are hereby adopted and ordered filed and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance contract for furnishing and delivering three (3) adding and subtracting typewriter tax billing machines for use in the City Collector's Office, Department of Revenue and Finance of Jersey City, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Remington Typewriter Company at the price named in their bid, namely, $760.00 each, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and requested to have prepared and executed the necessary contracts therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, In anticipation of the receipt of taxes to be levied or of taxes levied and not delinquent, this municipality may borrow and have obligations outstanding to provide such moneys as may be necessary to meet its lawful expenditures under the appropriations for the year for which such taxes are levied or are to be levied, to wit, the fiscal year 1921; therefore, be it

Resolved, That in pursuance of Chapter 192, P. L. 1917, approved March 28, 1917, as amended, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do and they hereby authorize and direct that Tax Anticipation Notes of the City of Jersey City be issued to the amount of $180,000.00, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum, payable July 1, 1921, and at maturity; said notes to be dated April 1, 1921, to become due and payable December 31, 1921, or sooner if called by the city, and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Commissioner Moore:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance fixing the standard of time throughout Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the following resolution:

"Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Ernest A. Kiesewetter to erect a temporary building 16 feet wide by 28 feet in length and about 12 feet high on property owned by the Erie Railroad Company situated in block 530½, Washburn Street, which company has consented to such building, said building to be used as an ice distributing station for the benefit of the people of Jersey City;

"Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work,"
adopted by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City at the meeting held March 22, 1921, be and the same is hereby rescinded.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Buildings of Jersey City, the application of Ernest A. Kiesewetter for permission to erect an ice distributing station on property of the Erie Railroad Company situated in block 530½, Washburn Street, be and the same is hereby denied, for the reason that the erection of such temporary structure would increase the fire hazard within the fire limits of the City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, There is a demand for travelling facilities in the Hudson City Section of the City, as voiced by the Hudson City Board of Trade of Jersey City, and other civic bodies, as well as by the citizens and business men of that section; and

Whereas, The desire is to have a jitney line established by way of Central Avenue to the Tube Station at Journal Square; therefore be it

Resolved, That a jitney line be and it is hereby established on the following route to Hudson City, namely: West Newark Avenue to Hoboken Avenue, to Central Avenue to North Street and return; and also along Pavonia Avenue from Hudson County Boulevard to Summit Avenue to Hoboken Avenue to Central Avenue to North Street and return.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

Mr. Wilson of the Hudson City Board of Trade appeared before the Board and stated that his organization was heartily in favor of the project. He also advised the Board that the lighting conditions were poor in the vicinity of Central Avenue and Congress Street, which would make it very dangerous for the jitneys.

Commissioner Fagen assured Mr. Wilson that the matter would be taken care of by the introduction of a resolution at the meeting of the Board of Commissioners next week, authorizing the improvement of the lighting conditions.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the Board adjourned.

JOHN BENTLEY,
MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, Jr.,
FRANK HAGUE,

Commissioners.

Approved:
FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

Minutes of Meetings

of

Board of Commissioners

April, 1921

MEETING OF APRIL 5, 1921

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, April 5, 1921, at 2 P. M.

Present: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Absent: Commissioner Gannon (excused).

RECEPTION OF BIDS.

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for furnishing and delivering beds to the City Hospital, the City Clerk called for bids with the following result:

1. J. W. Greene, Inc., by item.
2. Payton & Hoos, by item, with surety company bond.
3. Frank A. Hall & Sons, by item, with surety company bond.
4. Furst Contract Dept., by item, with certified check, $257.

On Motion of Commissioner Fagen, the reception of bids were ordered closed, the bids received, opened and read, and referred to the Mayor and John T. Rowland, Architect, for investigation and recommendation.

IMPROVEMENT HEARINGS

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing for the purpose of receiving objections to the confirmation of the final assessment maps for the following improvement, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917:

Improvement of Chapel Avenue, between Ocean Avenue and Rutgers Avenue.

Improvement of Cliff Street between Hudson Boulevard and Liberty Avenue.

The City Clerk read the public notice of hearing and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the confirmation of the above described assessment maps.

Improvement of Chapel Avenue.

Mrs. Diehl of No. 323 Old Bergen Road, Commrs. No. 10, appeared and stated that the sidewalk in front of her property needed repairing and also that a quantity of dirt had been thrown into one lot after the street was repaired.

Commissioner Fagen advised Mrs. Diehl that she would have to take the matter of the dirt in the lot up with

Mr. Crichfield, who did the repaving. He also advised her that the sidewalk would be attended to; further that the assessment could be paid in five installments over a period of five years.

Improvement of Cliff Street.

Mr. Ditmar, Commrs. No. 8, appeared and stated that recently he had a nine-foot driveway laid and paid the assessment, and that in his opinion he thought he should be allowed a reduction on the assessment for the street improvement.

Mr. Broer, Commrs. No. 13, appeared and stated that he thought the assessment a little high and requested an adjustment in the amount of his assessment.

A written protest was received from Michael J. Costello, in which he stated that he was the owner of Lot 11, Block 951, and that he strongly protested against the exorbitant price assessed, owing to the fact that old blocks were used. He also protested against the different amounts assessed on full lots, stating that it was unfair to favor one property owner above another.

Commissioner Fagen answered the protests by stating that there was no charge made for the old blocks and that only the cost of laying the blocks was included in the assessment; that if the new blocks were used the assessment would be much higher; that the improvement was made during abnormal times, in the war period when labor and material were high.

In conclusion Commissioner Fagen moved that the hearing be continued for two weeks, during which time he will take the matter up with the Chief Engineer and go over the assessment item by item and that he will notify the property owners when the matter will come before the Board again.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing for objections to the confirmation of the final asesssment maps for the following improvements:

Improvement of Chapel Avenue, between Ocean Avenue and Rutgers Avenue.

Improvement of Cliff Street, between Hudson Boulevard and Liberty Avenue,

in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917, and the various amendments thereto and supplements thereof, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to Tuesday, April 19, 1921, at 2 P. M., in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

This time and place having been advertised as required by law for the purpose of considering the undertaking of the following improvement:

The improvement of all that part of Clarke Avenue between Mallory Avenue and Water Street by improving with asphalt pavement on concrete base, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917, and the various amendments thereto and supplements thereof, and also for the purpose of considering an ordinance covering said improvement and determining upon its adoption or rejection, the City Clerk read the public notice of hearing and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the undertaking of said improvement. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the undertaking of said improvement.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the ordinance was referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

FRANCHISE HEARINGS

The hearing on the following described applications for franchise privileges:

Armour & Co., spur track, Eighteenth Street,

Armour & Co., spur track, Monmouth Street and Sixteenth Street,

—having been adjourned and continued to this time and place, and the City Clerk having caused to be advertised the fact that the Board of Commissioners would consider the final passage of ordinances covering said applications, at this time and place, the City Clerk read each ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of said ordinances.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the passage of the above described ordinances.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the ordinances were referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

CITY ORDINANCES

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the final passage of an ordinance regulating traffic on Grove Street be and same is hereby adjourned and continued to Tuesday, April 19, 1921, at 2 P. M. in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

This time and placing having been advertised for the purpose of considering the final passage of the following described ordinances:

An ordinance to provide for the making of private connections with sewer, gas or water mains or conduits in Clarke Avenue between Mallory Avenue and Water Street.

An ordinance appropriating $3,500 for the purchase of new fire hose for the Fire Department and authorizing temporary improvement bonds for said purpose and providing for the payment of said bonds.

An ordinance appropriating $4,000 for the improvement of the water supply system and authorizing temporary improvement bonds for said purpose, and providing for the payment of said bonds.

The City Clerk read each ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances.

On motion of Commissioner Moore the ordinances appropriating $3,500 for new fire hose and $4,000 for improving the water supply system were referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the final passage of an ordinance providing for the making of private connections with sewer, gas or water mains or conduits for wires in Clarke Avenue between Mallory Avenue and Water Street be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to Tuesday, April 12, 1921, at 2 P. M., in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

ALTERATION HEARINGS

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications:

L. A. Rochat, erect metal sign to project 7 feet from building line, No. 325 Barrow Street;

C. A. Schuler, erect electric sign to project 8 feet from building line, No. 338 Central Avenue;

A. F. Muller, build garage under house and build new stoop, No. 57 Lexington Avenue;

S. T. & M. V. Frank, construct two-car garage in cellar, No. 63 Wade Street;

A. Gelato, alter basement and build garage therein, No. 279 Neptune Avenue;

N. Feinberg, alter show windows only, No. 198-200 Newark Avenue;

the City Clerk read each public notice of hearing and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of any of the above described applications.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against any of the above described applications.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and

the same is hereby granted to L. A. Rochat to erect a metal sign to project 7 feet from building line at No. 325 Barrow Street, as shown on blue print attached to application;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Chas. A. Schuler to erect electric sign to project 8 feet from building line at No. 338 Central Avenue, as shown on blueprint attached to application;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the application of A. F. Muller for permission to build garage under house and also build new stoop in frame building at No. 57 Lexington Avenue be and the same is hereby referred to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements for investigation and recommendation.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the application of Stephen T. and Mary V. Frank for permission to construct a two-car garage in cellar of brick building at No. 63 Wade Street, be and the same is hereby referred to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements for investigation and recommendation.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the application of Alena Gelato for permission to alter basement and build private garage in frame dwelling, No. 279 Neptune Avenue, be and the same is hereby referred to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements for investigation and recommedation.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the hearing on the application of N. Feinberg to change show windows in frame store and dwelling, No. 198-200 Newark Avenue, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to April 12, 1921, at 2 p. m., in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City;

Further resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and directed to notify the Jersey City Business Mens' Association of the action of the Board in the matter.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

From R. Romaner, requesting permission to erect brick extension in rear of No. 300 Henderson Street.

Received.

From Samuel M. Wilson, requesting permission to build garage in cellar of No. 2 Wegman Court.

Received.

From L. DiBarba, requesting permission to rebuild old store front at No. 146 Montgomery Street.

Received.

From the following applicants, requesting permission to erect electric signs at the following places:

Premier Hat Stores, 98 Montgomery Street;
Kleinhaus Store, 100 Newark Avenue;

McCloskey Drug Company, 351 Montgomery Street;

Manhattan Tailors Company, 787 Ocean Avenue.

Received.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS

From General Purchasing Agent, recommending the following awards of contracts after investigation of proposals which were referred to him by the Board of Commissioners:

1,000 yards Dish Toweling, $0.171 per yard, to L. S. Plaut & Company;

1,000 Men's Pajamas, $12.50 per dozen, to Furst Contract Department.

Received and recommendations adopted.

AUDITING CLAIMS

By Commissioner Bentley:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named parties for the following amounts and purposes as hereinafter set forth:

$21.35, Jersey City Supply Company.

$82.01, Joseph H. Browne.

$86.35, F. B. Brill.

$1.40, Commercial Acetylene Company.

$8.28, The Journal Association.

$13.50, Interstate Chemical Company.

$21.15, Garfunkel Brothers.

$331.75, American-La France Fire Engine Company.

$4.50, S. F. Hayward & Co.

$93.50, S. F. Hayward & Co.

$10.75, S. F. Hayward & Co

$1.50, The Linde Air Products Company.

$5 53, American Motor Specialties Company.

$106.00, Wedlake-Lamson Company.

$48.00, Wedlake-Lamson Company.

$13.50, Woodhouse Manufacturing Company.

$23.10, Boyle-Lowus Motor Company.

$17.00, John A. Vill & Son.

$147.25, John C. Wolf.

$6.00, Manufacturers Oxygen Company.

$70.00, Fleischman Brothers.

$9.80, Economy Auto Supply Company.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$390.00, American Gas Accumulator Company, signs.

$671.32, Carscallen & Cassidy, food.

$1.90, The Fairbanks Company, supplies.

$5.65, Charles F. Hansen, supplies.

$36.00, William R. Harrison, photos.

$98.00, William R. Harrison, photos.

$117.60, Hastings Pavement Company, paving blocks.

$4.25, Union Printing Company, supplies.

$32.30, Voorhees Rubber Company, valves.

$9.40, Kenneth Apolant, repairs.

$53.05, Kenneth Apolant, repairs.

$200.00, Kenneth Apolant, repairs.

$129.35, Auto Economic Company, repairs, supplies.

$31.05, Auto Economic Company, supplies.

$4.40, Air Reduction Sales Company, supplies.

$217.48, Brooklyn Alloys Co, lead.

$119.01, Belle Meade Auto Sales Company, supplies.

$200.70, Belle Meade Auto Sales Company, supplies.

$68.40, Beacon Auto Supply, supplies.

$19.00, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$67.45, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$12.00, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$12.79, Builders Iron Foundry, charts.

$15.30, Boonton Auto Garage, supplies.

$10.29, Boonton Auto Garage, supplies.

$68.40, Boonton Feed and Supply, supplies.

$121.28, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

$2.00, Blakeslee-Cadillac Company, supplies.

$11.00, L. Clark, repairs.

$29.10, Coleman Auto Electric Company, supplies.

$128.24, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$42.90, P. J. Dinan, supplies.

$9.00, Albert Datz, supplies.

$20.18, Chester DuPuy, feed.

$171.50, E. B. Dawson Company, supplies.

$97.42, E. B. Dawson Company, supplies.

$13.65, W. L. Doremus, blacksmith work.

$7.80, Evening Journal, advertising.

$9,846.00, East Jersey Water Company, emergency supply.

$5.00, Engineering News Record, subscription.

$25.50, Expert Auto Radiator Company, supplies.

$275.12, Expert Auto Tire Repair, repairs.

$490.44, Expert Auto Tire Repair, repairs.

$30.51, Eimer & Amend, supplies.

$1.10, Eimer & Amend, supplies.

$78.91, Eimer & Amend, supplies.

$13.61, Eimer & Amend, supplies.

$74.35, Eimer & Amend, supplies.

$6.85, Eimer & Amend, supplies.

$280.36, Eimer & Amend, supplies.

$30.70, Eimer & Amend, supplies.

$21.32, Evening Journal, advertising.

$8.04, Evening Journal, advertising.

$1,000.00, George W. Fuller, services.

$150.00, George Fowler, services.

$9.00, Fagan Iron Works, supplies.

$40.45, Louis Frey, repairs.

$75.38, General Machine & Iron Wks., supplies.

$29.50, T. A. Gilmartin, labor.

$21.17, Gamon Meter Co., supplies.

$6.50, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$24.30, Charles F. Hansen, supplies.

$15.15, Charles F. Hansen, supplies.

$9.85, Charles F. Hansen supplies.

$11.55, Charles F. Hansen, supplies.

$6.58, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$30.30, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$68.50, Hersey Mfg. Co., supplies.

$8.04, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$7.80, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$102.50, William H. Harrison, photos.

$23.22, Jersey City Supply Co., supplies.

$9.80, Jersey City Supply Co., supplies.

$16.72, Jersey City Supply Co., supplies.

$1.20, Jersey City Supply Co., supplies.

$11.03, Jersey City Supply Co., supplies.

$56.57, Jersey City Lumber, supplies.

$184.73, Jersey City Lumber, supplies.

$950.00, George A. Johnson, services.

$30.50, E. Kelly, horseshoeing.

$21.00, E. Leitz, Inc., supplies.

$147.17, George C. Lavery Co., supplies.

$22.39, Joseph Lechner, refund water.

$32.02, George C. Lavery Co., supplies.

$101.10, Elvir Merten, supplies.

$3.45, Morris Motor Car Co., supplies.

$4.68, Montgomery Garage Co., supplies.

$38.00, John Nugent, refund water.

$25.87, Neptune Meter Co., repairing.

$9.53, Neptune Meter Co., supplies.

$17.46, Neptune Meter Co., supplies.

$135.94, New York Telephone Co., service.

$3.00, New York Telephone Co., service.

$7.68, New York Telephone Co., service.

$15.00, Henry O. Osborne, service.

$3.70, P. S. Electric Co., service.

$39.50, P. S. Electric Co., service.

$72.48, P. S. Gas Co., service.

$306.05, Palace Garage, supplies.

$128.75, Paterson Brewing & Malting, refund water.

$275.00, R. H. Perry Co., coal.

$14.56, R. H. Perry Co., coal.

$10.67, John H. Paul, labor.

$10.00, Gilbert L. Peer, painting.

$14.03, Joseph T. Ryerson & Son, supplies.

$275.00, A. P. Smith Mfg. Co., supplies.

$1.38, Herman F. Trautman, newspapers.

$189.88, the Texas Co., supplies.

$283.98, the Texas Co., supplies.

$8.75, the Texas Co., supplies.

$240.00, Union Water Meter Co., supplies.

$37.75, Union Printing Co., supplies.

$4.50, Union Printing Co., book.

$82.50, Union Printing Co., test books.

$22.00, Union Printing Co., index book.

$21.00, Union Printing Co., cards.

$24.00, Patrick Vendetto, ice.

$82.50, John C. Wolf, supplies.

$32.73, Whipple Hardware, supplies.

$29.18, Whipple Hardware, supplies.

$18.13, Whipple Hardware, supplies.

$52.39, Whipple Hardware, supplies.

$24.14, Whipple Hardware, supplies.

$5.00 Williams & Wilkins, subscription.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$30.50, Dispatch Printing Co., letterheads.

$20.00, Baker, Voorhis & Co., municipal corp. volumes.

$100.56, Sarco Co. of N. J., transcript L. V. H. R. appeal.

$72.80, Hudson Observer, hearing I. E. Meller.

$17.70, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$50.40, Bond Buyer, advertising bond sale.

$97.51, Union Printing Co., printing.

$225.00, A. J. Doan & Son, copies of report.

$24.00, Whitehead & Hoag Co., ribbon badges.

$5.22, Louis Frey, color prints.

$13.70, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$243.00, A. J. Doan & Son, bd. engrs.' reports.

$4.00, Peerless Key Co., keys.

$126.55, Union Printing Co., printing.

$14.50, Union Printing Co., ruled sheets.

$3.45, Union Towel Supply Co., towel service.

$21.25, F. F. Daus Dup. Co., supplies.

$7.50, Baker, Voorhis & Co., Elliot contracts.

$4.50, Baker, Voorhis & Co., federal reporter.

$38.00, Union Printing Co., envelopes.

$33.25, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$3,830.00, Boyce, Hughes & Farrell, special investigation.

$340.00, H. S. Swan, prep. case vs. Blakeslee, Inc.

$187.00, Union Printing Co., supplies and printing.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the City Treasurer in payment of the following claims:

$8.00, John Kirkpatrick, horseshoeing

$7.85, W. A. Barclay, plumber repairs.

$4.25, A. J. Haesloop, supplies.

$48.66, R. M. Perry & Co., coal.

$453.17, F. B. Brill, lawn mowers.

$150.00, W. A. Barclay, skylight.

$60.50, Library Bureau, cabinet.

$50.19, W. A. Barclay, plumber repairs.

$36.83, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$28.06, Thomas L. Higgins, screen wire.

$11.25, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$10.00, Thomas L. Higgins, painting material.

$4.65, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$3.00, Thomas L. Higgins, dowel sticks.

$13.50, Union Printing Co., stationery.

$7.50, Frank Sheer, wire glass.

$5.40, Thomas L. Higgins, sponges.

$9.10, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$1.30, Thomas L. Higgins, painting material.

$295.00, Patrick McKenna, painting.

$4.75, H. J. O'Neill, glass.

$3.00, John Kelly, lock repairs.

$1.35, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$16.00, John Kirkpatrick, horseshoeing.

$7.50, Union Printing Co., stationery.

$30.00, Union Printing Co., stationery.

$6.00, George C. Lavery & Co., lumber.

$5.00, Alex. Hamill Iron Works, cover and ring.

$2.77, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$7.20, Baldwin Lumber Co., lumber.

$20.00, R. Hoffman, repairs.

$2.05, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$11.30, Marcy Stove Repair Co., boiler repairs.

$5.50, M. Trachtenberg, glass.

$10.00, Jersey City Ladder Co., repairs to flag pole.

$350.00, Nathan & Co., steel link swings.

$54.00, Nathan & Co., playground material.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PAYROLLS

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached temporary payroll for the amounts set opposite their names, being for services rendered during the periods specified at the Boonton & Dover Plant of the Jersey City Water Works.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS

From Commissioner Gannon, submitting supplemental debt statement:

Received and ordered filed.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, On the 29th day of March, 1921, a hearing was held in the matter of the proposed improvement of all that part of Bryant Avenue between Sip Avenue and its southerly terminus by the construction of a sewer and improvement with asphalt on concrete base; and

Whereas, At said hearing the property owners who had signed the petition upon the basis of which hearing was held petitioned that, due to the exorbitant cost of the improvement, the same be held in abeyance until present high costs are reduced, and requesting that the city proceed with the construction of sewer as called for at this time; therefore, be it

Resolved, That all proceedings taken on the basis of said petition referred to be and are hereby reconsidered and rescinded; and be it further

Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements be and he is hereby requested to prepare and submit as soon as possible an ordinance for the construction of a fifteen-inch vitrified pipe sewer in Bryant Avenue from a point about 356 feet south of Sip Avenue to connect with sewer in Sip Avenue, together with all necessary manholes, receiving basins and appurtenances.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to improve all that part of Bryant Avenue between Sip Avenue and its southerly terminus, in the City of Jersey City, by the construction of a sewer, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to improve all that part of Lafayette Street from a point 100 feet west of Woodward Street to its westerly terminus, a distance of about 110 feet, in the City of Jersey City, by improving with Belgian block pavement on a concrete base, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to improve all that part of Corbin Avenue between Stuyvesant Avenue and Sip Avenue, in the City of Jersey City, by improving with asphalt pavement on a concrete base, in conformity with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to provide for the making of private connections with sewer, gas and water mains or conduits for wires in Corbin Avenue between Stuyvesant Avenue and Sip Avenue, in the City of Jersey City, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

There having been introduced at this meeting by Michael I. Fagen, Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to improve all that part of Corbin Avenue, between Stuyvesant Avenue and Sip Avenue, in the City of Jersey City, by improving with asphalt pavement on a concrete base, in conformity with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof,"

It is hereby resolved, That said ordinance shall lie on the table until the meeting of this Board to be held on May 3, 1921, at the City Hall in Jersey City;

Further resolved, That at said time and place this Board consider the undertaking of the improvement proposed by said ordinance and the said ordinance itself, and that a hearing shall be then and there afforded to all persons whose lands may be affected by, or who may be interested in such proposed improvement, both upon said proposed improvement and said ordinance;

Further resolved, That the City Clerk publish in the Jersey Journal and Hudson Observer, on April 18 and 25, 1921, notice of the intention of this Board to consider such proposed improvement and ordinance. Said notice shall be in the form attached to this resolution.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

There having been introduced at this meeting by Michael I. Fagen, Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to improve all that part of Lafayette Street, from a point 100 feet west of Woodward Street to its westerly terminus, a distance of about 110 feet, in the City of Jersey City, by improving with Belgian Block pavement on a concrete base, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof,"

It is hereby resolved, That said ordinance shall lie on the table until the meeting of this Board to be held on May 3, 1921, at the City Hall in Jersey City;

Further resolved, That at said time and place this Board consider the undertaking of the improvement proposed by said ordinance and the said ordinance itself, and that a hearing shall be then and there afforded to all persons whose lands may be affected by, or who may be interested in such proposed improvement, both upon said proposed improvement and said ordinance;

Further resolved, That the City Clerk publish in the Jersey Journal and Hudson Observer, on April 18 and 25, 1921, notice of the intention of this Board to consider such proposed improvement and ordinance. Said notice shall be in the form attached to this resolution.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

There having been introduced at this meeting by Michael I. Fagen, Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to improve all that part of Bryant Avenue, between Sip Avenue and its southerly terminus, in the City of Jersey City, by the construction of a sewer, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof,"

It is hereby resolved, That said ordinance shall lie on the table until the meeting of this Board, to be held on May 3, 1921, at the City Hall in Jersey City;

Further resolved, That at said time and place this Board consider the undertaking of the improvement proposed by said ordinance and the said ordinance itself, and that a hearing shall be then and there afforded to all persons whose lands may be affected by, or who may be interested in such proposed improvement, both upon said proposed improvement and said ordinance;

Further resolved, That the City Clerk publish in the Jersey Journal and Hudson Observer, on April 18 and 25, 1921, notice of the intention of this Board to consider such proposed improvement and ordinance. Said notice shall be in the form attached to this resolution.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the Public Service Electric Company be and is hereby authorized to place electric arc lights as follows:

Thirteen on Old Bergen Road between Gates and Danforth Avenues;

Sixteen on Ocean Avenue between Gates and Danforth Avenues;

Four on Danforth Avenue between Old Bergen Road and Ocean Avenue;

One on Gates Avenue between Old Bergen Road and Ocean Avenue;

in accordance with the terms of contract and subject to conditions as set forth in resolution passed by the Board of Street and Water Commissioners, April 29, 1912.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the work under Contract No. 2286, for the improvement of Johnston Avenue from Grand Street to Cornelison Avenue with Belgian Block pavement including sand cushion, also the construction of an 18-inch vitrified pipe sewer from a point about 28 feet east of Cornelison Avenue to connect with sewer in Grand Street, by E. J. Flaherty Contracting Company, Inc., Contractors, be and the same is hereby accepted as completed, and the Chief Engineer be and he is hereby directed to file with the Commissioners of Assessments a statement showing the entire cost of said improvement, and that thereupon the said Commissioners of Assessments shall proceed to make a proper assessment on any land or real estate that may have been benefitted or increased in value by such improvement, conformably to the provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, the findings as shown on report of the Water Assessor for month of March, 1921, presented to this Commission at its meeting held this day, be and are hereby confirmed, and the said officer be and is hereby authorized to make such charges on his books:

Additions to reg. water, $299.90.

Cancellation to reg. water, $161.60.

Cancellation to metered water, $638.65.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass on first and second reading:

An Ordinance to improve all that part of Clarke Avenue between Mallory Avenue and Water Street, in the City of Jersey City, by improving with asphalt pavement on a concrete base, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Whereas, It is deemed advisable by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements that Clarke Avenue, between Mallory Avenue and Water Street, should be improved;

Therefore, The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

That all that part of Clarke Avenue between Mallory Avenue and Water Street, in the City of Jersey City, County of Hudson and State of New Jersey, shall be improved as follows:

1. To have the street for the full width thereof graded to the established grade by excavating or filling the same to the established grade.

2. To have new 5x16-inch bluestone curb set in concrete on each side thereof.

3. To have new cement walks five feet (5′) in width laid on each side thereof.

4. To have the carriageway paved thirty feet (30′) in width with asphalt pavement on a six-inch (6″) concrete base, and all other work done that may be necessary to provide for the flow of the surface water, and to complete the improvement in a good and substantial manner; said improvement to be made in conformity with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof, and in accordance with the specifications to be specially prepared.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as being ready for passage on first reading.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed on first reading and ordered laid over for a period of one week, by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An Ordinance granting permission to Armour & Company and the Erie Railroad Company to construct or cause to be constructed a certain spur track or siding to begin in the westerly line of Monmouth Street extended, approximately thirty-five and fifty one-hundredths (35.50) feet easterly of the intersection of the southerly line of Sixteenth Street extended and running thence in a general northeasterly direction and on a curve across Monmouth Street to Sixteenth Street and thence continuing in a general northeasterly direction to the northerly side of Sixteenth Street and thence in an easterly direction to the westerly line of Coles Street.

Whereas, Armour & Company made application to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City by written petition (in which petition the Erie Railroad Company joined) for permission to construct a certain spur track or siding to begin at a point in the westerly line of Monmouth Street extended, approximately thirty-five and fifty one-hundredths (35.50) feet easterly of the intersection of the southerly line of Sixteenth Street extended and running thence in a general northeasterly direction and on a curve across Monmouth Street to Sixteenth Street and thence continuing in a general northeasterly direction to the westerly line of Sixteenth Street and thence in an easterly direction to the westerly side of Coles Street, said petition having annexed thereto and made a part thereof a plan showing the proposed location of said spur track or siding, which plan was designated, "Proposed tracks to serve new Armour & Company building at Monmouth and Sixteenth Streets, Jersey City, N. J., November 26, 1919"; and said Board of Commissioners having duly advertised the same and having held a public hearing for objections thereto, at which hearing no one appeared to make objections to the permission asked for,

Therefore, The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. Permission is hereby granted to Armour & Company and the Erie Railroad Company to construct or cause to be constructed a certain spur track or siding as follows: To begin at a point in the westerly line of Monmouth Street extended, approximately thirty-five and fifty one-hundredths (35.50) feet easterly of the intersection of the southerly line of Sixteenth Street extended and running thence in a general northeasterly direction and on a curve across Monmouth Street and Sixteenth street and thence continuing in a general northeasterly direction to the northerly side of Sixteenth Street and thence in an easterly direction to the westerly line of Coles Street, as shown upon the plan aforesaid annexed to the said petition and presented to and filed with this Board.

Section 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect for a period of twenty (20) years, but no work of construction shall be begun until an acceptance thereof shall have been filed with this Board in the manner required by law.

Section 3. For the privileges herein accorded said beneficiaries shall pay annually to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City the sum of Four Hundred and Fifty Dollars ($450.00), proper proportions of which sum shall be paid semi-annually in advance to the City Comptroller of Jersey City at his office in the City Hall on the first days of May and November next succeeding the time when this ordinance shall become effective.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the following ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An Ordinance granting permission to Armour & Company, the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad Company and the Erie Railroad Company to construct or cause to be constructed a certain spur track or siding along the southerly side of Eighteenth Street from a point one hundred (100) feet from the easterly line of Coles Street extended to the westerly line of Jersey Avenue.

Whereas, Armour & Company made application to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City by written petition (in which petition the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad Company and Erie Railroad Company joined) for permission to extend a certain spur track or siding heretofore authorized by ordinance duly passed June 19, 1917, and which said spur track or siding so authorized by said ordinance was to be laid extending from a point in the westerly line of Coles Street extended, about ten feet from the southerly line of Eighteenth Street extended easterly across Coles Street extended, and thence easterly along the southerly side of Eighteenth Street about one hundred (100) feet, and which extension of said spur track or siding as now desired is to run from the present terminus of said spur track or siding in the southerly side of Eighteenth Street still easterly along the southerly side of Eighteenth Street to the westerly line of Jersey

Avenue, said petition having annexed thereto and made a part thereof a plan showing the proposed location of said extension of said spur track or siding designated as "Block Plan, Armour and Company, Halsted Plant, Jersey City, N. J., S 135-10"; and said Board of Commissioners having duly advertised the same and having held a public hearing for objections thereto, at which hearing no one appeared to make objection to the permission asked for, and the Amalgamated Products Company, owner of the property in front of which said spur track or siding is to run, having given its consent in writing to the granting hereof,

Therefore, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. Permission is hereby granted to Armour & Company, Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Railroad Company and the Erie Railroad Company to construct or cause to be constructed a certain spur track or siding on the southerly side of Eighteenth Street to run from a point approximately one hundred (100) feet easterly of the easterly side of Coles Street extended along the said southerly side of Eighteenth Street to the westerly line of Jersey Avenue, so as to extend from its present terminus to the said westerly line of Jersey Avenue, a certain spur track or siding heretofore authorized under an ordinance adopted June 19, 1917, as shown upon the plan annexed to the said petition presented to and filed with this Board.

Section 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect for a period of twenty (20) years, but no work of construction shall be begun until an acceptance thereof shall have been filed with this Board in the manner re-

Section 3. For the privileges herein accorded, said beneficiaries shall pay annually to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, the sum of two hundred ($200.00) dollars, proper proportions of which sum shall be paid semiannually in advance to the City Comptroller of Jersey City at his office in the City Hall on the first days of May and November next succeeding the time when this ordinance shall become effective.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer and approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form for regulating and repaving with sheet asphalt on present stone block foundation the roadway of Bramhall Avenue, between Bergen Avenue and the wood block pavement west of Ocean Avenue (excluding such portions as lie between the tracks) also portion along rails, which shall be paved for a width of six inches with wooden block pavement, and from said wood block pavement to Arlington Avenue, be and are hereby adopted and ordered filed, and the City Clerk directd to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer and approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel for regulating and repaving with sheet asphalt on concrete foundation the roadway between the brick gutters on Cator Avenue from the Boulevard to Fowler Avenue, be and they are hereby adopted and ordered filed, and the City

Clerk is hereby directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, the specifications filed this day for the repaving of Sixth Street between Monmouth and Brunswick Streets, and Monmouth Street between Sixth and Seventh Streets, and Brunswick Street between Sixth and Seventh Streets, also Coles Street between Eighth and Ninth Streets and Eighth Street between West Hamilton Place and Coles Street and Pavonia Avenue between West Hamilton Place and Coles Street and Ninth Street between West Hamilton Place and Coles street, all with sheet asphalt on present stone foundation, be and the same are hereby adopted and approved, and the City Clerk is hereby directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer and approved by the Corporation Counsel as to form for furnishing and delivering masons' materials, such as Portland cement, Westchester lime, North River hard burned bric, sand, etc., from date of contract to June 30, 1921, be and are hereby adopted and ordered filed, and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the word "seven" in resolution adopted at meeting held March 29, 1921, awarding contract for furnishing and delivering water gate boxes to Fagan Iron Works, be amended to read "sewer."

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by the Board of Commissioners at the meeting held March 22, 1921, authorizing the advertising for the reception of proposals for furnishing and delivering four hundred election booths for use at the elections in Jersey City, be and the same is hereby rescinded.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore for Comissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing $989.08 Emergency Bonds of the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass: An ordinance appropriating $4,000.00 for the improvement of the water supply system and authorizing temporary improvement bonds for said purpose, and providing for the payment of said bonds.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. The sum of $4,000.00 is hereby appropriated for the supply of water in the city; namely, the construction of a twelve-inch cast-iron water main in Sampson street from the west curb line of Garfield avenue to the east line of Princeton avenue.

Sec. 2. For the purpose of meeting said appropriation, and of temporarily financing said improvement which is not yet completed (such improvement not being current expenses), $4,000.00 temporary improvement bonds shall be issued in pursuance to an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations, and the incurring of indebtedness, by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March 22, 1916, constituting Chapter 252, P. L. 1916, as amended.

Sec. 3. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of not exceeding 6 per cent. per annum and may from time to time be renewed. No bonds issued in pursuance of this ordinance shall mature more than six years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out. Said bonds shall be executed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance under the seal of the City, and attested by the City Clerk, and shall recite that they are issued for the purpose of temporarily financing an improvement to the water supply system of Jersey City.

Sec. 4. Said bonds shall be sold by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, and shall be in such form, and shall mature at such time or times, subject to the provisions hereof as he may determine, and all other matters in respect thereof shall be determined by said Director.

Sec. 5. Said bonds shall at maturity be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of funding bonds. The faith and credit of the city of Jersey City is hereby pledged for the punctual payment of the principal and interest of the bonds herein authorized, and unless the said principal and interest is otherwise paid, the same shall be paid out of the proceeds of taxes which shall be levied and collected at such time or times and in such amount as may be necessary for such payment upon all the property in the city subject to taxation, in the same manner as other taxes are levied and collected.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass: "An Ordinance Appropriating $3,500.00 for the purchase of new hose for the Fire Department and authorizing temporary improvement bonds for said purpose and providing for the payment of said bonds.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. The sum of $3,500.00 is hereby appropriated for the purchase of new hose for the Fire Department.

Sec. 2. For the purpose of meeting said appropriation and of temporarily financing said improvement, which is not yet completed, $3,500.00 Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be issued in pursuance of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled "An Act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations and the incurring of indebtedness by county, city borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March 22, 1916, constituting Chapter 252 of the Laws of 1916, as amended.

Sec. 3. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of not exceeding six per cent. per annum, and may from time to time be renewed. No bonds issued in pursuance of this ordinance shall mature more than six years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out. Said bonds shall be executed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance under the seal of the City and attested by the City Clerk and shall recite they are issued to temporarily finance the purchase of new hose for the Fire Department.

Sec. 4. Said bonds shall be sold by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and shall be in such form and shall mature in such time or times subject to the provisions hereof as he may determine, and all other matters in respect thereof shall be determined by said Director.

Sec. 5. Said bonds shall at maturity be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of funding bonds, or if not so paid, a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay said bonds as they mature. In each year after the date of said bonds a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay the interest on said bonds.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley Fagn, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Coommissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The Legislature of the State of New Jersey has recently enacted a law whereby every soldier, sailor and marine who served the country during the late war shall be entitled to a cash bonus for such service; and

Whereas, It is necessary for such ex-service men to make formal application, properly authenticated and in compliance with the law before such bonus can be obtained; and

Whereas, A petition from the chairman of the Mayor's Committee of ex-Service Men for the City of Jersey City has been presented by which it appears that numerous ex-service men have applied to him for aid and assistance in order that they may correctly make application for such bonus; and

Whereas, The said chairman of such committee has requested adequate space in which to accommodate such applicants; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Assembly Chamber of the City Hall of Jersey City be and the same hereby is allotted to the use of the Mayor's Committee of ex-Service Men for two evenings each week, from 7.30 p. m. to 9.30 p. m., said evenings to be determined by the chairman of said committee.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, In anticipation of the receipt of taxes to be levied or of taxes levied and not delinquent, this municipality may borrow and have obligations outstanding to provide such moneys as may be necessary to meet its lawful expenditures under the appropriations for the year for which such taxes are levied or are to be levied, to wit, the fiscal year, 1921; therefore, be it

Resolved, That in pursuance of Chapter 192, P. L. 1917, approved March 28, 1917, as amended, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do and they hereby authorize and direct that Tax Anticipation Notes of the City of Jersey City be issued to the amount of $180,000.00, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum, payable July 1, 1921, and at maturity; said notes to be dated April 7, 1921, to become due and payable December 31, 1921, or sooner if called by the City, and shall be signed by the Mayor and Director of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, The General Purchasing

Agent of Jersey City has this day submitted to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City specifications for the furnishing and delivering of coal to the several municipal buildings of Jersey City;

Whereas, This Board of Commissioners has approved said specifications; therefore, be it

Resolved, That said specifications be and they are hereby approved and ordered filed and the City Clerk authorized and requsted to advertise for proposals in accordance therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Property at Howell Street Dock has been leased to the Willite Road Construction Company; and

Whereas, In connection with the carrying on of their business it is necessary for them to erect temporary wooden buildings; therefore, be it

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to the Willite Road Construction Company to erect a frame office, tool shed, dust shed and storage bin, as per plans filed, all for temporary use.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas property at Howell Street Dock has been leased to the Tar Products Company; and

Whereas, In connection with the carrying on of their business, it is necessary to erect a temporary wooden tool shed; therefore, be it

Resolved, That permission is hereby granted to the Tar Products Company to erect a wooden tool shed, as per plans filed, for temporary use.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, Upon the recommendation of the General Purchasing Agent, contract for furnishing and delivering 1,000 yards dish toweling to the Jersey City Hospital be and the same is hereby awarded to L. S. Plaut & Co., at the price named in their bid, namely, $.171 per yard, that being the lowest bid received; further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, Upon the recommendation of the General Purchasing Agent, contract for furnishing and delivering 1,000 men's pajamas to the Jersey City Hospital be and the same is hereby awarded to Furst Contract Dept., at the price named in their bid, namely, $12.50 per dozen, that being the lowest bid received; further

Resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

From Commissioner Gannon:

"April 5th, 1921.

"Hon. Board of Commissioners,
"Jersey City, N. J.

"Gentlemen:

"I beg to report that at 12 m. today I offered for sale and sold to the National City Company $2,060,000.00 School Bonds of the City of Jersey City, for which the best bid was $2,060,429.75 for $2,028,000.00 in bonds.

"I considered the bid satisfactory under present market conditions and awarded the sale of these bonds to the National City Company, subject to the ratification of this Board.

"Very truly yours,
"(Signed) J. F. GANNON, JR.,
"Director."

Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon moved the adoption of the following resolution, and Commissioner Bentley seconded the motion.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That $2,028,000.00, being the bonds first to mature of an issue of $2,060,000.00 School Bonds of the City authorized by an ordinance finally adopted on March 22, 1921, are hereby awarded to the National City Company, syndicate managers for the National City Company, Harris, Forbes & Company and Estabrook & Company, at the price bid of $2,060,429.75 and accrued interest at the rate borne by the bonds from the date of the bonds to the date of payment of the purchase price;

Further Resolved, That the proper officials of the City are hereby authorized and directed to execute said bonds and to deliver them to the said purchasers upon receipt of payment therefor in accordance with this resolution.

The foregoing resolution was adopted by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, Under the provisions of Chapter 349, Printed Laws of 1920 and the amendments thereto, and Chapter 104, Printed Laws of 1921, it is made the duty of the City Clerk to furnish and provide the ballots to be voted and cast at the Primary Election to be held in this City on April 26, 1921, and it is further made the duty of the City Clerk to provide sufficient stationery and paraphernalia in each of the election districts so that the people of the City may conveniently and expeditiously cast their vote at said election; and

Whereas, It is also provided by Chapter 349, Printed Laws of 1920 and the amendments thereto, and Chapter 104, Printed Laws of 1921, that it is the duty of the City Clerk to furnish and provide the ballots to be voted and cast at the Municipal Election to be held in this City on May 10, 1921, and it is further made the duty of the City Clerk to provide stationery and paraphernalia sufficient for each election district, so that the people of the City may conveniently and expeditiously cast their vote; and

Whereas, Owing to the shortness of time elapsing between the date when petitions for nominations are to be filed and the date of the Primary Election and the time between the Primary Election and the Muncipal Election, it is impossible for the City Clerk to advertise and receive bids for the furnishing of said ballots and stationery and paraphernalia; therefore be it

Resolved, That in the opinion of this Board an emergency exists within the meaning of the law with respect to the purchasing of said ballots, stationery and any other paraphernalia necessarily incident to the carrying on of said Primary Election or necessarily incident to the Municipal Election required furnished by the City Clerk;

Further Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized to purchase such materials and supplies at and for the best price that may be obtainable.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner Moore the Board adjourned.

JOHN BENTLEY,
MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
A. HARRY MOORE,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

Approved:
FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF APRIL 12, 1921

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, April 12, 1921, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Absent: Commissioner Gannon (excused).

RECEPTION OF BIDS

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for repaving various streets, the City Clerk called for bids with the following results:

Repaving West Side Avenue and Constructing 20-inch Cast Pipe

1. Willite Road Construction Company, 102½ per cent. of standard with surety company bond.

2. W. T. S. Critchfield, 140 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

3. Uvalde Contracting Company, 155 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

Repaving Academy Street

1. Willite Road Construction Company, 99 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

2. W. T. S. Crichfield, 114¾ per cent. of standard. with surety company bond.

3. Uvalde Contracting Company, 115 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

Repaving Whiton and Pine Streets

1. Willite Road Construction Company, 99½ per cent. of standard, with surety company bond

2. W. T. S. Crichfield, 114¾ per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

3. Uvalde Contracting Company, 115 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

Paving Stemgan Street

1. Willite Road Construction Company, 109 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

2. W. T. S. Crichfield, 114¾ per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

3. Uvalde Contracting Company, 115 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

Repairs to Asphalt Pavements Out of Guarantee

1. W. T. S. Crichfield, 124½ per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

2. Uvalde Contracting Company, 125 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

3. Willite Road Construction Company, 140 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen, the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received opened and read and referred to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements for investigation and recommendation.

IMPROVEMENT HEARINGS

The hearing on the final passage of an ordinance covering the proposed improvement of Clarke Avenue between Mallory Avenue and Water Street in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917, having been adjourned and continued to this time and place, and the City Clerk having caused to be advertised that the Board of Commissioners would consider the final passage of said ordinance at this time and place, the City Clerk read the ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the passage of said ordinance. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of the above described ordinance.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the ordinance was referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

CITY ORDINANCES

This time and place having been advertised for the purpose of considering the final passage of the following described ordinance:

"An ordinance fixing the standard of time throughout Jersey City,"

the City Clerk read the ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of said ordinance.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of the above described ordinance.

On motion of Commissioner Moore, the ordinance was referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

The hearings on the ordinance providing for the making of private connections with sewer, gas or water mains or conduits for wires in Clarke Avenue between Mallory Avenue and Water Street, having been adjourned to this time and place, the City Clerk read the ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the passage of said ordinance. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of said above described ordinance.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen, the ordinance was referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

ALTERATION HEARINGS

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications:

S. M. Wilson, garage in cellar, 2 Wegman Court;

L. DiBarba, alter store front, 146 Montgomery Street;

Kleinhaus Store, electric sign, 100 Newark Avenue;

McCloskey Drug Company, electric sign, 351 Montgomery Street;

Manhattan Tailors, electric sign, 787 Ocean Avenue;

Premier Hat Stores, electric sign, 98 Montgomery Street;

the City Clerk read each application and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of any of the above described applications. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the granting of any of the above described applications.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Samuel W. Wilson to build one-car garage in cellar of two-story two-family frame dwelling No. 2 Wegman Court, said garage to be in extreme rear of cellar with entrance facing Garfield Avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application, provided that the street and sidewalk level is not altered in any manner; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Louis Di Barba to rebuild old store front in one-family, two-story frame store and dwelling No. 146 Montgomery Street, as shown on blue print attached to application; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to the Kleinhaus Store to erect electric sign to project seven feet from building line at No. 100 Newark Avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to McCloskey Drug Co. to erect electric sign to project six feet from building line at No. 351 Montgomery Street, as shown on blue print attached to application; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Manhattan Tailors Co. to erect an electric sign to project five feet from building line at No. 787 Ocean Avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Premier Hat Stores to erect electric sign to extend eight feet from building line at No. 98 Montgomery Street, as shown on blue print attached to application; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be aud he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

The application of N. Feinberg for permission to alter the show windows only at No. 198-200 Newark Avenue, having been laid over to this time and place and the City Clerk directed to notify the Jersey City Business Men's Association of this action, by resolution adopted by the Board of Commissioners on April 5, 1921, the City Clerk advised the Board that the notification had been sent to Mr. Kleinhaus of the Business Men's Association.

Mr. Robert Hoos of the Jersey City Business Men's Association appeared and advised the Board that his Association objected to the proposed alteration because it would be no more than a continuance of an old frame rookery right in the heart of the Newark Avenue shopping district, and that it is a location upon which a good, substantial building could be erected that would be a credit to this shopping district.

The Mayor replied to Mr. Hoos that he was not in favor of repairing these old frame buildings.

Thereupon the following resolution was introduced:

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the application of N. Feinberg requesting permission to alter show windows in store front No. 198-200 Newark Avenue be and the same is hereby denied, for the reason that it will mean the continuance of an old frame building, detrimental to the Newark Avenue shopping district.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From residents and property owners, protesting against the proposed erection of an ice plant in the vicinity of Washburn Street.

Received.

From Attorney Marshall Van Winkle, requesting permission for Bernard Deymann to erect garage in rear of Plot 6, in Block 1895.

Received.

From Steiner & Jaeger, submitting blue prints of property belonging to Pearl L. Bergoff and requesting the approval of the Board so that the maps can be recorded in the County Register's office.

Received and referred to Commissioner Fagen for recommendation.

From National-Central Theatres, Inc., requesting permission to erect electric sign to project eight feet from building line and to extend above roof level at No. 269-275 Central Avenue.

Received.

From Patrick Higgins, requesting permission to erect garage in cellar of No. 59 Storm Avenue.

Received.

From J. Watson, requesting permission to erect garage in cellar with driveway at No. 392 Fairmount Avenue.

Received.

AUDITING CLAIMS

By Commissioner Bentley:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named for the following amounts and purposes:

POLICE

$382.20, Auto Economic Company, tires.

$9.00, B. B. Dust Eater Company, sweeping compound.

$10.31, J. H. Browne, soda.

$16.00, W. S. Broadhurst, Autex reel.

$31.85, A. Datz Company, printing.

$25.48, W. L. Ellis, stationery.

$20.80, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$64.80, Joseph Flannery, lamps.

$6.50, Fleischman Brothers, repairs.

$23.52, Garfunkle Brothers, lamps.

$15.35, C. F. Hansen, envelopes.

$52.00, W. R. Harrison, Bertillion photos.

$77.00, Chas. Hayes, horseshoeing.

$5.50, T. L. Higgins, nails.

$2.55, J. F. Kelly, keys.

$9.00, Lily Cup Company, lily cups.

$2.50, L. Max & Sons, glass.

$33.00, Phinotas Chemical Company, disinfectant.

$12.00, C. M. Prior & Son, storage motorcycles.

$48.51, Rockland Chemical Co., disinfectant.

$47.04, Chas. P. Rogers & Co., cots.

$8.00, Alex. Scott, storage motorcycles.

$20.00, V. H. Scott, korkorizing tires.

$46.00, Edw. J. Schroeder Lamp Works, medallions.

$70.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$22.53, Valvoline Oil Co., oil.

$6.00, J. A. Vill & Son, auto brushes.

$11.00, Whipple Hdw. Co., supplies.

$3,438.00, Walter J. Coleman.

$84.80, James P. McLaughlin.

$8.04, Hudson Observer.

$29.90, Keegans Garage.

$225.50, Wedlake-Lamson Co.

$120.00, Wedlake-Lamson Co.

$369.35, The Peter Jocham Co.

$4.35, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co.

$11.61, Am. Bosch Magneto Co.

$47.35, Jersey City Storage Battery Co.

$8.00, Whipple Hardware Co.

$270.07, R. H. Perry Co.

$225.00, Smith & Kelleher.

$405.85, Carscallen & Cassidy.

$59.35, Woodhouse Mfg. Co.

$165.50, Woodhouse Mfg. Co.

$42.40, Valvoline Oil Co.

$4.35, Standard Oil Co.

$40.00, Philip Gogarty.

$48.00, C. J. Lutton.

$51.50, John Brennan.

$48.00, James Carroll.

$55.50, Wm. McKittrick.

$44.00, Wm. McKittrick.

$18.50, E. Kelly.

$46.04, New York Telephone Co.

$10.50, Public Service Elec. Co.

$4.00, Public Service Elec. Co.

$235.80, Public Service Elec. Co.

$288.68, Public Service Gas Co.

$40.00, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$43.75, J. Flannery, batteries.

$159.60, Mrs. M. Heitzman, meals for prisoners.

$316.97, J. Jocham Company, repairs.

$12.12, J. T. Ryerson & Son, galvanized bolts.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$390.00, American Gas Accumulator Company, supplies.

$3,352.29, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$317.95, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$37.30, Louis Frey, prints.

$140.00, General Machine and Iron Works, supplies.

$30.84, E. B. Haskins, supplies.

$40.00, John J. Howard, horseshoeing.

$22.00, John J. Howard, horseshoeing.

$17.00, John J. Howard, horseshoeing.

$2.50, New York Telephone Company, service.

$53.70, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$12,843.44, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$1,638.06, Public Service Gas Company, service.

$425.00, A. Steiert & Son, brooms.

$9.75, Union Towel Supply Company, service.

$20.00, Union Printing Company, supplies.

$255.00, Voorhees Rubber Manufacturing Company, supplies.

$19.01, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

$20.64, Hudson County Independent, advertising.

$10.78, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$11.66, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$49.00, Aeroil Burner Company, supplies.

$4.40, Air Reduction Sales Company, supplies.

$6.80, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$54.32, Belle Meade Sales Corporation, supplies.

$25.09, Bureau of Water, Newark, N. J., labor.

$92.56, Boonton Auto Garage, supplies.

$27.00, O. J. Childs Company, supplies.

$329.65, Dodge & Bliss Company, supplies.

$27.00, Expert Radiator Repair Company, repairs.

$180.35, Expert Auto Tire, supplies.

$10,596.00, East Jersey Water Company, water.

$47.90, Fagan Iron Works, supplies.

$8.80, P. Finnerty, expenses.

$783.33, Fuller & McClintock, services.

$11.32, William Fitzgerald, expenses.

$192.08, J. P. Hall, supplies.

$21.99, T. L. Higgins, supplies.

$6.00, Initial Apron & Towel Supply, supplies.

$39.18, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$1,400.00, George A. Johnston, services.

$73.75, H. Knust, repairs.

$67.45, Morris Motor Car Company, supplies.

$102.76, E. Merton, supplies.

$5.30, Nathan & Co., supplies.

$38.90, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$70.70, Public Service Gas, service.

$366.77, August Spindler, supplies.

$364.75, Texas Company, supplies.

$1.62, H. F. Trautman, papers.

$300.00, Union Printing Company, supplies.

$107.00, Union Printing Company, supplies.

$171.08, Valvoline Oil Company, supplies.

$15.26, Wallace Tiernan, supplies.

$68.85, Wallace & Tiernan, supplies.

$384.00, Water Works Equipment Company, supplies.

$44.55, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$73.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$10.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$300.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$93.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$19.60, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$56.90, Gross & Gross, bills of costs, Rothberg vs. J. C.

$3.50, Dispatch Printing Company, printing.

$45.49, Hulse & Allen, transcript.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the City Treasurer in payment of the following claims:

$15.84, Harry Shick, insurance.

$6.00, Harry Shick, insurance.

$49.70, John A. Ward, plumbing repairs.

$1.75, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$18.00, J. Harris, glass.

$25.00, W. A. Barclay, repairs.

$3.50, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$39.50, John A. Ward, plumbing repairs.

$4.50, J. Harris, glass.

$3.00, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$1.00, Public Service Electric Company, electricity consumed.

$7.40, Public Service Electric Company, electricity consumed.

$72.99, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$61.38, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$79.97, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$33.34, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$11.00, Whipple Hardware Company, painting material.

$1.60, Morris Motor Car Company, gasoline.

$3.50, Public Service Electric Company, electricity consumed.

$36.50, Public Service Electric Company, electricity consumed.

$0.98, Public Service Electric Company, gas consumed.

$4.00, Public Service Electric Company, electricity consumed.

$8.12, New York Telephone Company, telephone service.

$2.95, New York Telephone Company, telephone service.

$243.00, J. F. Connors, horse and wagon hire.

$248.00, Arthur Keppler, horse and wagon hire.

$6.30, Public Service Gas Company, gas consumed.

$1.80, New York Telephone Company, telephone service.

$315.16, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$4.20, Public Service Gas Company, gas consumed.

$17.50, Public Service Electric Company, electricity consumed.

$26.90, Public Service Electric Company, electricity consumed.

$9.95, A. J. Haesloop, supplies.

$11.15, A. J. Haesloop, supplies.

$9.50, A. J. Haesloop, turpentine.

$68.00, Van Houten & Sherwood Company, insurance.

$27.00, J. C. Lowy, insurance.

$53.11, Public Service Gas Company, gas.

$1.80, Thomas L. Higgins, steel wool.

$5.75, Thomas L. Higgins, nails.

$12.00, Thomas L. Higgins, wire.

$5.00, John F. Kelly, repairs.

$39.20, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$4.00, Carl Luck, repairs.

$7.00, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$3.00, Whipple Hardware Company, lamps.

$29.65, New York Telephone Company, telephone service.

$26.73, Washburn Brothers Company, cement.

$7.80, New York Telephone Company, telephone service.

$25.50, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$11.50, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$3.00, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$7.15, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$97.99, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$4.50, Adam Black, repairs.

$30.30, Public Service Company, electric service.

$337.00, W. A. Barclay, water heater.

$7.65, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$9.60, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$3.25, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$6.57, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$14.14, Public Service Gas Company, gas consumed.

$173.60, Public Service Electric Company, electricity consumed.

$13.75, George W. Irving, plumbing repairs.

$5.00, Benj. Kuperman, glass.

$50.00, Thomas Finnerty, ice.

$202.00, Public Service Electric Company, electricity consumed.

$25.62, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$4.20, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$3.00, John Kelly, repairs.

$30.63, Thomas L. Higgins, pin. butts.

$14.00, Whipple Hardware Company, turpentine.

$55.13, Chas. H. Engler Lumber Company, lumber.

$17.60, Thomas L. Higgins, nails.

$31.48, Chas. H. Engler Lumber Company, lumber.

$16.43, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$15.70, Whipple Hardware Company, material.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen,
Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following named claimants for the amounts and purposes indicated:

$420.00, A. McDonough, groceries.

$450.00, A. McDonough, groceries.

$18.11, Immanuel Britten, fish.

$21.98, Public Service Gas Company, gas.

$13.26, William Bill, groceries.

$27.23, New York Telephone Company, service.

$11.85, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$90.48, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$144.45, Hamilton Meat Market, meat.

$20.05, Union Printing Company, printing.

$71.54, Union Printing Company, printing.

$139.41, Emile Landeck, printing.

$10.44, The Kleinhaus Store, nurses' caps.

$21.00, Soderseine Co., soderseine.

$13.23, The Lake Sales Co., rings.

$10.00, William R. Harrison, photographs.

$11.05, Charles P. Hansen, stationery.

$329.10, Otto Wilkens, drugs.

$114.17, Union Printing Company, printing.

$329.04, Lederle Antitoxin Co., antitoxin.

$33.00, Edmund P. Cotter, removing dead animals.

$40.11, New York Telephone Company, service.

$24.61, New York Telephone Company, service.

$13.09, New York Telephone Company, service.

$8.05, New York Telephone Company, service.

$582.69, Hudson Company, S. P. C. A., dog wagon service.

$364.00, S. Kubielski, auto repairs.

$17.70, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$509.98, Public Service Gas Company, gas.

$17.70, Public Service Electric Company, light.

$305.91, Public Service Gas Company, gas.

$151.22, Public Service Gas Company, gas.

$18.70, M. Weiss, linen hampers.

$7.20, N. J. State Hospital, waste basket.

$2.31, Swift & Co., bacon.

$2,683.33, R. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$386.96, Public Service Gas Company, gas.

$88.65, Public Service Gas Company, gas.

$3.50, Platt & Auerbach, cleaner.

$256.42, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$99.86, Burroughs, Wellcome & Co., glands.

$44.98, Loori Bros., drugs.

$5.20, McKesson & Robbins Co., drugs.

$25.96, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$85.50, John J. Mooney, drugs.

$324.49, Swift & Co., meats.

$236.96, Keystone Dairy Co., milk.

$106.27, Swift & Co., chicken and meat.

$319.07, Whipple Hardware Company, toilet paper, etc.

$85.02, S. Kagan & Company, meat.

$122.58, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

$47.92, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$44.33, Austin, Nichols & Company, groceries.

$106.28, D. E. Cleary Company, groceries.

$26.46, D. E. Cleary Company, groceries.

$14.00, The Hospital Supply Company, syringes.

$109.96, D. E. Cleary Company, groceries.

$73.15, S. C. Landauer, tendons.

$23.67, Joseph T. Sack, supplies.

$218.40, Jack McConvill, meat.

$308.90, Meincke & Co., supplies.

$45.38, The Westinghouse Air Spring Company, repairs.

$5.40, The Century Company, magazine.

$2.25, Alexander Hamill Iron Works, blacksmith and helper.

$70.66, Parke, Davis & Co., drugs.

$23.28, Parke, Davis & Co., drugs.

$12.75, The Kleinhaus Store, aprons.

$52.04, L. L. Croner, sugar.

$22.00, Louis Goldberg, uniforms.

$196.10, John F. Crosby, vegetables.

$13.00, L. L. Croner, paprika.

$116.38, Otto Wilkins, drugs.

$91.53, Francis H. Leggett & Co., groceries.

$340.16, Charles H. Nolte, butter.

$35.48, Loori Brothers, drugs.

$56.45, Thompson & Kelly, bandages and gauze.

$71.47, S. W. Kagan & Co., bacon and lamb.

$64.49, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$8.00, Snyder & Hudson, thermometers.

$59.51, Loori Bros., drugs.

$187.68, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$156.04, J. Decker, milk.

$26.79, Jerome O'Keefe, hickory.

$50.21, D. E. Cleary Co., groceries.

$52.76, William Bill, groceries.

$4.50, W. R. Holmes, coffee.

$31.60, Thom Murray Shoes, Inc., shoes.

$15.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PAYROLLS

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached payrolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being payment for services rendered during the periods specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS

From Commissioner Fagen:

Recommending that the contracts entered into between the City and Bernard Gannon & Son for furnishing all material and do all the work necessary for the construction of sewer in Virginia Avenue, Ege Avenue and Clarke Avenue, etc., be amended so that they will include additional work removing an accumulation of earth left by contractors who constructed a water main for the City of Bayonne.

Received and recommendations adopted.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, The names of Richard J. Sullivan, David C. Titsworth, John J. Smith, Patrick F. Stone, William P. Fogarty, Ralph G. Speer, Leo S. Steinle, Martin Dugan, Clarence J. Coffey have been certified by the State Civil Service Commission as being eligible for appointment to the position of Patrolman in the Jersey City Police Department; therefore be it

Resolved, That Richard J. Sullivan, David C. Titsworth, John J. Smith, Patrick F. Stone, William P. Fogarty, Ralph G. Speer, Leo S. Steinle, Martin Dugan and Clarence J. Coffey be and they are hereby appointed Patrolmen in the Jersey City Police Department at a salary of $1,700 per annum, these appointments to be effective from May 1, 1921.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance to improve all that part of Clarke Avenue between Mallory Avenue and Water Street, in the City of Jersey City, by improving with asphalt pavement on a concrete base, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Whereas, It is deemed advisable by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements that Clarke Avenue between Mallory Avenue and Water street should be improved; therefore

The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

That all that part of Clarke Avenue between Mallory Avenue and Water Street, in the City of Jersey City, County of Hudson and State of New Jersey, shall be improved as follows:

1. To have the street for the full width thereof graded to the established grade by excavating or filling the same to the established grade.

2. To have new 5 by 16-inch bluestone curb set in concrete on each side thereof.

3. To have new cement walks five (5′) feet in width laid on each side thereof.

4. To have the carriageway paved thirty (30′) feet in width with asphalt pavement on a six (6″) inch concrete base, and all other work done that may be necessary to provide for the flow of the surface water and to complete the improvement in a good and substantial manner, said improvement to be made in conformity with provisions of Chapter 132 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof and in accordance with qualifications to be specially prepared.

The City Clerk read the foregoing as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance to provide for the making of private connections with sewer, gas or water mains or conduits for wires in Clarke Avenue between Mallory Avenue and Water Street, in the City of Jersey City, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917 and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Whereas, The Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements of the City of Jersey City has reported that an ordinance has been introduced at a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City providing for the improvement of Clarke Avenue between Mallory Avenue and Water Street; and

Whereas, There are already laid and existing in said streets sewer, gas and water mains and conduits for wires, and there are building lots within said area to be improved which have no private connections with said sewer, gas and water mains or conduits for wires; and

Whereas, After said contemplated improvement to the above described area has been made, no private connections with said sewer, gas or water mains or conduits for wires can be made without tearing up a portion of the proposed improvement which then shall have been completed; therefore

The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

1. That after notice shall have been served on or shall have been given as

provided by law to owners or parties in interest of lands fronting on Clarke Avenue between Mallory Avenue and Water Street, said owners or parties in interest shall, within the time mentioned in said notice, which shall not be less than thirty days after the passage of this ordinance, cause at their own cost and expense private connections to be made between each such lot of land twenty-five feet or less in width, owned or controlled by such parties and the sewer, gas and water mains and conduits for wires in said streets.

2. If the work of making private connections with said sewer, gas or water mains and conduits for wires shall not have been begun within the time limited in said notice, then the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements shall have such private connections made and the cost and expense thereof shall be assessed upon any lands benefited.

3. All ordinance and parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer and approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel for the improvement of Lafayette Street from a point 100 feet west of Woodward Street to its westerly terminus, a distance of about 110 feet, with Belgian block pavement, be and are hereby adopted and ordered filed, and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That, upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer and approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel for furnishing and delivering cast iron water pipe in Jersey City, New Jersey, be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, Through inadvertence, the name of J. H. Cassell was certified by the Civil Service Commission as being eligible for the position of Inspector in the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, and as a result of said certification was, at meeting held on March 8, 1921, appointed to said position; and

Whereas, Subsequently the Civil Service Commission advised the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements that the name of said Cassell had been erroneously certified and requesting the withdrawal of the certification; therefore be it

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements that portion of the resolution adopted at meeting held March 8, 1921, appointing J. H. Cassell to the position of Inspector be and the same is hereby reconsidered and rescinded.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, By communication from

the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, dated April 12, 1921, it appears that it is necessary and advisable, for the purpose of preventing delay in the construction of sewer as called for under Contract No. 2322 between the City of Jersey City and Bernard Gannon & Son to authorize removal of surplus earth along the several streets mentioned in said contract, approximately 549 cubic yards, at a cost of $1.25 per cubic yard; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said contractor be and he is hereby authorized to proceed with said extra work at the price hereinbefore named and in accordance with the plan attached to such communication; and be it further

Resolved, That a certified copy of this resolution be signed by said contractor and filed with the City Clerk.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the contract for repairs to asphalt pavements which are not under guarantee to December 31, 1921, be and is hereby awarded to W. T. S. Crichfield at the price named in their proposal, namely, 124½ per cent. of the standard, there being no lower bidder, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby directed to prepare and have executed necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, In anticipation of the receipt of taxes to be levied or of taxes levied and not delinquent, this municipality may borrow and have obligations outstanding to provide such moneys as may be necessary to meet its lawful expenditures under the appropriations for the year for which such taxes are levied or are to be levied, to wit, the fiscal year 1921; therefore be it

Resolved, That in pursuance of Chapter 192, P. L. 1917, approved March 28, 1917, as amended, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do and they hereby authorize and direct that Tax Exemption Notes of the City of Jersey City be issued to the amount of $180,000.00, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum, payable July 1, 1921, and at maturity; said Notes to be dated April 14, 1921, to become due and payable December 31, 1921, or sooner if called by the City, and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An Ordinance Fixing the Standard of Time Throughout Jersey City.

Whereas, Daylight saving has contributed to the comfort, wellbeing and contentment of the great body of wage earners of the industrial centers of the United States, without detracting from a proper measure of service; and

Whereas, The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City recognize the will of the overwhelming majority of those who labor in the diversified occupations in this city, who have realized through practical application the great boon of one hour extra daylight for mental improvement and physical recreation, enacts the following ordinance:

Be it ordained by the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, through the Board of Commissioners, as follows:

That the standard of time throughout the City of Jersey City is that of the seventy-fifth meridian of longitude west from Greenwich, except that at 2 o'clock ante-meridian of the last Sunday in April of each year such standard time throughout the City of Jersey City shall be advanced one hour, and at 2 o'clock ante-meridian of the last Sunday in September of each year such standard of time shall, by the retarding of one hour, be returned to the mean astronomical time of the seventy-fifth meridian of longitude from Greenwich, and all courts, public offices and legal and official proceedings shall be regulated thereby.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, The Committee of One Hundred from the Hudson City Section of Jersey City have requested the Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property to acquire the balance of Block 768 for park purposes; and

Whereas, The Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property has on many occasions in the past years recommended that this property be acquired and River View Park extended; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby instructed to start condemnation for park purposes of lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 54, 55, 56A and 56B in Block 768, being all of Block 768, not now being used for park purposes.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, The Tar Reduction Corporation has applied for a lease upon about 44,000 square feet of the land owned by the City, adjoining Howell Street Dock; and

Whereas, They are willing to pay $1,320.00 per year for this property; therefore be it

Resolved, That under the direction of the Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property, a lease be entered into, and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to have the necessary forms executed.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, His name has been duly certified as next eligible for appointment to fill a vacancy in the position of Medical Inspector, Health Bureau, Jersey City, N. J., by the State Civil Service Commission; therefore be it

Resolved, That Thomas McG. Brennock, M. D., residence 68 Waverly Street, Jersey City, be and he is hereby appointed to the position of Medical Inspector, Jersey City Department of Health, said appointment to take effect immediately, at the salary of $2,000.00 per annum, payable in semi-monthly installments.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner Moore the Board adjourned.

Approved:

JOHN BENTLEY,
MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
A. HARRY MOORE,
FRANK HAGUE,

Commissioners.

FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF APRIL 19, 1921

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, April 19, 1921, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

RECEPTION OF BIDS

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for furnishing supplies and performing certain work for the various departments of the City government, the City Clerk called for bids, with the following result:

Repaving Cator Avenue.

1. W. T. S. Crichfield, 98 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.
2. Uvalde Contracting Company, 110 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.
3. Willite Road Construction Company 111¾ per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

Repaving Bramhall Avenue.

1. W. T. S. Crichfield, 98 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.
2. Willite Road Construction Company, 99¼ per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.
3. Uvalde Contracting Company, 110 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

Repaving Sixth Street, Monmouth Street, Brunswick Street, Etc.

1. W. T. S. Crichfield, 101 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.
2. Willite Road Construction Company, 108¼ per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.
3. Uvalde Contracting Company, 110 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

Masons' Materials.

1. Washburn Brothers Company, by item, with surety company bond.
2. James P. Hall, Inc., by item, with freeholder surety bond.

Coal.

1. R. H. Perry & Co., by item, with surety company bond.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received opened and read and referred to the Director of the department from which the specifications emanated for investigation and recommendation.

CITY ORDINANCES

This time and place having been advertised for the purpose of considering the final passage of the following ordinance:

"An ordinance authorizing $989.08 Emergency Bonds of the City of Jersey City,"

the City Clerk read the ordinance and then called for any one who might desire to protest against the final passage of said above-described ordinance.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of said above-described ordinance.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the ordinance was referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

ALTERATION HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications:

National-Central Theatres, Inc., electric sign, 269-275 Central Avenue;

R. Romaner, construction brick extension, 300 Henderson Street;

P. Higgins, construction garage in cellar, 59 Storms Avenue;

J. Watson, construction garage and driveway, 392 Fairmount avenue,

the City Clerk read each application

and then called for any one who might desire to protest against the granting of any one of said above-described applications.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the granting of any of the above-described applications.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to the National-Central Theatres, Inc., to erect electric sign to project eight feet from building line and to extend above roof level, as shown on blue print attached to application, at No. 269-275 Central Avenue;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to R. Romaner to erect brick extension 6 feet 8 inches by 10 feet by 14 feet high in rear of three-story frame building No. 300 Henderson Street, as shown on blue print attached to application;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Patrick Higgins to erect garage in cellar of two-story, two-family frame dwelling, No. 59 Storms Avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application, provided that the street and sidewalk level is not altered in any manner; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to J. Watson to erect garage in cellar, also build a driveway to curb, not to interfere with grade of sidewalk, in two-story and attic one-family frame dwelling, No. 392 Fairmount Avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

From Fred Eckert, requesting permission to erect frame addition at No. 186 Fairmount Avenue.

Received.

From Knodles Express Co., requesting permission to alter building for store purposes at No. 264 Central Avenue.

Received.

From James Brignolo, requesting permission to alter building for store, 396 Palisade Avenue.

Received.

From Louis Zimmerman, requesting permission to alter building for store, 8 Jordan Avenue.

Received.

From W. J. Glock, requesting permission to build garage and new steps in cellar No. 50-52-A Romaine Avenue.

Received.

From H. H. Harris, requesting permission to build garage in cellar, No. 92 Tuers Avenue.

Received.

From Herman F. Bolz, requesting permission to build garage in cellar of No. 240 Grant Avenue.

Received.

From Barnet Frank, requesting permission to erect garages in cellar of frame dwellings, Nos. 253-255 Grant Avenue.

Received.

From property owners and tenants of the Eleventh Ward, protesting against the erection of a public garage at 56 and 98 Sherman Avenue.

The City Clerk advised the Board that a permit for these garages had been issued by the Building Department in February, 1921.

Received and ordered filed.

From property owners on Fulton Avenue west of Boulevard, protesting against the proposed garage to be erected on the southwest corner of Fulton Avenue and the Boulevard.

Received and the City Clerk directed to take the matter up with the Zoning Commission in order to obtain the exact status of the application.

From residents in the neighborhood of Lembeck Avenue, petitioning the Board to abolish the erection of public garages in that vicinity unless met with the City Laws.

In connection with the foregoing petition, Mrs. W. Bohlinger of 161 Lembeck Avenue and Miss Abel of 218 Lembeck Avenue appeared before the Board and protested against these garages.

The City Clerk advised the Board that the Zoning Commission and Building Department had issued permits on April 4, 1921, for the erection of these garages.

Commissioner Fagen advised the protestants that the City could not prevent the garages being erected as long as they did not come out to the building line; that the garages will not be a nuisance, because they will be in the rear of the lots; that the street is not a restricted residential location; that there are at present a carpet factory and other garages on the street.

Miss Abel stated that a crowd of men hang out around the garages and use profane language and that the garages in general will hurt the neighborhood.

Commissioner Fagen stated that the owner could take his application into the courts and obtain the necessary permission if the City refused the application. He also suggested that he would bring the owner before the Board and make him sign an agreement to the effect that there would be no unnecessary noises and the place would be conducted orderly, and that if the owner violated the agreement, then the Board would take suitable action by proper ordinance.

AUDITING CLAIMS

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$95.00, L. A. Bittighoffer, repairs.

$66.94, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$22.22, Walter J. Coleman, supplies.

$165.00, Edward J Donohue, insurance.

$74.00, A. Datz Company, printing.

$196.30, Eugene Dietzen, supplies.

$15.00, Five Corners Paint Shop Company, painting.

$38.50, Charles Hayes, horseshoeing.

$240.15, P. Jocham Co., repairs.

$129.25, P. Jocham Co., repairs.

$7.56, Jersey City Ladder Company, supplies.

$6.05, P. Jocham Co., repairs.

$2.50, William McKettrick, horseshoeing.

$23.65, New York Telephone Company, service.

$4.00, New York Telephone Company, service.

$5.45, New York Telephone Company, service.

$4.30, New York Telephone Company, service.

$4.15, New York Telephone Company, service.

$2.75, Putnam & Company, repairs.

$1.00, Pennsylvania Railroad Company, rent.

$165.00, Smith & Kelleher, insurance.

$79.50, J. F. Sullivan, horseshoeing.

$87.00, James Sweeney, horseshoeing.

$8.00, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

$6.00, Board of Works Equipment Company, supplies.

$22.36, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$8.76, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$8.76, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$21.84, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$8.52, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$8.40, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$12.40, L. Clark, repairs.

$46.06, A. Datz Company, supplies.

$18.85, Chas. DePuy, feed.

$9.84, Evening Journal Association, advertising.

$5.00, Engineering News Record, subscription.

$57.82, Engineering Supply Company, supplies.

$50.00, Five Corners Paint Shop Company, painting.

$9.36, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$12.25, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$30.50, E. Kelly, horseshoeing.

$11.14, Mallinckrodt Chemical Company, supplies.

$3.00, New York Telephone Company, service.

$32.64, Palace Garage, supplies.

$1,503.07, Pennsylvania Salt Manufacturing Company, supplies.

$6.74, J. T. Ryerson & Sons Company, supplies.

$60.00, Geo. A. Reilly, coke.

$12.00, J. T. Ryerson & Son, supplies.

$12.75, Patrick Vendetto, ice.

$86.75, Westinghouse Electric Manufacturing Company, repairs.

$49.50, Wallace & Tiernan, repairs.

$6.36, Wallace & Tiernan, repairs.

$1.25, Dobke Typewriter Exchange, repairs.

$2.19, J. N. Earley, signs.

$2.00, Great Bear Spring Water Company, water.

$2.50, Great Bear Spring Water Company, water.

$2.00, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$6.40, New York Telephone Company, service.

$159.00, George J. Gannon, licenses.

$19.65, Adam Black, repairs.

$5.50, Great Bear Spring Water Company, water.

$8.72, New York Telephone Company, service.

$8.40, Public Service Electric Company, service.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$10.44, Evening Journal Association.

$7.44, Evening Journal Association.

$13.56, Evening Journal Association.

$6.48, Hudson Observer.

$1.80, Hudson Observer.

$2.04, Hudson Observer.

$1.80, Hudson Observer.

$3.52, Hudson Observer.

$3.52, Hudson Observer.

$7.68, Hudson Observer.

$13.44, Hudson Observer.

$10.44, Hudson Observer.

$6.48, Hudson Observer.

$3.52, Hudson Observer.

$3.52, Hudson Observer.

$3.52, Hudson Observer.

$4.18, Hudson Observer.

$3.96, Hudson Observer.

$3.74, Hudson Observer.

$7.68, Hudson Observer.

$6.60, Hudson Observer.

$10.68, Hudson Observer.

$13.68, Hudson Observer.

$2.00, Evening Journal Association.

$11.88, Evening Journal Association.

$11.88, Evening Journal Association.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association.

$2.00, Evening Journal Association.

$2.00, Evening Journal Association.

$650.00, Union Printing Co.

$650.00, Union Printing Co.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the City Treasurer in payment of the following claims:

$28.80, Monarch Elec. Con. Co., lamps.

$5.50, John P. Landrine, supplies.

$2.18, John P. Landrine, supplies.

$7.05, John P. Landrine, supplies.

$12.85, Carl Luck, locks repaired.

$10.00, Jersey Ladder Co., repairs to flagpole.

$33.70, Public Service Elec Co., elec. consumed.

$4.33, Jersey City Supply Co., supplies.

$4.40 New York Tele. Co., tele. service.

$109.33, New York Tele. Co., tele. service.

$25.85, S. J. Crawford Co., plumbing.

$7.31, James P. Hall, Inc., sand.

$12.50, James P. Hall, Inc., cement.

$24.67, James P. Hall, Inc., sand, cement, etc.

$7.31, James P. Hall, Inc., sand.

$54.19, James P. Hall, Inc., sand and cement.

$10.20, James P. Hall, Inc., lime.

$39.64, A. J. Haesloop, park material.

$16.39, A. J. Haesloop, park material.

$38.22, Thomas L. Higgins, park material.

$4.50, Thomas L. Higgins, park material.

$16.66, Thomas L. Higgins, wire cloth.

$96.01, the Debevoise Co., paint.

$332.81, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$1,182.84, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$36.83, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$156.56, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$6.50, Jersey City Ladder Co., repairs.

$2.50, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$.50, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$4.30, Thomas L. Higgins, lead and oil.

$60.76, Albert Datz Co., stationery.

$42.00, Colgate & Co., soap.

$42.00, Colgate & Co., soap.

$2,493.00, Anchor Post Works, fencing.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

April 19, 1921.

By Frank Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following named claimants for the amounts and purposes indicated:

$86.73, Ideal Quilting Company, padding.

$53.10, Thomas Finnerty, ice.

$6.25, Armour & Co., green soap.

$36.83, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$7.85, Morris Motor Car Company, auto repairs.

$28.93, Charles H. Nolte, butter.

$3.90, John F. Crosby, oranges.

$77.08, Public Service Gas Company, gas.

$110.27, J. Decker, milk.

$14.10, Charles H. Nolte, eggs.

$13.40, New York Telephone Company, service.

$24.50, Union Printing Company, payrolls.

$42.50, Public Service Electric Company, light.

$2.50, J. C. Storage Battery Company, repairs.

$56.06, William Bill, meat.

$43.65, William Bill, fruits and vegetables.

$25.53, William Bill, fruits and vegetables.

$21.60, Joseph T. Sack, utensils.

$3.50, Standard Oxygen Company, oxygen.

$181.93, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$112.82, Ammon & Person, butter and eggs.

$127.60, Looris Brothers, antitoxin.

$58.00, August Kost, Jr., fitting eyeglasses.

$22.00, Peter H. Trainor, removing dead animals.

$7.50, George Forrest, auto license.

$15.40, John Gorman, ice.

$15.40, Donato Dachillo, ice.

$15.40, Thomas Sheridan, ice.

$18.00, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, antitoxin.

$10.40, Thomas Finnerty, ice.

$140.14, Union Printing Company, post cards, etc.

$9.80, Expert Auto Tire & Repair Co., tire repairs.

$12.00, Reynolds, Teschner & Volk Company, rheostat.

$2.70, Scientific Utilities Company, flasks.

$21.56, Herald Company, printing.

$50.00, Nathaniel Roberts & Sons, professional services.

$10.00, Charles F. Hansen, coat rack.

$285.00, Bosquett Bros. groceries.

$450.00, Flynn Bros., groceries.

$.80, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$390.00, A. McDonough, groceries.

$168.70, Wm. C. Hagan, meat.

$75.46, Kleinhaus Store, supplies.

$18.38, John F. Crosby, fruits and vegetables.

$64.98, S. W. Kagan Co., ham.

$73.01, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$2,892.44, R. H. Perry Co., coal.

$49.70, Swift & Co., hams.

$5,293.22, E. Leitz, Inc., apparatus.

$67.38, Swift & Co., pork loins.

$217.80, Emil Landeck, printing.

$315.00, Benjamin Witt, uniforms.

$22.20, H. D. Dougherty & Co., rubber gloves

$17.70, Public Service Electric Co., service.

$35.50, Colgate & Co., soap.

$174.59, John F. Crosby, fruits and vegetables.

$35.60, J. V. Calley, vegetables.

$373.04, General Baking Co., bread.

$8.50, Joseph H. Brown, supplies.

$66.35, Otto Wilkens, drugs.

$30.00, E. Leitz, Inc., supplies.

$107.00, Mountain Ice Co., ice.

$10.50, the De Martini Macaroni Co., macaroni.

$6.75, Walter J. Coleman, repairs.

$52.40, J. T. Stanley, Inc., supplies.

$118.00, The Kleinhaus Store, dry-goods.

$34.56, the Calumet Tea and Coffee Co., gelatine.

$15.50, the Wod Mop Mfg. Co., mops.

$15.00, Adolph Koment, Inc., buns.

$18.00, Thos. L. Higgins, supplies.

$38.25, Valvoline Oil Co., oil and grease.

$60.80, American Laundry Machine Co., machinery.

$8.33, Kleinhaus Store, muslin.

$110.70, Paul Hoever, supplies.

$17.50, Starter and Battery Service Co., repairs.

$2.40, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$22.10, Austin, Nichols & Co., groceries.

$182.28, Swift & Co., hams and fowl.

$296, Joseph H. Browne, salt.

$307.27, Jack McConville, meat.

$29.44, the Mallinkrodt Chemical Works, drugs.

$6.48, McCloskey Drug Co., drugs.

$22.28, Mallinkrodt Chemical Works, chemicals.

$20.50, Colgate & Co., glycerine.

$31.60, Parke, Davis & Co., drugs.

$52.92, D. E. Cleary & Co., groceries.

$970, Armour & Co., corn.

$10.40, William Bill, groceries.

$59.28, William Bill, groceries.

$139.36, D. E. Cleary & Co., groceries.

$20.65, McKesson & Robbins, Inc., alcohol and magnesia.

$80.36, Kny-Scheerer Co., skeleton.

$26.41, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$19.94, John P. Landrine, hardware.

$34.51, Borden's Farm Products Co., milk and cream.

$20.05, Jerome O'Keefe, muslin.

$3.00, F. B. Brill, twine.

$76.33, McCloskey Drug Co., drugs.

$105.15, McCloskey Drug Co., drugs.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

PAY ROLLS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached payrolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being for temporary services rendered at the Dover and Boonton Plant of the Jersey City Water Company during the periods specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, The Marion section of Jersey City has been retarded in its development through lack of transportation; and

Whereas, The establishing of a station at West Side Avenue, as hereinafter described, would open such section up with Newark, the lower portion of Jersey City and the City of New York and afford the relief required by the residents of Marion and the owners of property in that part of the city; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he hereby is instructed to proceed before the Board of Public Utilities Commissioners for an order directed to the Hudson & Manhattan Railroad Company, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, or both of them, to establish on the line of the Pennsylvania Railroad, between Summit Avenue, Jersey City, and Park Place, Newark, a station in connection with and for the service of the electric railway line operated by the said companies between Cortlandt Street, New York, and Park Place, Newark, and for such other regulations as may be necessary effectually to establish the construction and service of such a station; and be it further

Resolved, That the Board of Engineers be and they are hereby directed to lend all necessary assistance to the Corporation Counsel in the prosecution of the proceedings for such an order.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance for laying out and opening a public street to be known as Central Avenue."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance to improve all that part of Rose Avenue, between Danforth Avenue and Cator Avenue, in the City of Jersey City, by improving with sheet asphalt pavement on a concrete base (excepting such portion as lies between the tracks; also except the portion along the rails for a width of six (6″) inches which shall be paved with wooden block) in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

There having been introduced at this meeting by Michael I. Fagen, director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements an ordinance entitled "An ordinance for laying out and opening a public street to be known as Central Avenue,"

It Is Hereby Resolved, That said ordinance shall lie on the table until the meeting of this board to be held on May 24, 1921, at the City Hall, in Jersey City; and be it further

Resolved, That at said time and place this board consider the undertaking of the improvement proposed by said ordinance and the said ordinance itself, and that a hearing shall be then and there afforded to all persons whose lands may be affected by, or who may be interested in such proposed improvement, both upon said proposed improvement and said ordinance; and be it further

Resolved, That the City Clerk publish in the Jersey Journal and Hudson Observer, on May 9 and 16, 1921, notice of the intention of this board to consider such proposed improvement and ordinance. Said notice shall be in the form attached to this resolution.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

There having been introduced at this meeting by Michael I. Fagen, director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to improve all that part of Rose Avenue, between Danforth Avenue and Cator Avenue, in the City of Jersey City, by improving with sheet asphalt pavement on a concrete base (excepting such portion as lies between the tracks); also except the portion along the rails for a width of six (6″) inches which shall be paved with wooden block) in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof,"

It Is Hereby Resolved, That said ordinance shall lie on the table until the meeting of this board to be held on May 31, 1921, at the City Hall, in Jersey City; and be it further

Resolved, That at said time and place this board consider the undertaking of the improvement proposed by said ordinance and the said ordinance itself and that a hearing shall be then and there afforded to all persons whose lands may be affected by, or may be interested in such proposed improvement, both upon said proposed improvement and said ordinance; and be it further.

Resolved, That the City Clerk publish in the Jersey Journal and Hudson Observer, on April 22 and 29, 1921, notice of the intention of this board to consider such proposed improvement and ordinance. Said notice shall be in the form attached to this resolution.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer and approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, for furnishing and delivering Fifty Thousand (50,000) Wooden Blocks, to be delivered at the Waldo Avenue Yard of the Pennsylvania Railroad, Jersey City, N. J., be and the same are hereby adopted and ordered filed and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An Ordinance authorizing $989.09 emergency bonds of the City of Jersey City.

Whereas, on February 26, 1921, judgment was entered against the city in the Hudson County Circuit Court in the matter of John F. Nagle and John F. Nagle, assignee, vs. the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City in the sum of $989.08, and the city is without funds to meet the necessities and the conditions created thereby;

Now, therefore, the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. The sum of $989.08 be and it is hereby appropriated to pay the judgment recited in the preamble hereof.

Sec. 2. That in pursuance to the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled "An Act concerning Municipal and County Finances," approved March 28, 1917, as amended, and for the purpose of meeting said appropriation, $989.08 Emergency Bonds shall be issued, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum, said bonds shall mature on December 31, 1922, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment. Said bonds shall be executed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance under the seal of the City and shall be attested by the City Clerk, and shall recite they are issued to pay the judgment of John F. Nagle vs. the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City.

Sec. 3. A tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay said bonds at their maturity.

Sec. 4. Said Emergency Bonds are awarded and sold to the Sinking Fund Commission of said City at par and accrued interest, and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance is authorized and directed to have said bonds prepared and after the execution thereof to deliver the same upon receipt of the purchase price therefor.

Sec. 5. The City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to draw a warrant on the City Treasurer in favor of James J. Higgins, attorney for John F. Nagle, in the sum of $989.08, in satisfaction of said judgment, and to deliver said warrant to the Corporation Counsel.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the above described ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, In anticipation of the receipt of taxes to be levied or of taxes levied and not delinquent, this municipality may borrow and have obligations outstanding to provide such moneys as may be necessary to meet its lawful expenditures under the appropriations for the year for which such taxes are levied or are to be levied, to wit, the fiscal year, 1921; therefore be it

Resolved, That in pursuance of Chapter 192, P. L. 1917, approved March 28, 1917, as amended, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do and they hereby authorize and direct that Tax Anticipation Notes of the City of Jersey City be issued to the amount of $200,000.00, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum, payable July 1, 1921, and at maturity; said notes to be dated April 21, 1921, to become due and payable December 31, 1921, or sooner if called by the City, and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon.

Whereas, the Civil Service Commission has certified Edmund B. Loughran, of 462 Mercer Street, Jersey City, as being eligible for appointment to the position of Record Clerk, be it therefore

Resolved, That Edmund B. Loughran be and he is hereby appointed Record Clerk in the Department of Revenue and Finance, Bureau of Control, at an annual salary of Two Thousand Dollars ($2,000) payable in equal semimonthly installments.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, Upon the recommendation of the General Purchasing Agent contract for furnishing and delivering 1,000 yards dish toweling to the Jersey City Hospital be and the same is hereby awarded to L. S. Plaut & Co. at the price named in their bid, namely, $0.171 per yard, that being the lowest bid received.

Further resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized to and directed to prepare and have executed necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, Upon the recommendation of the General Purchasing Agent contract for furnishing and delivering 1,000 men's pajamas to the Jersey City Hospital be and the same is hereby awarded to Furst Contract Dept. at the price named in their bid, namely, $12.50 per dozen, that being the lowest bid received;

Further resolved, That the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized to and directed to prepare and have executed necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen,

Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, Wednesday, April 20, 1921, is known as the opening day in the International Baseball League pennant race; and

Whereas, The team representing Jersey City in said league is to start the season with the Buffalo club of the same league; and

Whereas, There is nothing conduces more to the physical well being of the individual than the pure, free, open air; and

Whereas, There is no game in the sports field that offers greater opportunities for recreation and benefit than the game of baseball; therefore be it

Resolved, That this Commission declare a half holiday on Wednesday, April 20, 1921, beginning at 12 o'clock noon, in order that all municipal employes be permitted to attend the opening game and thereby benefit themselves from association which only such a sport can effect, except that all offices necessary for the transaction of public business shall remain open; and be it

Further resolved, That it is the wish of this Commission that all commercial, industrial and financial institutions of Jersey City likewise declare a half holiday for the benefit of their employes so that they may give living testimony of the fact that nothing conduces more to the benefit of the people than the realization of a sound mind in a sound body.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, the Municipal Primary Election takes place on Tuesday, April 26, 1921, which day is the next regular meeting day of the Board of Commissioners; therefore be it

Resolved, That Monday, April 25, 1921, at 2:30 P. M. in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, be and the same is hereby fixed as the next regular meeting day of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner Moore the Board adjourned.

JOHN BENTLEY,
MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

Approved.
FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF APRIL 25, 1921

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Monday, April 25, 1921, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Absent: Commissioner Gannon (excused).

RECEPTION OF BIDS

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for furnishing and delivering cast iron water pipe to the Department of Streets and Public Improvements of Jersey City, the City Clerk called for bids with the following result:

1. United States Cast Iron Pipe & Foundry Company, $58.00 per net ton with surety company bond.

2. R. D. Wood & Co., $53.95 net per ton with surety company bond.

3. Warren Foundry & Machine Company, itemized prices with surety company bond.

4. John Fox & Co., itemized prices with surety company bond.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received, opened and read and referred to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements for investigation and recommendation.

ALTERATION HEARINGS

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications:

W. J. Glock, extension and garage in cellar, 52-52A Romaine Avenue.

H. F. Bolz, garage in cellar, 240 Grant Avenue.

H. H. Harris, garage in cellar, 92 Tuers Avenue.

L. Zimmerman, alterations for store, 8 Jordan Avenue.

Jas. Brignolo, alterations for store, F. Eckert, frame addition and alterations, 186 Fairmount Avenue.

Knodles' Express Company, alterations for store, 264 Central Avenue.

The City Clerk read each application and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of any of the above described applications.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the granting of any of the above described applications.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to W. J. Glock to build extension to front part of cellar to be converted into a garage, provided that the street and sidewalk level is not altered in any manner, in two-family, two-story frame building, No. 52-52A Romaine Avenue, also build new concrete steps to terrace;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Herman F. Bolz to build garage in cellar of present two-story frame two-family dwelling, No. 240 Grant Avenue, provided that the street and sidewalk level is not altered in any manner;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

My Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and

the same is hereby granted to H. H. Harris to build garage in cellar of one-family two-story frame dwelling, No. 92 Tuers Avenue, provided that the street and sidewalk level is not altered in any manner;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

My Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Louis Zimmerman to remove present partitions, closets, etc., on store floor, erect new brick piers and set new steel beams in three-story four-family frame building, No. 8 Jordan Avenue, changing frame dwelling for store purposes;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to James Brignolo to convert frame dwelling into store by building new store front in six-family, three-story frame building No. 396 Palisade Avenue;

Further Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the application of Fred Eckert for permission to erect frame addition to present two-story frame dwelling No. 186 Fairmount Avenue, be and the same is hereby referred to the Mayor and Superintendent of Buildings, with power.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the application of Knodles Express Company for permission to move present three-story frame building No. 264 Central Avenue to front-lot line and alter for store purposes be and the same is hereby referred to the Mayor and Superintendent of Buildings, with power.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

From J. C. Watkins, requesting permission to alter and build garage in cellar, 228 Bergen Avenue.

Received.

From D. Bloom, requesting permission to alter and build garage in cellar of 190 Seaview Avenue.

Received.

From Robert B. Morrison, requesting permission to build a garage in each cellar, No. 510 to 520 Garfield Avenue.

Received.

From Meta J. Conrad, requesting permission to alter and build garage at No. 1908 Boulevard.

Received.

From M. Genis, requesting permission to build brick addition, 499 Jackson Avenue.

Received.

From Millie Sigrin, requesting permission to build frame extension, 471 Palisade Avenue.

Received.

From Joseph Craw, requesting permission to alter for store purposes,. 75 Kearney Avenue.

Received.

From Wm. McOwan, requesting permission to alter for store, 577 Jackson Avenue.

Received.

From John Apicello, requesting permission to alter for store purposes, 269 Fairmount Avenue.

Received.

AUDITING CLAIMS

By Commissioner Bentley:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named for the following amounts and purposes:

POLICE

$66.15, William Bill, soap.
$10.31, Joseph H. Browne, sal soda.
$21.42, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.
$461.00, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.
$49.00, A. Datz Co., cards.
$143.60, Mrs. E. Dougherty, meals for prisoners.
$18.13, C. E. Edgecumbe, wire.
$165.13, W. L. Ellis, stationery.
$19.50, T. T. Finnerty, ice.
$125.17, Julius Frey, stable supplies.
$23.52, Garfunkle Brothers, lamps.
$35.28, C. F. Hansen, duty roll boards.
$58.18, Hendee Manufacturing Company, parts.
$20.80, Hudson Observer, advertising.
$14.62, H. Jasper, supplies.
$44.83, J. C. Lumber Company, lumber.
$23.55, J. C. Lumber Company, lumber.
$13.96, Keegan's Garage, parts.
$70.00, J. Kirkpatrick, horseshoeing.
$243.97, R. H. Perry Company, coal.
$17.50, C. D. Reese, shields (W. & M.).
$31.50, W. B. Richardson, transcript testimony.
$23.50, Soney & Sage, law books.
$28.91, Union Printing Company, book.
$15.00, Union Printing Company, printing.
$4.66, Whipple Hardware Company, curry combs.
$9.25, Keegan's Garage, parts.
$483.22, Carscallen & Cassidy
$82.80, Valvoline Oil Co.
$42.40, Valvoline Oil Co.
$20.00, Six and One Co.
$22.10, E. A. Williams & Son, Inc.
$9.66, Mutual Iron Works.
$2.50, Linde Air Products Co.
$15.90, Belle Meade Auto Sales Co.
$7.05, Am. La. France Fire Eng. Co.
$191.00, Am. La France Fire Eng. Co.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$151.74, Ahlmeyer Bros., repairs.
$1,169.26, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.
$64.68, Albert Datz Co., supplies.
$84.00, Fagan Iron Works, supplies.
$203.31, James P. Hall, Inc., supplies.
$107.35, James P. Hall, Inc., supplies.
$284.00, C. J. Lutton, horseshoeing.
$14.25, Mallinckrodt Chemical Works, supplies.
$54.00, T. J. Miskell, horseshoeing.
$75.00, R. Stanton, horseshoeing.
$425.00, A. Steiert & Son, brooms.
$14.05, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.
$29.53, Boonton Auto Garage, supplies.
$65.55, Adam Black, repairs.
$132.06, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.
$6.40, W. L. Doremus, horseshoeing.
$98.65, E. B. Dawson Co., supplies.
$32.61, Eimer & Amend, supplies.
$338.74, Expert Auto Tire Repair, repairs.
$40.00, G. Estler, carting.
$6.75, C. F. Hanson, supplies.
$11.00, Jersey City Supply Co., supplies.
$367.50, Leadite Co., supplies.
$92.83, New York Telephone Co., service.
$140.00, A. P. Smith Mfg. Co., supplies.
$135.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$10.00, Union Printing Company, printing.
$17.75, C. F. Hansen, supplies.
$15.75, New York Telephone Company, service.
$87.00, Union Printing Company, printing.

$4.00, Keegan's Garage, spring.

$3.00, Joseph Bardach, repairs.

$38.00, Reeside Company, Inc., supplies.

$275.23, L. Frey, prints.

$5.00, Underwood Typewriter Company, rental.

$7.70, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the City Treasurer in payment of the following claims:

$27.74, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$28.42, Herald Printing Company, stationery.

$17.64, The Cudahy Packing Company, polish.

$13.06, Joseph H. Browne, soap.

$24.01, A. Kuntz, supplies.

$40.77, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$4.75, A. J. Haesloop, supplies.

$20.33, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$2.00, A. J. Haesloop, screw drivers.

$12.12, A. J. Raesloop, garden forks.

$9.00, A. J. Haesloop, picks and handles.

$2.75, A. J. Haesloop, nails, saw blades, etc.

$21.90, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$9.00, Thomas L. Higgins, nails.

$39.20, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$5.75, Thomas L. Higgins, nails.

$2.00, Thomas L. Higgins, wood filler.

$3.80, Thomas L. Higgins, lampblack.

$5.75, Thomas L. Higgins, nails.

$89.10, John J. Corcoran, plumbing.

$8.00, R. Hoffman, repairs.

$37.40, John J. Corcoran, plumber repairs.

$19.00, Junction Milling Company, doors and sashes.

$18.82, George C. Lavery & Co., Inc., lumber.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PAYROLLS

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached payrolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being for services rendered during the periods specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to improve all that part of Halladay Street, between Newark and New York Railroad and Forrest Street, by improving with asphalt pavement on concrete base, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

There having been introduced at this meeting by Michael I. Fagen, Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to improve all that part of Halladay street between Newark and New York Railroad and Forrest Street by improving with asphalt pavement on concrete base, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917 and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof."

It is hereby resolved that said ordinance shall lie on the table until the meeting of this Board to be held on May 24, 1921, at the City Hall in Jersey City;

Further resolved, That at said time and place this Board consider the undertaking of the improvement proposed by said ordinance and the said ordinance itself, and that a hearing shall be then and there afforded to all persons whose lands may be affected by or who may be interested in such proposed improvement, both upon said proposed improvement and said ordinance;

Further resolved, That the City Clerk publish in the Jersey Journal and Hudson Observer on May 9 and 16, 1921, notice of the intention of this Board to consider such proposed improvement and ordinance. Said notice shall be in the form attached to this resolution.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That J. H. Cassell be and he is hereby appointed to the position of Inspector in the Department of Streets and Public Improvements at a salary of $2,100.00 per annum, his name having been certified by the Civil Service Commission as being eligible for appointment.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the sewer heretofore constructed under private auspices on Monmouth Street between Newark Avenue and Third Street, and dedicated by petition, having been examined by the Chief Engineer and satisfactorily reported on, be and is hereby accepted for the uses and benefits of the public.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to accept the street known as Corbin Avenue."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, William H. Browning, Assistant to the City Clerk, has requested by written petition that he be retired on half pay to take effect May 1, 1921; and

Whereas, Under the law providing for the retirement of Civil War veterans on half pay he is entitled to such retirement on half pay, having served the required number of years and having attained the required age; therefore be it

Resolved, That William H. Browning, Assistant to the City Clerk, be and he is hereby retired on half pay, to take effect May 1, 1921.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission has certified John F. Saturniewicz, of No. 159 Academy Street, Jersey City, as being eligible for appointment to the position of Senior Clerk-Stenographer; be it therefore

Resolved, That said John F. Saturniewicz be and he is hereby appointed Senior Clerk-Stenographer in the office of the City Collector, Department of Revenue and Finance, at an annual salary of Two Thousand Dollars ($2,000), payable in equal semi-monthly installments.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The Civil Service Commission has certified Miss Celestine E. Furlong of No. 240 Washington Street, Jersey City, as being eligible for appointment to the position of Senior Clerk-Stenographer; be it therefore

Resolved, That Miss Celestine E. Furlong be and she is hereby appointed to the position of Senior Clerk-Stenographer in the Department of Revenue and Finance, Bureau of Control, at an annual salary of One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars ($1,500), payable in equal semi-monthly installments.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

At this time Counsellor Jacob J. Singer, representing the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Counsellor Charles Rooney, representing the American Legion, and a delegation representing the various military organizations in Jersey City appeared before the Board. Mr. Singer advised the Board that the veterans had planned a memorial parade to take place on Memorial Day, but they were handicapped on account of lack of funds, and for this purpose they desired the co-operation of the Board of Commissioners in the same manner as last year. He also stated that the following committee had been selected to arrange for the parade: Mr. Hayes, representing the Veterans of Foreign Wars; Counsellor Charles E. Rooney, for the American Legion; Major E. Rikeman, for the G. A. R.; Dr. Broderick, for the Spanish-American War Veterans, and Commissioner Bentley to represent the Board of Commissioners.

The Mayor advised the delegation to confer with Commissioner Bentley, who shall in turn make a complete report to the Board of Commissioners so that appropriate action can be taken.

On motion of Commissioner Bentley the Board adjourned.

Approved:

JOHN BENTLEY,
MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
A. HARRY MOORE,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

Minutes of Meetings
of
Board of Commissioners

May, 1921

MEETING OF MAY 3, 1921

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, May 3, 1921, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

RECEPTION OF BIDS

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for furnishing and delivering 50,000 wooden blocks to the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, the City Clerk called for bids with the following result:

1. American Creosoting Company, $48.00 for each thousand, with surety company bond. (Delivered to Waldo Avenue yard of P. R. R.)

2. American Creosoting Company, $48.00 for each thousand, with surety company bond. (Delivered to city yard by trucks.)

3. Jennison-Wright Company, $3,000.00 for 50,000 blocks, with surety company bond.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received opened and read, and referred to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements for investigation and recommendation.

IMPROVEMENT HEARINGS

This time and place having been advertised as required by law for the purpose of considering the undertaking of the following improvements, and also for the purpose of considering ordinances covering said proposed improvements, and determining upon their adoption or rejection, as follows:

Improvement of Rose Avenue between Danforth Avenue and Cator Avenue.

Improvement of Lafayette Street from a point 100 feet west of Woodward Street to its westerly terminus.

Improvement of Bryant Avenue between Sip Avenue and its southerly terminus by construction of a sewer.

Improvement of Corbin Avenue between Stuyvesant Avenue and Sip Avenue.

The City Clerk read each public notice of hearing covering the above-described improvements, and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the undertaking of any of the above-described improvements.

No one appeared to protest and no

written protests were received against the undertaking of the improvement of Rose Avenue.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the undertaking of the improvement of Lafayette Street.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the improvement of Bryant Avenue by construction of a sewer. Written communications favoring the undertaking of the improvement were received from Mrs. James Brennan, 15 Bryant Avenue; Mrs. Catherine Sexton (estate of Michael F. Sexton), 5 Bryant Avenue, and Joseph Stissi, 19 Bryant Avenue. Several property owners also appeared and stated that they were in favor of the improvement.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the undertaking of the improvement of Corbin Avenue. Several property owners appeared before the board, and through Mr. Joiner stated that they were all in favor of the improvement being undertaken.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the ordinance covering the above-described proposed improvements were referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

CITY ORDINANCES

This time and place having been advertised for the purpose of considering the final passage of an ordinance providing for the making of private connections with sewer, gas and water mains or conduits for wires in Corbin Avenue, between Stuyvesant Avenue and Sip Avenue, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917, the City Clerk read the ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of said ordinance.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of said above-described ordinance.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the final passage of an ordinance providing for the making of private connections with sewer, gas and water mains or conduits for wires in Corbin Avenue, between Stuyvesant Avenue and Sip Avenue, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to May 9, 1921, at 2 p. m., in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

ALTERATION HEARINGS

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications:

Robert B. Morrison, garages, cellars, 510-520 Garfield Avenue.

Meta J. Conrad, garage cellar, 1908 Boulevard.

B. Frank, garage cellar, 253-255 Grant Avenue.

D. Bloom, garage cellar, 190 Seaview Avenue.

Dr. J. C. Watkins, garage cellar, 228 Bergen Avenue.

Jos. Craw, alteration for store, 75 Kearny Avenue.

J. Apicello, alteration for store, 269 Fairmount Avenue.

Wm. McOwan, alteration for store, 577 Jackson Avenue.

M. Genis, alteration for store, 499 Jackson Avenue.

M. Sigrin, alteration for store, 471 Palisade Avenue.

The City Clerk read each application and public notice of hearing and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of any of the above-described applications. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the granting of any of the above-described applications.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Robert B. Morrison to erect a garage in each of the cellars of the two and one-half story frame buildings Nos. 510, 512, 514, 516, 518 and 520 Garfield Avenue, as shown on plans attached to application, provided that the street and sidewalk level is not altered in any manner;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Meta J. Conrad to erect garage in cellar at rear of building in two and one-half story two-family brick building No. 1908 Boulevard, as shown on blue print attached to application, provided that the street and sidewalk level is not altered in any manner;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, that permission be and the same is hereby granted to Barnet Frank to erect garages in cellars of two-story two-family frame dwellings Nos. 253-255 Grant Avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application, provided that the street and sidewalk level is not altered in any manner;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to D. Bloom, to rebuild new porch and build garage in cellar of two-family, two-story frame dwelling, No. 190 Seaview avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application, provided that the street and sidewalk level is not altered in any manner;

Further resolved, That the Superintendant of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Dr. J. C. Watkins to build garage in cellar of present two-family, two-story frame building, No. 228 Bergen avenue, drive to start at building line as shown on plans attached to application, provided that the street and sidewalk level is not altered in any manner;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the application of Joseph Craw, requesting permission to remove present windows and build new store front at No. 75 Kearney avenue, be and the same is hereby referred to the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance for investigation and recommendation.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to John Apicello to put in store front under front piazza, converting a non-commercial to a commercial building in two-story, one-family frame building No. 269 Fairmount avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to William McOwan to build extension store front to lot line, sash not to project more than 12 inches over line, converting non-commercial to commercial building, and changing building from tenement to two-family house, in three-story frame building, 577 Jackson avenue, as shown on plans attached to application;

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the application of M. Genis for permission to erect one-story brick addition in rear of three-story, two-family frame store and dwelling, No. 499 Jackson avenue, be and the same is hereby referred to the Mayor and Superintendent of Building with power.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the application of Millie Sigrin for permission to erect two-story frame extension on top of present one-story brick extension of three-story two-family frame building, No. 471 Palisade avenue, be and the same is hereby referred to the Mayor and Superintendent of Buildings with power.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

From the Fairmount Terminal Association, Inc., requesting permission for franchise for the construction of an industrial railroad in the Fairmount terminal district of the city to be known as the Fairmount Terminal Railroad.

Received and on motion of the Mayor, the City Clerk was directed to set a hearing in the matter for May 24, 1921, at 3 p. m., in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

From Board of Freeholders of Essex county, submitting copy of resolution adopted by them on April 14, 1921, regarding the under-valuation of property in other counties of the State as compared with Hudson and Essex counties, and requesting the co-operation of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City with the Freeholders of Essex and Hudson counties.

Received and referred to the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

From I. Silverstein, requesting permission to erect electric sign at 377 Grove street.

Received.

From Michael Cassek, requesting permission to remove partitions, and erect brick extension at 370 Jackson avenue.

Received.

From A. J. Wikander, requesting permission to erect garage in cellar of 52 Stegman street.

Received.

From S. Gugliotta, requesting permission to alter and convert part of first story living apartment into store at 340 Palisade avenue.

Received.

AUDITING CLAIMS

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$63.70, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$96.04, Baldwin Lumber Company, supplies.

$501.99, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$2.00, J. W. Greene, supplies.

$66.00, Hudson Real Estate Company, insurance.

$18.00, Keuffel & Esser Company, supplies.

$64.00, Union Printing Company, supplies.

$9.75, Union Printing Company, supplies.

$56.00, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$7.75, Walter J. Coleman, supplies.

$70.50, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$68.77, Pennsylvania Salt Manufacturing Company, supplies.

$24.01, Union Printing Company, supplies.

$5.00, Williams & Wilkins Company, subscription.

$0.75, Whipple Hardware, supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Director Bentley:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named for the following amounts and purposes:

$40.88, Blakeslee Cadillac Company, parts.

$311.16, Gulf Refining Company, gasoline.

$153.47, Gulf Refining Company, gasoline.

$453.22, Gulf Refining Company, gasoline.

$34.55, Emil Landeck, cards.

$28.52, C. F. Hansen, paper.

$3.75, McCloskey Drug Company, naphthaline.

$12.00, National Gas Governor Company, rental regulators.

$70.00, O. L. Nordine, horseshoeing.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$50.00, Kelly's Garage, storage.

$8.20, Blakeslee Cadillac Company, auto supplies.

$17.50, John F. Kelly, auto supplies.

$2.00, Albert Datz Company, repairing dater.

$427.50, Union Printing Company, 15,000 tax bills.

$370.00, Union Printing Company, 40,000 envelopes.

$88.50, Union Printing Company, one large cash book.

$101.92, Evening Journal, advertising.

$20.02, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$13.20, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$12.24, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$4.50, Lily Cup Company, Inc., 1,000 cups.

$0.90, Underwood Typewriter Company, repairing machine.

$1.50, Thomas F. Martin, copy Chapter 295.

$204.92, Sarco Company of New Jersey, transcripts.

$20.00, A. J. Doan & Son, printing.

$21.15, Chas. F. Hansen, stationery.

$1.50, Great Bear Spring Company, water.

$48.00, Wm. R. Harrison, photographing.

$58.50, Union Printing Company, 1,000 reports printed.

$72.00, Union Printing Company, three large search books.

$70.50, Union Printing Company, 36,000 search forms.

$72.00, Union Printing Company, three large search books.

$58.50, Union Printing Company, 50 large tax rate cards printed.

$64.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$77.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$394.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$427.50, Union Printing Company, 15,000 large tax bills.

$3.25, Union Towel Supply Company, towel service.

$80.85, Emil Landeck, printing.

$5.00, Great Bear Spring Company, water.

$10.15, New York Telephone Company, service.

$24.00, Hudson Observer, Not. hearing theatre.

$5.88, Evening Journal Association, Ord. standard time.

$12.16, Evening Journal Association, Prop. election booths.

$11.52, Hudson Observer, Prop. election booths.

$5.88, Hudson Observer, Ord. standard time.

$21.84, Evening Journal Association, Prop. masons' materials.

$8.04, Evening Journal Association, Ord. $989.08 judgment.

$6.64, Evening Journal Association, Ord. standard time.

$21.32, Evening Journal Association, Prop. coal.

$1.20, C. F. Hansen, supplies.

$240.00, Evening Journal Association, Not. primary ballot.

$288.00, Hudson Observer, Not. primary ballot.

$882.00, Hudson Observer, election notice.

$15.40, Evening Journal Association, Not. polling places.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the City Treasurer in payment of the following claims:

$8.00, John Kirkpatrick, horseshoeing.

$141.20, S. J. Crawford Company, plumbing.

$30.00, Henry and John C. Delatush, insurance.

$30.00, Roth & Miller, Inc., insurance.

$16.55, W. A. Barclay, plumber repairs.

$38.28, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$294.00, George W. Irving, plumbing.

$50.00, Lafayette Window Cleaning Company, cleaning windows.

$8.25, Edward Ehrbar, Inc., auto material.

$52.92, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$23.52, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$13.40, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$55.00, William C. Pierce, repairing chairs.

$20.28, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$21.32, The Evening Journal Association, advertising.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following named claimants for the amounts and purposes indicated:

$18.00, Boulevard Lace & Embroidery Co., bands.

$36.70, M. Miller, supplies.

$597.46, Hudson Co. S. P. C. A., dog wagon service.

$190.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

$29.77, A. B. Kuntz, repairing motor.

$23.05, Palisade Auto Supply Co., repairing tubes.

$5.50, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$22.50, The Lilly Cup Co., Lilly cups.

$5.00, George W. Irving, plumbing repairs.

$182.28, C. D. Reese, license plates.

$72.23, Emil Landeck, printing.

$9.04, Charles F. Hansen, supplies.

$111.72, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, antitoxin.

$12.40, Andrew Stovekin, testing milk.

$10.00, Alex. Scott, storage.

$5.00, Dempsey Bros., gold badge.

$2.50, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$27.25, Union Printing Co., printing.

$14.64, Hudson Observer, advertisement.

$16.56, Evening Journal Ass'n, advertisement.

$21.14, Public Service Gas Co., gas.

$62.78, Public Service Electric Co., light.

$18.48, N. Y. Telephone Co., service.

$42.86, Henry J. McDermott, ice.

$70.44, Jerome O'Keefe, supplies.

$31.85, Joseph T. Sack, supplies.

$21.21, C. J. McCloskey, medical supplies.

$18.08, Joseph Sack, supplies.

$68.60, Albert Datz Co., printing.

$17.64, Jerome O'Keefe, supplies.

$22.05, Union Printing Co., printing.

$52.78, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$20.00, Metropolitan Bldg. & W. C. Co., cleaning windows.

$2.00, Charles E. Hamblen, shrimp.

$56.84, E. J. Beggane, white steel locker.

$20.80, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$20.88, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$20.80, Evening Journal Ass'n, advertising.

$100.84	Blakeslee Cadillac Co., repairs and supplies.
$15.25	C. A. Woolsey Paint & Color Co., paint.
$20.28	Evening Journal Ass'n, advertising.
$44.20	McCloskey Drug Co., medical supplies.
$55.00	National Casket Co., metal-lined ambulance basket.
$150.00	N. J. Window Cleaning Co., cleaning windows.
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$5.00	Charles E. Hamblen, oysters.
$5.60	W. H. Walthery, sauerkraut.
$305.81	A. Silz, Inc., fowl and beef.
$15.03	The Mallinckrodt Works, chemicals.
$98.40	Wm. C. Hagen, bacon and ham.
$37.24	Union Printing Co., printing.
$28.42	Jerome O'Keefe, supplies.
$26.46	A. Hopler, ash cans.
$230.20	Charles H. Nolte, eggs.
$474.31	Charles H. Nolte, butter.
$84.50	A. Silz, Inc., chicken.
$158.07	A. Silz, Inc., meat and fowl.
$42.39	McCloskey Drug Co., medical supplies.
$55.86	Haggerty Bros. & Co., bottles.
$23.23	Jerome O'Keefe, dry goods.
$19.50	William Bill, groceries.
$4.44	Joseph H. Browne, salt.
$3.50	McCloskey Drug Co., drugs.
$26.16	John Mooney, drugs.
$6.10	Otto Wilkens, supplies.
$29.35	McKesson & Robbins, Inc., supplies.
$370.44	General Baking Co., bread.
$221.38	Ammon & Person, eggs.
$124.36	Seabury & Johnson, gauze bandages.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PAY ROLLS.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached payrolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being payment for services rendered by the temporary employes at the Boonton and Dover plant of the Jersey City Water Works, during the periods specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS.

From Mayor Hague, submitting communication received by him from the Clergymen's Community Club of Jersey City, protesting against the Carpentier-Dempsey boxing exhibition to be held on July 2nd, with the suggestion that the matter be taken up with the Law Department so that the Board may be advised what the status of the Commission is with regard to this protest.

Received, and on motion of the Mayor the communication was referred to the Law Department with a request that they advise the Board what the status of the Commission is with regard to this protest.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance providing for smoke inspection and abatement."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements contract for furnishing and delivering cast iron water pipe for use in Jersey City, N. J., be and the same is hereby awarded to R. D. Wood Company, at the price named in their bid, namely, fifty-three dollars and ninety-five cents ($53.95) per ton, there being no lower bid received; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements contract for the regulating and repaving with sheet asphalt on concrete foundation the roadway between the brick gutters on Cator Avenue from the Boulevard to Fowler Avenue, be and the same is hereby awarded to W. T. S. Crichfield, at the price named in his bid, namely, ninety-eight (98%) per cent. of the standard, his being the lowest bid received; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, contract for regulating and repaving with sheet asphalt on present stone block foundation the roadway of Bramhall Avenue between Bergen Avenue and Arlington Avenue (excepting such portion now paved with wooden block pavement) excluding such portion as lies between the tracks, the portion outside the rails for a width of six (6″) inches is to be paved with wooden block pavement over present concrete base, be and the same is hereby awarded to W. T. S. Crichfield, at the price named in his bid, namely, ninety-eight per cent (98%) of the standard, his being the lowest bid received; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements contract for the regulating and repaving with sheet asphalt on present stone block and concrete foundation the roadway of Pavonia Avenue and Ninth Street, between West Hamilton Place and Coles Street, Coles Street between Eighth Street and Ninth Street, Monmouth Street and Brunswick Street between Sixth Street and Seventh Street and Sixth Street between Monmouth Street and Brunswick Street, be and the same is hereby awarded to W. T. S. Crichfield, at the price named in his bid, namely one hundred and one (101%) per cent. of the standard, his being the lowest bid received; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering masons' materials, such as cement, lime, brick, sand, etc., be and is hereby awarded to James P. Hall, Inc., at the price named in their proposal, namely:

About 27,500 North River hard burned brick at $19.50 per thousand.

About 1,800 bags Portland cement, Atlas or its equal, at 87 cents per bag.

About 1,100 cubic yards cow bay sand at $2 per cubic yard.

About 50 cubic yards clean, sharp building sand at $2 per cubic yard.

About 900 cubic yards clean, washed gravel, one-quarter inch, at $3.45 per cubic yard.

About 600 cubic yards grit at $3.75 per cubic yard.

About 100 lineal feet of 6-inch vitrified pipe at 29 cents per lineal foot.

About 500 lineal feet of 8-inch vitrified pipe at 45 cents per lineal foot.

About 100 lineal feet of 10-inch vitrified pipe at 68 cents per lineal foot.

About 200 lineal feet of 12-inch vitrified pipe at 87 cents per lineal foot.

About 100 lineal feet of 16-inch vitrified pipe at $1.17 per lineal foot.

About 100 lineal feet of 18-inch vitrified pipe at $1.62 per lineal foot.

There being no lower bidder, the Corporation Attorney be and is hereby directed to prepare and have executed necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements specifications prepared by the Assistant Chief Engineer, and approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, for the improvement of Corbin avenue between Sip avenue and Stuyvesant avenue, with sheet asphalt on concrete foundation, be and are hereby adopted, and ordered filed, and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements specifications prepared by the Assistant Chief Engineer, and approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, for the improvement of Rose avenue between Danforth avenue and Cator avenue, with sheet asphalt on concrete foundation, be and are hereby adopted, and ordered filed, and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the contract for repairs to asphalt pavements which are not under guarantee to December 31, 1921, be and is hereby awarded to W. T. S. Crichfield, at the price named in their proposal, namely, 124½ per cent. of the standard, there being no lower bidder, and the Corporation Attorney be and is hereby directed to prepare and have executed necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That dating from the first inst. the following named men be and they are appointed as Clerks in the Bureau of Street Cleaning, Department of Streets and Public Improvements, at a salary of $2,100 each per annum, their names having been certified by the Civil Service Commission as being eligible for said position: Henry C. Cassell, William C. Linne, William T. Hefferman, Paul A. Burke, Charles O. Birmeli, Thomas Folger, Jr.; James R. Rubino, Irving Cabell, John J. White, Michael Rubino and Leo John McGrath.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass on first reading:

An ordinance to improve all that part of Corbin avenue between Stuyvesant avenue and Sip avenue, in the city of Jersey City, by improving with asphalt pavement on a concrete base, in conformity with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Whereas, It is deemed advisable by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements that Corbin avenue between Stuyvesant avenue and Sip avenue should be improved; therefore, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

That all that part of Corbin avenue between Stuyvesant avenue and Sip avenue, in the City of Jersey City, County of Hudson and State of New Jersey, shall be improved as follows:

1. To have the street for the full width of carriageway graded to the established grade by excavating or filling the same to the established grade.

2. To have the present curb reset in

concrete where necessary and new 5x 16-inch curb set in concrete where necessary.

3. To have the carriageway forty (40) feet in width, paved with asphalt pavement on a six (6) inch concrete base, and all other work done that may be necessary to provide for the flow of the surface water and to complete the improvement in good and substantial manner; said improvement to be made in conformity with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917 and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof and in accordance with specifications to be specially prepared.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as being ready for passage on first reading:

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed on first reading and ordered laid on the table for a period of one week by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass on first reading:

An ordinance to improve all that part of Lafayette street from a point 100 feet west of Woodward street to its westerly terminus, a distance of about 110 feet, in the City of Jersey City, by improving with Belgian block pavement on a concrete base, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Whereas, It is deemed advisable by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements that Lafayette street from a point 100 feet west of Woodward street to its westerly terminus should be improved; therefore, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

That all that part of Lafayette street from a point 100 feet west of Woodward street to its westerly terminus, a distance of about 110 feet, in the City of Jersey City, County of Hudson and State of New Jersey, shall be improved as follows:

1. To have the street graded for the full width thereof to the established grade by excavating or filling same to the established grade.

2. To have cement curb set on south side thereof.

3. To have new cement walk four (4) feet in width laid.

4. To have the carriageway paved thirty (30) feet in width with clipped Belgian blocks on a concrete base (blocks to be furnished by the city) and all other work done that may be necessary to provide for the flow of the surface water and to complete the improvement in a good and substantial manner, said improvement to be made in conformity to the provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917 and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof and in accordance with specifications to be specially prepared.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as being ready for passage on first reading.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed on first reading and ordered laid on the table for a period of one week by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass on first reading:

An ordinance to improve all that part of Rose avenue between Danforth avenue and Cator avenue, in the City of Jersey City, by improving with sheet asphalt on a concrete base (excepting such portion as lies between the tracks; also except the portion along the rails for a width of six (6) inches, which shall be paved with wooden block), in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Whereas, It is deemed advisable by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements that Rose avenue between Danforth avenue and Cator avenue should be improved;

therefore, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

That all that part of Rose avenue between Danforth avenue and Cator avenue, in the City of Jersey City, County of Hudson and State of New Jersey, shall be improved as follows:

1. To have the street graded for the full width thereof to the established grade by excavating or filling same to the established grade.

2. To have new 5x16-inch bluestone curb set in concrete where necessary.

3. To have new cement walks five (5) feet in width laid on the easterly side thereof.

4. To have the carriageway paved 36 feet in width with sheet asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation (excepting such portion as lies between the tracks; also except the portion along the rails for a width of six (6) inches, which shall be paved with wooden block) and all other work done that may be necessary to provide for the flow of the surface water and to complete the improvement in a good and substantial manner, said improvement to be made in conformity with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof, and in accordance with specifications to be specially prepared.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as being ready for passage on first reading.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed on first reading and ordered laid on the table for a period of one week by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass on first reading:

An ordinance to improve all that part of Bryant Avenue between Sip Avenue and its southerly terminus, in the City of Jersey City, by the construction of a sewer, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Whereas, It is deemed advisable by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements that Bryant Avenue between Sip Avenue and its southerly terminus should be improved,

Therefore, The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

That all that part of Bryant Avenue, between Sip Avenue and its southerly terminus, in the City of Jersey City, County of Hudson and State of New Jersey, shall be improved as follows:

1. To cause a 15-inch vitrified pipe sewer to be constructed in Bryant Avenue, from a point about 356 feet south of Sip Avenue to Sip Avenue sewer, together with all the necessary manholes, receiving basins and appurtenances, all in accordance with the established plan of sewerage; said improvement to be made in conformity to the provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof, and in accordance with specifications to be specially prepared.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as being ready for passage on first reading.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed on first reading and ordered laid on the table for a period of one week, by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That, dating from April 25, 1921, upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, Messrs. George A. Corey and Frank Hayes be and they are hereby appointed as Chauffeurs in the Bureau of Motor Vehicles, Department of Streets and Public Improvements, at a salary of $1,800.00 each per annum, their names having been certified by the Civil Service Commission as being eligible for the position.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, The O. J. Gude Company filed with the Director of Revenue and Finance an application for a license to paint advertising signs upon fences, buildings and all other structures wherever placed in Jersey City, and has deposited with the Director of Revenue and Finance the sum of $250.00 annual charge for said license, therefore be it

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of Revenue and Finance, a license be and the same is hereby granted to the O. J. Gude Company to paint advertising signs upon fences, buildings and all other structures wherever placed in Jersey City, which license shall expire July 1, 1922, and shall be governed by the provisions of an ordinance regulating the painting of advertising signs in Jersey City, passed by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City August 19, 1915.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, In anticipation of the receipt of taxes to be levied or of taxes levied and not delinquent, this municipality may borrow and have obligations outstanding to provide such moneys as may be necessary to meet its lawful expenditures under the appropriations for the year for which such taxes are levied or are to be levied, to-wit., the fiscal year 1921; therefore be it

Resolved, That in pursuance of Chapter 192, P. L. 1917, approved March 28, 1917, as amended the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do and they hereby authorize and direct that Tax Anticipation Notes of the City of Jersey City be issued to the amount of $200,000, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum, payable July 1, 1921, and at maturity; said notes to be dated May 5, 1921, to become due and payable December 31, 1921, or sooner if called by the City, and shall be signed by the Mayor and the Director of Revenue and Finance and attested by the City Clerk.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners for the furnishing and delivering of coal to municipal buildings for season ending March 31, 1922, and

Whereas, The bid of R. H. Perry & Co. was the only bid received; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for the furnishing and delivering of coal to municipal buildings, as per specifications, be and is hereby awarded to R. H. Perry & Co. at the price named in their bid:

Egg coal, $13.25 per gross ton (2,240 pounds).

Stove coal, $13.50 per gross ton (2,240 pounds).

Chestnut coal, $13.50 per gross ton (2,240 pounds).

Pea coal, $11.50 per gross ton (2,240 pounds).

—and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for the same.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, The name of Frank A. Deisler has been certified by the Civil Service Commission as first on the eligible list for the position of Industrial Recreation Instructor; therefore be it

Resolved, That Frank A. Deisler be and he is hereby appointed as Industrial Recreation Instructor in the Department of Parks and Public Property at the salary of $2,500 per year, effective May 3, 1921.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

My Mayor Hague:

Whereas, In the resolution adopted by the Board of Commissioners on

March 15, 1921, awarding the contract for furnishing linen, flannel, etc., to the City Hospital, through a typographical error the contract was awarded to H. W. Baker & Co., the correct name of which company is the H. W. Baker Linen Co.; therefore be it

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board on March 15, 1921, be amended so as to read that the contract be awarded to the H. W. Baker Linen Co. instead of H. W. Baker & Co.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, In the resolution adopted by the Board of Commissioners on March 15, 1921, awarding the contract for furnishing linen, flannel, etc., to the City Hospital, through a typographical error, the contract was awarded to Furst & Co., the correct name of which company is the Furst Contract Dept.; therefore be it

Resolved, That the resolution adopted by this Board on March 15, 1921, be amended so as to read that the contract be awarded to the Furst Contract Dept. instead of Furst & Co.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, There has been conducted in Jersey City during the past two years, under the combined auspices of the Jersey City Chamber of Commerce, the Jersey City Woman's Club and the Board of City Commissioners, a series of public curb markets; and

Whereas, These curb markets have been instrumental in reducing to some extent the high cost of living for the people of our city through the providing of fresh vegetables and other farm products at cost prices; and

Whereas, Owing to the early spring the farm season is considerably advanced and a number of farmers, who have regularly patronized the Jersey City markets, are now prepared to send their wagons into the city; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Board of City Commissioners of Jersey City, by virtue of this resolution, do hereby establish farmers' curb markets at Jersey and Newark avenues, Summit and Jewett avenues, Central and Booraem avenues and Hoboken and Oakland avenues, to be opened on Saturday, May 14, and to be conducted under the same rules and regulations as have been previously adopted by this Board and are now on file in the Department of Weights and Measures.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

At this time Mr. Joseph Dillon appeared before the Board in behalf of several property owners in the neighborhood of Lot 28, Block 1281-A, No. 1937-1939 Boulevard, and protested against the erection of a garage which is now in the course of construction on said premises. Mr. Dillon stated that the property is restricted by deed to 1935; that the Zoning Commission had ordered the work stopped after having issued the permit and that notwithstanding these facts the applicant is proceeding with the work; that the garage will be a detriment to the surrounding property, increase the fire hazard, and further that the garage will be erected right up to the building line, and in that way obstruct the stoops and porches of the adjoining residences.

After discussion by the Board the following resolution was presented:

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, A protest has been made by citizens of the city, property owners, in the neighborhood of Lot 28, Block 1281-A, No. 1937-1939 Boulevard, Jersey City, for which premises application was made for a permit to build a garage; and

Whereas, Said property is restricted by deed; and

Whereas, further, The building of a garage on the premises would be a detriment to the surrounding property because of the fact that it would increase the fire hazard; therefore be it

Resolved, That for the reasons above presented by the objectors, that the building permit heretofore granted on April 4, 1921, by the Building Department of Jersey City, to G. P. Winter for the construction of a garage on Lot 28, Block 1281-A, 1937-1939 Boulevard, be and the same is hereby revoked and for nothing holden.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Whereas, The next regular meeting day of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City is Tuesday, May 10, 1921, upon which day the municipal election of Commissioners will be held; therefore be it

Resolved, That the next regular meeting day of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City be and the same is hereby fixed for Monday, May 9, 1921, at 2 p. m. in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'Building Code,' passed September, 17, 1907, and approved October 1, 1907."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Mayor Hague:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance of building districts and restrictions known as the Building Zone Ordinance of Jersey City, N. J."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Mayor Hague:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to authorize the making of a contract by the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City with the Lehigh Valley Harbor Terminal Company for an extension of the sewer known as the Richard Street Sewer; and to acquire certain lands necessary for the extension of said sewer; and to permit said Lehigh Valley Harbor Terminal Railway Company to acquire certain lands; and granting to said Lehigh Valley Harbor Terminal Railway Company the right to use certain other lands; and to provide for the construction of a roadway from the present terminus of Chapel avenue."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

On motion of Commissioner Bentley the Board adjourned.

Approved,

JOHN BENTLEY,
MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JABES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF MAY 9, 1921

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Monday, May 9, 1921, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Absent: Mayor Hague (excused).

In the absence of Mayor Hague, Commissioner Gannon, Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and Vice-Mayor, presided.

RECEPTION OF BIDS:

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for the improvement of Lafayette street with Belgian block pavement, the City Clerk called for bids with the following results:

1. Graham VanKeuren, 110 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

2. VanKeuren Contracting Company, 110 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received opened and read, and referred to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements for investigation and recommendation.

IMPROVEMENT HEARINGS:

The hearing on the final passage of ordinances covering the proposed following improvements:

Improvement of Lafayette street, from a point 100 feet west of Woodward street, to its southerly terminus; improvement of Rose avenue, between Danforth avenue and Cator avenue; improvement of Bryant avenue, between Sip avenue and its southerly terminus by constructing sewer; improvement of Corbin avenue, between Stuyvesant avenue and Sip avenue, all in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917, and the various amendments thereto and supplements thereof, having been adjourned and continued to this time and place, and the City Clerk having caused to be advertised the fact that the final passage of the ordinances covering the above described improvements would be considered by the Board of Commissioners at this time and place, the City Clerk read each ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of any of said ordinances. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the ordinances were referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

FRANCHISE HEARINGS:

This time and place having been advertised for the purpose of considering the final passage of an ordinance entitled: "An ordinance to accept the street known as Corbin avenue," the City Clerk read the ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of said ordinance. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of said above described ordinance.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen the ordinance was referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

CITY ORDINANCES:

The hearing on the final passage of an ordinance providing for the making of prviate connections with sewer, gas and water mains or conduits for wires in Corbin avenue, between Stuyvesant avenue and Sip avenue, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917, and the various amendments thereto and supplements thereof, having been adjourned and continued to this time and place, the City Clerk read the ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of said ordinance. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of said ordinance.

On motion of Commissioner Fagen, the ordinance was referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

ALTERATION HEARINGS:

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications:

Michael Cassak, removal partitions and erect brick extension, 370 Jackson avenue; A. J. Wikander, garage in cellar, 52 Stegman street; I. Silverstein, electric sign, 377 Grove street. The City Clerk read each application and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of any of said applications. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the granting of any of the above described applications.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the application of Michael Cassak for permission to remove hall partition and erect brick extension at 370 Jackson avenue, be and the same is hereby referred to the Mayor and Superintendent of Buildings with power.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to A. J. Wikander to erect garage in cellar of two-story, two-family frame dwelling No. 52 Stegman Street, as shown on blue print attached to application, provided that the street and sidewalk level is not altered in any manner; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to I. Silverstein to erect electric sign to extend 6 feet from building line at 377 Grove Street, as shown on blue print attached to application; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS.

From Tex. Rickard, Lessee, requesting permission to erect one-story frame stadum at Factory and Bright Streets.

Received.

From residents and property owners in the vicinity of 81-101 Ferry Street, protesting against the smoke nuisance issuing from the musical instrument factory conducted by Oscar Schmidt at said location.

In connection with the foregoing protest, several persons who signed the protest appeared and strongly protested the continuation of the smoke nuisance.

Counsellor Joseph Autenreith appeared with Mr. Walter Schmidt, owner of the plant, and stated that Mr. Schmidt has agreed to remedy the condition; that he now has under consideration two bids for the construction of a chimney thirty feet higher than the present one; that he also has under consideration the installation of a smoke condenser; that the matter is being taken up with engineers and a report will be ready for presentation to the Board of Commissioners on Monday next.

Health Officer James J. Hagan, who was instructed to make an investigation, submitted a communication stating that an inspector had visited the premises and that Mr. Schmidt had given him assurances that the chimney will be extended about thirty feet, which it is expected will bring about the abatement of the nuisance.

Mr. Blenkle, one of the signers on the protest, stated that the protestants are not desirous of antagonizing Mr. Schmidt and would give him the necessary time to remedy the condition.

Commissioner Fagen stated that the smoke condenser would not be a practical method unless the smoke can be utilized for some other purpose and suggested that Mr. Schmidt bale the shavings and sawdust and the other material causing the smoke, and dispose of it in some other manner instead of burning.

After discussion the Board advised Mr. Schmidt to abate the nuisance immediately and to see that this nuisance is discontinued for one week at which time the report shall be submitted to the Board.

In conclusion Mr. Schmidt agreed not to burn the shavings and sawdust, and to burn only hard coal, thus eliminating the nuisance; further, that he will submit the report to the Board on Monday, May 16, 1921.

AUDITING CLAIMS.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named for the following amounts and purposes:

$23.79, Baker, Murray and Imbrie, parts.

$88.00, A. Datz Co., election returns.

$32.00, A. Datz Co., pay rolls.

$18.00, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., repairs.

$1.08, McCloskey Drug Co., tar paper.

$8.00, J. A. Vill & Son, supplies.

$175.00, J. H. Walter, tuition.

$3.75, Western Union Telegraph Co., rental clock.

$22.05, F. B. Brill.

$240.10, Julius Frey.

$1.40, Commercial Acetylene Supply Co.

$8.30, Whipple Hardware Co.

$325.00, Smith & Kelleher.

$6.00, Standard Oxygen Co.

$9.00, Edmund Macion.

$61.25, I. Judge.

$7.00, Wilson Welding Repair Co.

$21.48, Jos. Sack.

$27.65, F. B. Brill.

$13.50, Interstate Chemical Co.

$23.00, Whipple Hardware Co.

$321.75, Am. La France Fire Engine Co.

$15.00, U. S. Rubber Co.

$281.76, Standard Oil Co.

$359.13, Standard Oil Co.

$82.46, Joseph H. Browne.

$22.05, East Coast Electric Supply Co.

$89.96, Walter J. Coleman.

$76.55, Valvoline Oil Co.

$17.64, Jos. T. Sack.

$97.02, Albert Datz Co.

$405.51, Carscallen & Cassidy.

$21.59, Garfunkel Bros.

$122.50, I. Judge.

$23.70, Garfunkel Bros.

$1.50, Underwood Typewriter Co.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$13.05, Ahlmeyer Bros., repairs.

$6.00, T. F. Aaron, signs.

$528.13, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$533.69, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$21.84, Evening Journal Ass'n, advertising.

$22.00, Frank Fitzgerald, reimbursement.

$102.00, Chas. Hvass & Co., supplies.

$21.32, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$62 00, Hudson Real Estate, insurance.

$10.80, Charles F. Hansen, supplies.

$425.00, A. Steiert & Son, supplies.

$21.00, Adolph Walters Sons, badges.

$80.00, Stillman & Van Siclen, tests.

$49.00, Auto Economy Co., supplies.

$15.85, Sadie Bernstein, refund.

$118.25, Belle Meade Corporation, supplies.

$15.58, Battery Service Co., supplies.

$9.67, Blakeslee Cadillac Co., supplies.

$22.35, J. H. Brown, supplies.

$73.30, Coleman Auto Electric Service, supplies.

$1.00, D. L. & W. Railroad, rent.

$17.30, Digestive Ferments Co., supplies.

$9.60, Evening Journal, advertising.

$287.60, Expert Auto Tire Repair, repairs.

$5.25, Eimer & Amend, supplies.

$14.00, General Machine Iron Works, repairs.

$62.00, Hudson Real Estate, insurance.

$9.12, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$53.46, Hudson Co. Storage Battery, supplies.

$24.76, T. L. Higgins, supplies.

$174.15, Jersey City Lumber Co., lumber.

$98.25, Geo. C. Lavery Co., supplies.

$16.05, Thomas F. Merseles, refund.

$164.51, Elvin Merten, supplies.

$405.05, Palace Garage, supplies.

$107.54, William Tirner, supplies.

$7.14, Thompson Meter Co., supplies.

$2,163.95, Taxes Township of Montville.

$31,476.23, Taxes Town of Boonton.

$780.04, Taxes Township of Lyndhurst.

$40,243.90, Taxes Township of Hanover.

$3,978.00, Taxes Township of Cedar Grove.

$108.79, Taxes City of Clifton.

$225.00, Union Printing Co., supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$18.00, Hudson Observer, notice election.

$108.00, Hudson Observer, election notice.

$192.00, Hudson Observer, election notice.

$124.80, Hudson Observer, election notice.

$871.50, Hudson Observer, election notice.

$99.72, Hudson County Independent, election notice.

$15.43, New York Telephone Co., service.

$2.731.50, Hudson Observer, official ballots election.

$10.85, Union Towel Supply Co., service.

$22.50, W. J. Coleman, supplies.

$7.92, Evening Journal Association, advertising ordinance.

$21.32, Hudson Observer, prop. masons materials

$20.80, Hudson Observer, prop. coal.

$5.52, Hudson Observer, ordinance standard time.

$20.00, Hudson Observer, election posters.

$16.80, Evening Journal Association, election notice.

$16.80, Hudson Dispatch, election notice.

$378.00, O'Brien & Keilt, candle holders.

$210.00, OBrien & Keilt, candles.

$11.64, Evening Journal Association, ordinance Armour & Co.

$11.64, Evening Journal Association, ordinance Armour & Co.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application Wilson.

$2 00, Evening Journal Association, application Premier Hat.

$2.00, Evening Journal Association, application DiBarba

$2.00, Evening Journal Association, applcation McCloskey.

$2.00, Evening Journal Association, application Manhattan Tailor.

$2.00, Evening Journal Association, application Kleinhaus.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application Watson.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application Romane.

$2.00, Evening Journal Association, application National Central Theatre.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application Higgins.

$1.92, Hudson Observer, application Premier Hat.

$1.92, Hudson Observer, application McCloskey.

$1.92, Hudson Observer, application Manhattan Tailor.

$11.64, Hudson Observer, Ordinance Armour & Co.

$11.64, Hudson Observer, Ordinance Armour & Co.

$1.92, Hudson Observer, application DiBarba.

$1.92, Hudson Observer, application Kleinhaus.

$3.74, Hudson Observer, application Wilson.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application Knoedles.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application Bolz.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, applcation Zimmerman.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application Eckert.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application Glock.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application Harris.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, applicaton Brignolia.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application Gevis.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application Frank.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application Apicello.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application Sirgin.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application Bloom.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application Conrad.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application Morrison.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application Watkins.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application McOwan.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application Craw.

$11.40, Hudson Observer, ordinance final, Armour & Co.

$11.40, Hudson Observer, ordinance final, Armour & Co.

$3.74, Hudson Observer, application Eckert

$3.96, Hudson Observer, application Zimmerman.

$4.18, Hudson Observer, application Knoedles.

$3.74, Hudson Observer, application Brignolia.

$3.52, Hudson Observer, application Bolz.

$3.30, Hudson Observer, application Harris.

$3.96, Hudson Observer, application Glock.

$3.74, Hudson Observer, application Watson.

$3.52, Hudson Observer, application Romane.

$3.30, Hudson Observer, application Higgins.

$1.92, Hudson Observer, application National-Central Theatres.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the City Treasurer, in payment of the following claims:

$982.42, Jersey City Lumber Co., lumber.

$3.50, J. Harris, glass.

$12.46, Charles H. Engler Lumber Company, lumber.

$262.50, J. L. Mott Iron Works, benches.

$23.18, S. Levy, bases.

$21.25, Charles Read Company, insurance.

$42.92, Charles H. Engler Lumber Company, lumber.

$120.00, J. F. Connors, rent.

$175.00, Elliott-Kiel Company, Inc., repairs.

$5.75, Fleischman Brothers, repairs.

$120.00, Hartung Brothers, supplies.

$56.25, Harry Shick, insurance.

$28.13, Harry Shick, insurance.

$24.50, Charles H. Engler, Lumber Company, lumber.

$24.50, Charles H. Engler Lumber Company, lumber.

$1,288.00, Whipple Hardware Company, wire fabric.

$25.68, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

$267.10, Whipple Hardware Company, wire cloth.

$45.75, Western Union Telegraph Co., clocks.

$9.00, F. B. Brill, wire staples.

$16.20, Patton-Pitcairn Division, material.

$13.50, Joseph H. Browne, paper towels.

$89.90, W. A. Barclay, repairs and supplies.

$27.86, Blakeslee-Cadillac Company, supplies.

$74.58, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$20.40, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$45.42, A. J. Haesloop, Yale Locks, etc.

$16.00, William R. Harrison, photographing.

$7.65, Thomas L. Higgins, playground material.

$8.81, A. J. Haesloop, supplies.

$46.72, Thomas L. Higgins, wire cloth.

$9.85, A. J. Haesloop, supplies.

$7.36, George C. Lavery & Co., Inc., lumber.

$22.75, Oscar Michler, supplies.

$2.75, Whipple Hardware Co., supplies.

$83.50, John A. Ward, plumbing.

$12.00, J. Flannery, supplies.

$39.76, Jersey City Lumber Co., lumber.

$18.00, Henry Holtzmann, insurance.

$316.80, S. Levy, playground material.

$90.00, Thos. A. Denning, supplies.

$17.64, Cudahy Packing Co., supplies.

$56.32, Henry Johnson Co., Inc., repair material.

$1.50, Thomas L. Higgns, supplies.

$3.90, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$50.32, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$47.04, George C. Lavery & Co., Inc., lumber.

$39.44, George C. Lavery & Co., Inc., lumber.

$17.11, George C. Lavery Co., Inc., lumber.

$36.00, John J. Corcoran, plumbing repairs.

$16.60, John J. Corcoran, plumber repairs.

$43.12, Thomas L. Higgins, wire cloth.

$18.68, Thomas L. Higgins, playground material.

$26.25, Hudson Real Estate Co., insurance.

$26.25, Edward J. Franklin, insurance.

$42.50, Edward J. Franklin, insurance.

$54.38, John Haesloop, insurance.

$86.25, John H. Fisk, insurance.

$28.75, William Edwards, insurance.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

PAYROLLS

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached payrolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being for services rendered during the periods specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS

From Commissioner Fagen, submitting resolution authorizing minor changes in work being done by John T. Brady & Co., on Section 1, of the duplicate pipe line covering the installing of a four-inch connection Yountakah Golf Club.

Received and recommendations adopted.

From Commissioner Gannon, submitting supplemental debt statement.

Received and ordered filed.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, At the meeting of the Board of Commissioners held on the 23d day of February bids were received pursuant to advertisement from the United States Rubber Company and the Fabric Fire Hose Company for furnishing five thousand (5,000) feet, more or less, four ply solid multiple woven cotton rubber lined fire hose; and

Whereas, The bidders have in each instance bid to supply the hose at the same price, to-wit, one dollar and forty cents ($1.40) per foot; therefore be it

Resolved, That a contract for furnishing twenty-five hundred (2,500) feet of the said fire hose, in accordance with the plans and specifications, be awarded to the United States Rubber Company in conformity with its bid; and be it

Further resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is authorized and requested to prepare the necessary contracts.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, At the meeting of the Board of Commissioners held on the 23d day of February bids were received pursuant to advertisement from the United States Rubber Company and the Fabric Fire Hose Company for furnishing five thousand (5,000) feet, more or less, four ply solid multiple woven cotton rubber lined fire hose; and

Whereas, The bidders have in each instance bid to supply the hose at the same price, to-wit., one dollar and forty cents ($1.40) per foot; therefore be it

Resolved, That a contract for furnishing twenty-five hundred (2,500) feet of the said fire hose, in accordance with the plans and specifications, be awarded to the Fabric Fire Hose Company in conformity with its bid; and be it

Further resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby authorized and requested to prepare the necessary contracts.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance to improve all that part of Bryant avenue between Sip avenue and its southerly terminus, in the City of Jersey City, by the construction of a sewer, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Whereas, It is deemed advisable by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements that Bryant avenue between Sip avenue and its southerly terminus should be improved;

Therefore, The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

That all that part of Bryant avenue between Sip avenue and its southerly terminus, in the City of Jersey City, County of Hudson, and State of New Jersey, shall be improved as follows:

1. To cause a 15-inch vitrified pipe sewer to be constructed in Bryant avenue, from a point about 356 feet south of Sip avenue to Sip avenue sewer, together with all the necessary manholes, receiving basins and appurtenances, all in accordance with the established plan of sewerage; said improvement to be made in conformity to the provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof, and in accordance with specifications to be specially prepared.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as being ready for second and third reading and final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed after second and third reading by the following vote:

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance to improve all that part of Rose Avenue between Danforth Avenue and Cator Avenue, in the City of Jersey City, by improving with sheet asphalt pavement on a concrete base (excepting such portion as lies between the tracks; also except the portion along the rails for a width of six (6) inches, which shall be paved with wooden block), in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Whereas, It is deemed advisable by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements that Rose Avenue between Danforth Avenue and Cator Avenue should be improved,

Therefore, The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

That all that part of Rose Avenue between Danforth Avenue and Cator Avenue, in the City of Jersey City, County of Hudson and State of New Jersey, shall be improved as follows:

1. To have the street graded for the full width thereof to the established grade by excavating or filling same to the established grade.

2. To have new 5x16-inch bluestone curb set in concrete where necessary.

3. To have new cement walks five (5) feet in width laid on the easterly side thereof.

4. To have the carriageway paved 36 feet in width with sheet asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation (excepting such portion as lies between the tracks), also except the portion along the rails for a width of six (6) inches, which shall be paved with wooden block, and all other work done that may be necessary to provide for the flow of the surface water and to complete the improvement in a good and substantial manner, said improvement to be made in conformity with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof and in accordance with specifications to be specially prepared.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as being ready for second and third reading and final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed after second and third reading by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance to improve all that part of Lafayette Street from a point 100 feet west of Woodward Street to its westerly terminus, a distance of about 110 feet, in the City of Jersey City, by improving with Belgian block pavement on a concrete base, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Whereas, it is deemed advisable by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements that Lafayette Street from a point 100 feet west of Woodward Street to its westerly terminus should be improved,

Therefore, The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

That all that part of Lafayette Street from a point 100 feet west of Woodward Street to its westerly terminus, a distance of about 110 feet, in the City of Jersey City, County of Hudson and State of New Jersey, shall be improved as follows:

1. To have the street graded for the full width thereof to the established grade, by excavating or filling same to the established grade.

2. To have cement curb set on south side thereof.

3. To have new cement walk four (4) feet in width laid.

4. To have the carriageway paved thirty (30) feet in width with clipped Belgian blocks on a concrete base (blocks to be furnished by the city) and all other work done that may be necessary to provide for the flow of

the surface water and to complete the improvement in a good and substantial manner, said improvement to be made in conformity to the provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof and in accordance with specifications to be specially prepared.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as being ready for second and third reading and final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed after second and third reading by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance to improve all that part of Corbin avenue between Stuyvesant avenue and Sip avenue, in the city of Jersey City, by improving with asphalt pavement on a concrete base, in conformity with provisions of chapter 152 of the laws of 1917 and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Whereas, It is deemed advisable by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements that Corbin avenue between Stuyvesant avenue and Sip avenue should be improved;

Therefore, The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

That all that part of Corbin avenue between Stuyvesant avenue and Sip avenue, in the city of Jersey City, County of Hudson and State of New Jersey, shall be improved as follows:

1. To have the street for the full width of carriageway graded to the established grade by excavating or filling the same to the established grade.

2. To have the present curb reset in concrete where necessary and new 5 by 16-inch curb set in concrete where necessary.

3. To have the carriageway forty (40) feet in width, paved with asphalt pavement on a six (6) inch concrete base, and all other work done that may be necessary to provide for the flow of the surface water and to complete the improvement in a good and substantial manner; said improvement to be made in conformity with provisions of chapter 152 of the laws of 1917 and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof and in accordance with specifications to be specially prepared.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as being ready for second and third reading and final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed after second and third reading by the following vote:

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance to provide for the making of private connections with sewer, gas and water mains or conduits for wires in Corbin avenue between Stuyvesant avenue and Sip avenue, in the city of Jersey City, in accordance with provisions of chapter 152 of the laws of 1917 and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof.

Whereas, The Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements of the city of Jersey City has reported that an ordinance has been introduced at a meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City providing for the improvement of

Corbin avenue between Stuyvesant avenue and Sip avenue; and

Whereas, There are already laid and existing in said streets sewer, gas and water mains and conduits for wires, and there are building lots within said area to be improved which have no private connections with said sewer, gas and water mains or conduits for wires; and

Whereas, After said contemplated improvement to the above described area has been made, no private connections with said sewer, gas and water mains or conduits for wires can be made without tearing up a portion of the proposed improvement which then shall have been completed; therefore;

The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

1. That after notice shall have been served on or shall have been given as provided by law to owners or parties in interest of lands fronting on Corbin avenue between Stuyvesant avenue and Sip avenue, said owners or parties in interest shall within the time mentioned in said notice, which shall not be less than thirty days after the passage of this ordinance, cause at their own cost and expense private connections to be made between each such lot of land twenty-five feet or less in width, owned or controlled by such parties, and the sewer, gas and water mains or conduits for wires in said streets.

2. If the work of making private connections with said sewer, gas, water mains and conduitts for wires shall not have been begun within the time limited in said notice, then the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements shall have such private connections made and the cost and expense thereof shall be assessed upon any lands benefited.

3. All ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An Ordinance to accept the street known as Corbin Avenue.

Whereas, Broadway Corbin Realty Company has, by instrument in writing, bearing date February 3, 1921, and filed with the City Clerk of Jersey City, dedicated to the public use as and for a street, a strip of land described as follows: Commencing at a point in the northerly line of Broadway, distant 201 20-100 feet, measured in an easterly direction, from the intersection of the northerly line of Broadway, with the easterly line of Westside Avenue, said above point being formerly the northwesterly corner of Broadway and Corbin Avenue, prior to the vacation of Corbin Avenue north; thence first, running in a northerly direction, along the westerly line of Corbin Avenue, prior to its vacation, a distance of 84 35-100 feet; thence, second, running at right angles in an easterly direction, 80 feet to the former easterly line of Corbin Avenue prior to its vacation; thence, third, running in a southerly direction, and parallel with the course first run, 75 69-100 feet to the northerly line of Broadway; thence, fourth, running in a westerly direction along the northerly line of Broadway, 80 48-100 feet to the point or place of beginning.

Therefore, The Board of Commissioners do ordain:

The said strip of land be and the same is hereby accepted as and for a public street and the name thereof shall be Corbin Avenue.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, the findings as shown on report of the Water Assessor for month of April, 1921, presented to this Commission at its meeting held this day, be and are hereby confirmed, and the said officer be and is hereby authorized to make such charges on his books:

Addition to registered water....	$138.70
Cancellation to registered water.	415.95
Cancellation to metered water..	141.87

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby granted to John M. Hughes' Sons Co. to remove the one-story building now situated at 188 Fairmount Avenue to 222 Fairmount Avenue, such permission being subject to the conditions as set forth in resolution of the Board of Street and Water Commissioners, April 29, 1912.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, It appears on communication addressed to this Board by the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, dated May 9, 1921, that certain changes in the contract between the city and the said John T. Brady Company are necessary and advisable, which changes are as follows:

EXTRA WORK ORDER NO. 4.

To do such work and furnish such materials as may be necessary in order to make a two-inch tap on the 72-inch water main, for the Yountakah Country Club at Nutley, N. J.

All work shall be done in strict accordance with the directions of the engineer in charge and payment for same will be made in accordance with Section M of said contract. The total cost of this extra work order No. 4, issued under this authorization for extra work, shall not exceed $394.00; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract be and the same is hereby changed and amended accordingly and the contractor be and he is hereby authorized to proceed to make such changes; further

Resolved, That a certified copy of this resolution be signed by the contractor and filed with the City Clerk as evidence of its assent thereto.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering Fifty Thousand (50,000) Wooden Blocks, in accordance with specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer, be and is hereby awarded to American Creosoting Company, at the price named in their proposal, namely, Forty-eight ($48.00) Dollars per thousand, there being no lower bidder, and the Corporation Attorney be and is hereby directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance authorizing $20,000.00 Emergency Bonds of the City of Jersey City." (Tax Billing Equipment.)

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Authorizing $29,500.00 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City." (Cast Iron Water Pipe.)

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Authorizing $23,000.00 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City." (Repaving Bramhall Ave.)

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Authorizing $6,000.00 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City." (Repaving Cator Avenue.)

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Authorizing $26,000.00 Temporary Improvement Bonds of Jersey City." (Repaving Pavonia Ave., etc.)

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance appropriating $160,000.00 for the erection of a new Library Building and authorizing Temporary Improvement Bonds for said purpose, and providing for the payment of said bonds."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Authorizing $4,550.00 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City." (Coupe, Police.)

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance Authorizing $53,000.00 Emergency Bonds of the City of Jersey City." (Election.)

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, A bid has been received for the furnishing and delivering of one (1) coupe for use in the Jersey City Police Department, as per plans and specifications on file in the City Clerk's Office; and

Whereas, The bid of the Morris Motor Car Co. is the only bid received; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing the above named one (1) coupe, be and the same is hereby awarded to the Morris Motor Car Company at the price named in their bid, and be it further

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for same.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, It is necessary to make certain alterations to a garage, adding four feet to the width, on the property of James Kiernan, at 172 Fairview Avenue; be it

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized to issue a permit for this work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That when this Board adjourns it does adjourn to meet on Thursday, May 12, 1921, at 10 A. M., in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner Moore the Board adjourned.

Approved.

JOHN BENTLEY,
MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
Commissioners.

FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF MAY 12, 1921

Minutes of a Regular Adjourned Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Thursday, May 12th, 1921, at 10 o'clock A. M.

Present: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

From U. S. Engineer Office of the War Department, advising the Board that a public hearing will be held at 39 Whitehall St., New York City, at 10 A. M, on June 1, 1921, in the matter of the proposed construction of a highway bridge across Newark Bay, between Port Street, Newark, and 50th Street, Bayonne, N. J.

Received and referred to the Corporation Counsel.

From property owners in the vicinity of and adjacent to Nos. 75 and 76 Clerk St. protesting against the erection of six garages in the rear of said property owned by Harry Rothberg.

In connection with the foregoing petition, Mr. William Coleman appeared before the Board in behalf of the protestants. He stated that the garages are not to be used by the tenants living in the house at the rear of which said garages are to be erected, because these tenants cannot afford to own cars; that the garages will be a detriment to the residential value of this section and will become a public nuisance.

The City Clerk advised the Board that the Zoning Commission approved the application, and that the Building Department of Jersey City had issued a permit for the erection of the garages on May 3, 1921; further, that the applicant is the same person who took a similar application to the Supreme Court after the Board of Commissioners had refused a permit, and a decision was rendered against the City.

The Mayor assured Mr. Coleman that whatever assistance possible would be given to the protestants.

After discussion, on motion of Commissioner Fagen, the protest was referred to the Law Department for opinion as to the proper procedure that can be taken.

At this time the City Clerk advised the Board that several bills had been presented to him for services rendered by election officers at the Municipal Primary and General Election; for rent of polling places; handling and storing booths, tables, chairs, ballot boxes, &c.; advertising election notices in the newspapers; services rendered tallying and tabulating returns, &c.; and requested the Board to authorize payment of said bills.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the City Clerk be and he is hereby authorized and requested to draw warrants on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the annexed vouchers, for the amounts indicated, being payment for services rendered as election officers, for rental of polling places, for handling and storing booths,, tables, chairs, ballot boxes, for services rendered tallying and tabulating returns, and also for advertising election notices in the newspapers, incidental to the Municipal Primary and General Election, April 26, 1921, and May 10, 1921, respectively, being in accordance with provisions of resolution adopted by the. Board of Commissioners on April 5, 1921.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners, Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

FRANCHISE HEARINGS:

This time and place having been advertised for the purpose of considering the final passage of the following ordinance:

"An ordinance to authorize the making of a contract by The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City with the Lehigh Valley Harbor Terminal Railway Company for an extension of the sewer known as the Richard Street sewer; and to acquire certain lands necessary for the extension of said sewer; and to permit said Lehigh Valley Harbor Terminal Railway Company to acquire certain lands; and granting to said Lehigh Valley Harbor Terminal Railway Company the right to use certain other lands; and to provide for the construction of a roadway from the present terminus of Chapel Avenue,"
the City Clerk read the ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of said ordinance.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of said ordinance.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance to authorize the making of a contract by the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City with the Lehigh Valley Harbor Terminal Railway Company for an extension of the sewer known as the Richard Street Sewer; and to acquire certain lands necessary for the extension of said sewer; and to permit said Lehigh Valley Harbor Terminal Railway Company to acquire certain lands; and granting to said Lehigh Valley Harbor Terminal Railway Company the right to use certain other lands; and to provide for the construction of a roadway from the present terminus of Chapel Avenue.

The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain that:

1. A contract is hereby authorized to be entered into and delivered in behalf of said municipality by its corporate title of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City and under its corporate seal, with the Lehigh Valley Harbor Terminal Railway Company, a corporation of the State of New Jersey, under its corporate seal, of the tenor and effect following, that is to say:

This agreement made in duplicate this 16th day of April, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Twenty-one (1921) by and between the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, a municipal corporation of the State of New Jersey (hereinafter called the City), party of the first part, and the Lehigh Valley Harbor Terminal Railway Company, a corporation of the State of New Jersey (hereinafter called the Railway Company), party of the second part,

Witnesseth:

Whereas, The City heretofore acquired a certain strip of upland in the City of Jersey City, County of Hudson, and State of New Jersey, described as follows:

"Beginning at a corner of the lands of the City of Jersey City, the Lehigh Valley Harbor Terminal Railway Co. and the Lehigh Valley Railroad Co. of New Jersey, said corner being also in the southerly line of lands of the Lehigh Valley Railroad Co. of N. J. and distant four hundred fifty-two and seventy-seven hundredths (452.77) feet measured in a southwesterly direction along said southerly line on a course bearing south 36 degrees 44 minutes west from the intersection of the said southerly line with the center line of Caven Creek.

"(1) In a northeasterly direction on a course bearing north 8 degrees 14 minutes 30 seconds east for a distance of two hundred twenty-four and ninety-four hundredths (224.94) feet, said point being distant fifty feet measured in a southeasterly direction from and at right angles to the filed center line of the National Docks Branch of the Lehigh Valley R. R. Co. of N. J., thence,

"(2) In a southwesterly direction on a course bearing south 46 degrees 44 minutes west parallel to and distant fifty (50) feet measured in a southeasterly direction from and at right angles to the filed center line of the National Docks Branch of the L. V. R. R. Co. of N. J. for a distance of forty-eight and two-tenths (48.2) feet to a point, thence,

"(3) In a southwesterly direction on a course bearing south 8 degrees 14 minutes 30 seconds west for a distance of ten hundred twenty-one and seventeen hundredths (1021.17) feet to a point at the former high water mark of New York Bay, said point being also a corner of lands formerly owned by Morris & Cummings Dredging Co. and heirs of Richard Vreeland, thence,

"(4) In a northeasterly direction on a course bearing north 78 degrees 51 minutes east for a distance of thirty-one and eight-tenths (31.8) feet to a point, thence,

"(5) In a northeasterly direction on a course bearing north 8 degrees 14 minutes 30 seconds east parallel to and distant thirty (30) feet measured in an easterly direction from and at right angles to the third course of this description for a distance of eight hundred twenty-three and four-tenths (823.4) feet to the point of beginning."

Being a portion of the lands acquired by the City of Jersey City under an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, approved March 24th, 1885, and containing 0.713 acres and comprising the area shown in green outline on the map hereto attached and made a part hereof entitled:

"L. V. R. R. Co. (The Lehigh Valley Harbor Terminal Railway Co.) Riparian Lands to be conveyed by the State of New Jersey to the City of Jersey City and to the Lehigh Valley Harbor Terminal Railway Co.

Office Chief Eng'r. Scale 1″=400′
New York, N. Y. Feb. 17, 1921.
W. R. J. 635″
Rev. April 5, 1921.

And whereas, The City has constructed and now maintains on said strip of upland a certain sewer consisting of two cast iron pipes laid side by side, known as the Richard Street Sewer, which has an outlet into New York Bay at the high water line thereof, indicated by point "A" on said map.

And whereas, The Board of Commerce and Navigation of the State of New Jersey has determined that a certain strip of land under water lies in front of said strip of upland, which submerged strip consists of two parcels described as follows:

PARCEL ONE

"Beginning at a point in the dividing line of lands of the State of New Jersey and the Lehigh Valley Harbor Terminal Railway Co., said point being also in the riparian base line extending from a monument at Vreeland's Dock to a monument at Caven Point and distant three thousand four hundred and seventy-three and thirty-six hundredths (3,473.36) feet measured along said base line in a northeasterly direction on a course bearing North 76 degrees 46 minutes east from the aforesaid monument at Vreeland's Dock. Said riparian base line being as shown upon Riparian Map of January 7, 1871, on file at the office of the Board of Commerce and Navigation, Jersey City, N. J.; thence:

"(1) In a northwesterly direction on a course bearing north 4 degrees 4 minutes west along the dividing line of lands of the State of New Jersey and the Lehigh Valley Harbor Terminal Railway Co. for a distance of eighteen hundred seventy-one and fifty-four hundredths (1,871.54) feet to a point in the original center line of Caven Creek. Said point being also the northwesterly corner of lands under water granted by the Riparian Commissioners of the State of New Jersey to John A. Blair, February 12, 1887; thence:

"(2) In a northwesterly direction on a course bearing north 53 degrees 59 minutes west for a distance of fifty-two (52) feet to a point; thence:

"(3) In a southwesterly direction on a course bearing south 78 degrees 51 minutes west for a distance of eighty-six and two-tenths (86.2) feet to a corner in the lands of the Lehigh Valley Harbor Terminal Railway Co. and the lands of the City of Jersey City; thence:

"(4) In a southeasterly direction on a course bearing south 4 degrees 53 minutes east, along the dividing line of lands of the State of New Jersey and the Lehigh Valley Harbor Terminal Railway Co. for a distance of eighteen hundred sixty-four and five hundredths (1,864.05) feet to a point in the westerly line of a ship channel to be constructed by the Lehigh Valley Harbor Terminal Railway Co.; thence:

"(5) In a southeasterly direction on a course bearing south 76 degrees 53 minutes east and along the westerly line of the aforesaid ship channel for a distance of one hundred three and thirty-seven hundredths (103.37) feet to the point of beginning.

"Containing 4.833 acres and comprising the area indicated by yellow outline on the aforesaid map."

PARCEL TWO

"Beginning at a point in the dividing line of lands of the State of New Jersey and the Lehigh Valley Harbor Terminal Railway Co., said point being also in the riparian base line extending from a monument at Vreelands Dock to a monument at Caven Point and distant three thousand four hundred seventy-three and thirty-six hundredths (3,473.36) feet measured along said base line in a northeasterly direction on a course bearing north 76 degrees 46 minutes east from the aforesaid monument at Vreelands Dock. Said riparian base line being as shown upon the Riparian Map of January 7, 1871, on file at the office of the Board of Commerce and Navigation, Jersey City, N. J.; thence:

"(1) In a northwesterly direction on a course bearing north 76 degrees 53 minutes west along the westerly line of a ship channel to be constructed by the Lehigh Valley Harbor Terminal Railway Co. for a distance of one hundred three and thirty-seven hundredths (103.37) feet to a point in the dividing line of lands of the State of New Jersey and the Lehigh Valley Harbor Terminal Railway Co.; thence:

"(2) In a southeasterly direction following the aforesaid dividing line on a course bearing south 4 degrees 53 minutes east for a distance of forty-six and thirty-seven hundredths (46.37) feet to a point in a riparian base line; thence:

"(3) In a southeasterly direction still following the aforesaid dividing line on a course bearing south 18 degrees 37 minutes east for a distance of thirteen hundred sixty-one and ten hundredths (1,361.10) feet to the former exterior line for solid filling; thence:

"(4) In a southeasterly direction still following the aforesaid dividing line on a course bearing south 36 degrees 17 minutes east for a distance of sixteen hundred seventy-one (1,671.00) feet to the bulkhead line as established October 27, 1883; thence:

"(5) In a southeasterly direction still following the aforesaid dividing line on a course bearing south 37 degrees 4 minutes east for a distance of twenty-four hundred five and forty-one hundredths (2,405.41) feet to a point in the pierhead line established October 27, 1883; thence:

"(6) In a northeasterly direction following the aforesaid pierhead line on a course bearing north 42 degrees 56 minutes east for a distance of fifty-eight (58.00) feet to a point in the dividing line of the lands of the State of New Jersey and the Lehigh Valley Harbor Terminal Railway Co.; thence:

"(7) In a northwesterly direction following the aforesaid dividing line on a course bearing north 36 degrees 53 minutes west for a distance of twenty-three hundred ninety-three and fifty-seven hundredths (2,393.57) feet to the bulkhead line as established October 27, 1883, thence:

"(8) In a northwesterly direction still following the aforesaid dividing line on a course bearing north 36 degrees 21 minutes west for a distance of sixteen hundred thirty-nine and ten hundredths (1.639.10) feet to the former exterior line for solid filling, thence:

"(9) In a northeasterly direction still following the aforsaid dividing line on a course bearing north 17 degrees 24 minutes west for a distance of thirteen hundred sixty-five and ninety hundredths (1,365.90) feet to the point of beginning.

"Containing 8.470 acres and comprising the area indicated in purple outline on the aforesaid map."

And whereas, A certain public street or avenue known as Chapel Avenue in said City of Jersey City, now terminates at the said high water line of New York Bay, shown by point "B" on the aforesaid map;

And whereas, The Railway Company owns a large tract of land in said City of Jersey City, including certain land on each side of the upland strip first above described, and land on each side of the submerged strip in front of the same, as second above described, and owns also the land under water in front of the terminus of said Chapel Avenue at the highwater line of New York Bay, and is now constructing thereon a railway and shipping terminal, and in connection therewith desires to use the surface of the aforesaid upland strip and to fill in and use some part of said submerged strip in front of said upland strip, and also to use the residue of said submerged strip of land.

And whereas, The City desires to extend said Richard Street sewer beyond its present outlet.

Now, therefore, The parties hereto each in consideration of the premises and of the promises and agreements of the other herein contained, hereby covenant and agree to and with each other as follows:

First: The City will obtain at its expense, from the State of New Jersey through the said Board of Commerce and Navigation, a grant of a part of the aforesaid submerged strip of land in front of the upland strip first above described, which part of said submerged strip is shown within yellow lines on the aforesaid map, and is described as Parcel One above.

Second: The City hereby waives its right to, and permits the Railway Company to obtain for itself at its expense, from the State of New Jersey, through said Board of Commerce and Navigation, a grant of the residue of said submerged strip of land in front of the upland first above described, which residue of said submerged strip is shown within purple lines on the aforesaid map and is described as Parcel Two above.

Third: The Railway Company, at its expense, will fill in that part of the submerged strip of land to be acquired by the City as aforesaid, and construct therein for the City at the expense of the Railway Company, an extension of said Richard Street Sewer, from its present outlet at the high water line of New York Bay, to the southerly end of said submerged strip to be acquired by the City as aforesaid, at which point the Railway Company will provide an outlet for said sewer. Such extension of said existing sewer of two pipes as aforesaid may, at the Railway Company's option, be constructed so as to consist of a single oval concrete pipe of a capacity not less than the combined capacity of said two pipes of the existing Richard Street Sewer at the present outlet thereof or otherwise, and the Railway Company, at its own expense, agrees to maintain said extension so constructed, and also to maintain in its present condition, and as now constructed, that part of the existing sewer which is located in the aforesaid upland strip as above described; it being understood and agreed, however, that the Railway Company shall have the right at any time at its expense, to change the kind or character of construction of said extension or of said existing sewer or reinforce the same, as it shall desire, provided that the present capacity or usefulness thereof shall in no respect be reduced or impaired as a result of any such change or reinforcement.

Fourth: The City hereby gives and grants to the Railway Company the right to use for any and all purposes in connection with the construction, maintenance and use of its railway and ship terminal and facilities connected therewith, the upland strip first above described in which said existing sewer is now constructed, and also that part of the submerged strip of land in front of the same, to be acquired by the City and filled in by the Railway Company and in which an extension of said sewer is to be constructed and maintained by the Railway Company as aforesaid. The Railway Company will so use the said lands as not to interfere with the use by the City of said sewer and said extension thereof.

Fifth: The City hereby releases and relinquishes all the right, title and interest, if any, which it may now or hereafter have to extend Chapel Avenue beyond its present terminus at the high water line of New York Bay, or to lay out or construct a street or highway in the line of said Chapel Avenue, produced or extended beyond its said present terminus, over any land which may be filled in in front thereof.

Sixth: The Railway Company will at its expense construct and maintain one or more roadways, extending from the present terminus of said Chapel Avenue at the high water line of New York Bay, over such part of the land under water in front of said high water line as is now owned by the Railway Company and shall be filled in by it, in such direction or directions and on such course or courses as the Railway Company may, from time to time, determine; it being understood and agreed that such roadway or roadways will not be dedicated to public use, and that neither the City nor the public shall have any rights in, or to the use of any slips, basins, waterways, docks, wharves, piers, bulkheads or other structures adjoining or near to said roadway or roadways, except as incidental to or connected with the use and operation of the Railway Company's terminal.

Any waiver at any time of the rights of either party as to anything herein contained shall not be deemed a waiver as to any breach of covenant or other matter subsequently occurring.

This agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective successors and assigns.

In witness whereof, The said The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City has caused this agreement to be signed by its Mayor and its corporate seal to be hereto affixed and attested by its Clerk; and the said Lehigh Valley Harbor Terminal Railway Company has caused this agreement to be signed by its President and its corporate seal to be hereto affixed and attested by its Secretary, the day and year first above written.

The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City,
By Mayor
Attest: Clerk.

Lehigh Valley Harbor Terminal Railway Company,
By President.
Attest: Secretary.

2—This ordinance shall be published in the manner required by law.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That when this Board adjourns, it does adjourn to meet at 2 P. M. in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Monday, May 16, 1921.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

The City Clerk advised the Board that there was no further business to be transacted.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the Board adjourned.

Approved.

JOHN BENTLEY,
MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF MAY 16, 1921

Minutes of a Regular Adjourned Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Monday, May 16, 1921, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Bentley, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Absent: Commissioners Fagen and Gannon (excused).

RECEPTION OF BIDS

This time and place having been advertised for the reception of bids for street paving, the City Clerk called for bids with the following result:

PAVING CORBIN AVENUE

1. Willite Road Construction Co., 96½ per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

2. W. T. S. Crichfield, 97¾ per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

3. Uvalde Contracting Co., 110 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

PAVING ROSE AVENUE

1. W. T. S. Crichfield, 99 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

2. Willite Road Construction Co., 108 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

3. Uvalde Contracting Co., 110 per cent. of standard, with surety company bond.

On motion of Commissioner Moore the reception of bids was ordered closed, the bids received opened and read and referred to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements for investigation and recommendation.

ALTERATION HEARINGS

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications:

S. Gugliotta, for permission to remove part of wall and build new store front, 340 Palisade Avenue;

Tex Rickard, for permission to build stadium, Factory and Bright Streets, the City Clerk read each application and then called for any one who might desire to protest against the granting of any of the above described applications. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against granting any of the above mentioned applications.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to S. Gugliotta to remove part of first story front wall and build new store front in three-story, three-family frame building with brick front, No. 340 Palisade Avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application.

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Tex Rickard, lessee, to erect one-story frame stadium, the highest part of which is to be 32 feet above ground, on plot of ground situated at Factory Street and Bright Street, as shown on plans attached to application.

Further resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

From A. M. Henry, requesting permission to build new show case in present store vestibule, set new marble base under present show windows and new doors, 30 Newark Avenue.

Received and the City Clerk directed to notify the Newark Avenue Business Men's Association of the proposed improvement.

From Alps Restaurant, requesting permission to erect electric sign at 727 Bergen Avenue.

Received.

From Clara Segall, requesting permission to remove partitions on first and second and third floor and erect new partitions, increasing store area, 443 Bergen Avenue.

Received.

From H. Mason, requesting permission to erect private garage under piazza and front of house, 25 Graham Street.

Received.

From New Jersey State Highway Commission, advising the Board of a hearing to be held on May 25, 1921, in the matter of the proposed extension of State Highway Route No. 1 through Newark and Jersey City.

Received and referred to the Law Department and Commissioner Fagen.

From residents in the vicinity of 61-63-65 Randloph Avenue, protesting against the erection of public garages on said premises.

In connection with the foregoing protest, Francis Dugan appeared on behalf of the protestants, and urged the Board to take the necessary action for the relief of the residents who signed the protest.

Commissioner J. E. Carlock, member of the Jersey City Commission on Building Districts and Restrictions, appeared before the Board and stated that he opposed the erection of the garages because of the fact that the applicant stated before the Zoning Commission that they were to be private garages for the use of the tenants who were to occupy the two six-family houses to be erected on the premises, and that the houses have not been erected and the applicant intends renting the said garages to other people.

The City Clerk advised the Board that the Jersey City Building Department had notified him that the permit for the erection of two six-family buildings and eight garages in the rear at 61-63-65 Randolph Avenue was issued by them on April 15th, 1921, to Mrs. A. Hubert and that the application was approved by the Zoning Commission on April 14th, 1921; further, that the Board of Commissioners cannot stop work; that should the Board order the work stopped and the permits revoked, the applicant can take the matter to the Supreme Court where the decision of this Board will be reversed.

The Mayor asked Corporation Counsel Milton if the Board could legally revoke the permits. Mr. Milton replied that the Board legally had no power to revoke such permits.

In conclusion the Mayor recommended that the matter be referred to the Corporation Counsel for investigation and legal opinion as to the jurisdiction of the Board of Commissioners for the purpose of granting the relief sought by the protestants.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS.

From City Clerk, informing the Board that he caused to be filed in his office on May 11th, 1921, a statement of the result of the Municipal Election held May 10th, 1921, in Jersey City, which is as follows:

A statement of the result of a Municipal Election held in Jersey City, in the County of Hudson and State of New Jersey, on the 10th day of May, in the year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Twenty-one, to choose five members of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, from the canvass of the return received by Frank A. Dolan, City Clerk of Jersey City, the 10th day of May, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Twenty-one, from the District Boards of Election of all the Election Districts of Jersey City, that conducted said Municipal Election of said May 10th, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, made by Frank A. Dolan, City Clerk of Jersey City, the 11th day of May, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, in compliance with an Act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled "An Act relating to, regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by Boards of Commissioners, or Improvement Commissions, in this State," approved April 25, 1911, and the title of which act was amended to read as above set forth by Chapter 366, Session Laws 1912, approved April 2, 1912, and pursuant to the other supplements and amendments to said act, and also the further supplements of said Act known as Chapter 108, Session Laws 1914, and Chapter 100, Laws of 1916, and also "An Act to regulate Elections (Revision of 1898)," approved April 4, 1898, also Chapter 704, Laws of 1921, and an Act to regulate Elections, Revision of 1920 and the supplements thereto of 1921.

FIRST WARD

	DISTRICTS									
	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	Total.
Frank Hague	206	268	207	357	283	253	401	445	238	2,658
John Bentley	206	274	202	358	283	252	403	444	235	2,657
Michael I. Fagen	204	271	201	356	282	253	399	443	237	2,646
James F. Gannon, Jr	204	270	201	352	281	251	396	446	236	2,637
A. Harry Moore	204	282	206	364	279	252	409	453	240	2,689
Edward Cahill	20	32	19	23	3	25	48	51	34	255
Walter J. Gorman	18	36	14	24	2	33	47	45	36	255
August Ziegener	17	35	22	23	2	34	52	48	39	262
George T. Vickers	18	34	17	22	2	31	49	49	40	252
J. Arthur O'Toole	17	37	17	19	4	23	53	46	45	261

SECOND WARD

	DISTRICTS										
	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	Total.
Frank Hague	546	207	619	327	257	613	459	479	589	404	4,500
John Bentley	547	207	612	327	257	614	459	476	589	400	4,488
Michael I. Fagen	543	207	618	327	257	614	459	477	589	393	4,484
James F. Gannon, Jr	543	206	620	324	256	614	459	478	589	397	4,486
A. Harry Moore	549	210	622	325	258	614	459	477	591	414	4,519
Edward Cahill	13	3	13	10	3	1	1	3	8	61	116
Walter J. Gorman	11	4	8	8	3	1	3	2	8	60	108
August Ziegener	10	5	9	8	3	1	3	2	9	70	120
George T. Vickers	12	4	10	8	3	1	3	4	6	65	116
J. Arthur O'Toole	7	2	12	15	3	2	1	7	5	50	104

THIRD WARD

	DISTRICTS									
	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	Total.
Frank Hague	357	286	400	473	411	312	475	263	245	3,222
John Bentley	338	284	395	479	404	318	483	260	239	3,200
Michael I. Fagen	356	286	394	463	396	303	467	264	242	3,171
James F. Gannon, Jr	346	285	393	462	400	297	469	254	247	3,153
A. Harry Moore	363	288	413	490	357	320	500	262	253	3,246
Edward Cahill	46	37	29	57	64	48	51	23	36	391
Walter J. Gorman	40	30	31	65	58	49	54	25	33	385
August Ziegener	44	32	39	63	67	61	55	24	34	419
George T. Vickers	41	31	33	57	55	52	57	16	31	373
J. Arthur O'Toole	55	30	30	51	60	56	45	31	46	404

FOURTH WARD

	DISTRICTS										
	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	Total.
Frank Hague	139	333	341	261	413	332	338	441	438	351	3,387
John Bentley	145	336	357	249	406	332	340	445	464	353	3,427
Michael I. Fagen	136	325	339	251	402	324	330	435	433	344	3,319
James F. Gannon, Jr	128	323	337	252	411	327	331	430	431	338	3,308
A. Harry Moore	145	347	370	264	420	348	344	469	471	375	3,553
Edward Cahill	27	52	51	43	52	65	45	61	69	54	519
Walter J. Gorman	24	50	67	45	47	56	45	55	88	54	531
August Ziegener	24	56	61	49	55	59	43	62	95	56	560
George T. Vickers	25	49	62	36	46	52	43	64	97	57	531
J. Arthur O'Toole	20	47	42	50	65	57	59	46	60	52	498

FIFTH WARD

	DISTRICTS								
	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	Total.
Frank Hague	360	224	233	157	349	230	394	185	2,132
John Bentley	349	222	232	156	351	228	396	185	2,119
Michael I. Fagen	353	223	234	153	342	230	388	180	2,103
James F. Gannon, Jr	350	221	231	150	344	225	387	183	2,091
A. Harry Moore	374	231	237	161	358	228	410	188	2,187
Edward Cahill	57	26	9	16	68	25	51	36	288
Walter J. Gorman	61	26	8	20	69	26	55	54	319
August Ziegener	62	35	9	17	68	23	55	55	324
George T. Vickers	59	27	9	20	63	21	50	50	299
J. Arthur O'Toole	59	24	9	15	68	31	57	41	305

SIXTH WARD

	DISTRICTS												
	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	12.	Total,
Frank Hague	262	387	175	169	262	343	323	286	298	447	225	398	3,575
John Bentley	254	385	176	172	261	352	334	310	313	472	242	399	3,670
Michael I. Fagen	261	386	177	167	262	343	317	285	294	445	223	395	3,555
James F. Gannon, Jr	259	387	174	165	257	343	318	284	296	459	221	388	3,549
A. Harry Moore	265	394	183	181	267	357	336	353	321	497	259	426	3,838
Edward Cahill	62	50	85	51	42	19	38	91	48	112	47	63	708
Walter J. Gorman	55	46	80	50	41	22	47	97	51	131	51	58	729
August Ziegener	55	42	80	50	40	25	48	103	55	128	52	56	734
George T. Vickers	54	39	81	52	45	25	45	103	52	138	56	61	751
J. Arthur O'Toole	59	51	79	48	35	7	33	51	34	96	17	41	551

SEVENTH WARD

	DISTRICTS																							
	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	12.	13.	14.	15.	16.	17.	18.	19.	20.	21.	22.	23.	Total.
Frank Hague.........	325	396	299	356	418	345	275	381	238	296	432	249	284	410	416	328	325	384	249	277	333	533	297	7,846
John Bentley..........	346	414	340	366	461	374	303	410	286	322	485	286	302	443	434	366	334	415	294	318	357	577	391	8,624
Michael I. Fagen......	329	411	289	352	438	350	289	398	244	299	434	253	288	424	419	326	334	407	276	270	328	536	319	8,013
James F. Gannon, Jr..	322	402	294	348	418	345	271	379	243	299	435	256	284	412	419	328	324	380	258	266	322	333	303	7,841
A. Harry Moore.......	358	461	364	380	510	395	330	443	303	355	514	326	337	500	461	399	357	449	329	361	411	598	445	9,386
Edward Cahill.........	79	121	116	76	104	109	116	137	90	69	115	112	101	142	78	97	68	120	136	121	109	93	166	2,425
Walter J. Gorman.....	103	135	138	86	150	143	149	159	114	87	142	139	126	171	97	138	74	137	181	156	133	116	227	3,101
August Ziegener.......	91	130	136	78	134	135	130	154	116	81	143	129	122	162	88	116	65	123	162	152	118	113	226	2,914
George T. Vickers.....	90	129	139	77	139	137	137	153	117	82	143	131	122	155	96	126	66	138	168	152	131	117	237	2,982
J. Arthur O'Toole......	64	101	81	73	71	81	87	92	49	52	88	70	83	91	69	77	60	70	94	87	68	53	88	1,749

EIGHTH WARD

	DISTRICTS																						
	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	12.	13.	14.	15.	16.	17.	18.	19.	20.	21.	22.	Total.
Frank Hague...............	290	348	247	266	373	317	365	235	221	314	390	286	341	356	336	363	281	246	328	374	432	308	7,017
John Bentley...............	347	394	316	273	431	422	382	297	261	345	419	332	395	455	372	385	355	283	409	409	446	320	8,148
Michael I, Fagen...........	301	348	246	257	369	325	364	241	229	321	396	295	339	368	340	349	292	236	340	368	427	303	7,054
James F. Gannon, Jr.......	300	339	247	251	365	319	356	238	225	311	387	294	340	365	338	351	291	239	318	369	429	304	6,876
A. Harry Moore............	400	443	361	293	467	475	433	308	282	380	464	367	464	520	414	431	402	347	468	432	479	349	8,979
Edward Cahill..............	133	145	134	162	156	244	169	92	100	88	154	131	251	238	90	151	174	211	388	117	128	66	3,512
Walter J. Gorman..........	143	192	174	163	161	267	165	105	112	89	161	132	244	268	118	140	206	219	332	112	129	67	3,698
August Ziegener............	158	197	170	160	157	278	165	113	114	102	165	144	242	274	113	138	203	228	351	112	128	63	3,775
George T. Vickers..........	164	211	179	165	161	291	168	117	112	99	165	154	250	283	120	147	206	227	360	109	130	67	3,885
J. Arthur O'Toole...........	58	120	73	145	84	115	113	51	63	46	94	74	147	109	49	87	104	116	166	52	102	39	2,007

NINTH WARD

	DISTRICTS																
	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	12.	13.	14.	15.	16.	17.	Total.
Frank Hague............	497	321	476	446	400	447	341	281	196	409	295	264	274	263	365	490	197	5,962
John Bentley............	563	362	547	523	425	540	409	304	237	447	361	292	367	302	407	523	249	6,858
Michael I. Fagen........	506	308	488	453	399	462	343	277	198	418	287	261	286	264	364	488	199	6,001
James F. Gannon, Jr....	503	323	486	444	402	466	347	278	195	399	308	269	274	255	363	494	195	6,001
A. Harry Moore.........	597	423	605	563	457	596	429	327	256	524	405	320	418	370	435	545	292	7,562
Edward Cahill...........	165	204	309	191	151	306	157	110	169	240	201	105	186	210	133	93	167	3,097
Walter J. Gorman.......	181	234	275	215	147	299	188	127	163	242	223	113	238	224	151	99	197	3,316
August Ziegener.........	189	247	291	215	151	319	190	129	168	252	227	125	239	234	153	109	196	3,434
George T. Vickers.......	198	241	298	225	156	340	192	132	169	255	231	129	246	228	154	104	196	3,494
J. Arthur O'Toole.......	82	132	144	115	93	148	99	92	95	135	125	67	78	108	81	70	95	1,759

TENTH WARD

	DISTRICTS													
	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	12.	13.	Total.
Frank Hague	270	321	531	412	428	451	227	256	383	312	447	211	395	4,644
John Bentley	313	323	532	451	427	442	271	261	408	316	495	232	399	4,870
Michael I. Fagen	271	320	525	403	423	445	221	262	383	305	439	206	402	4,605
James F. Gannon, Jr	267	316	516	392	425	446	225	252	390	311	434	201	395	4,569
A. Harry Moore	327	352	563	485	442	456	312	269	438	345	525	255	407	5,176
Edward Cahill	67	99	88	120	56	70	123	37	107	82	163	65	44	1,121
Walter J. Gorman	93	104	85	130	45	61	145	32	111	86	170	81	42	1,085
August Ziegener	96	100	77	142	50	61	164	42	111	93	189	92	42	1,259
George T. Vickers	99	94	87	135	50	57	152	34	121	93	191	85	39	1,237
J. Arthur O'Toole	50	88	90	69	49	79	76	39	85	78	106	46	45	900

ELEVENTH WARD

	DISTRICTS																			
	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	12.	13.	14.	15.	16.	17.	18.	19.	20.	Total.
Frank Hague	342	360	312	340	316	401	348	263	362	318	265	310	263	212	221	273	219	223	223	417	6,004
John Bentley	347	369	308	350	320	413	367	321	394	373	296	315	276	232	357	310	241	270	252	427	6,437
Michael I. Fagen	335	363	311	342	308	397	353	261	351	317	262	309	258	211	220	279	210	239	225	411	5,962
James F. Gannon, Jr	333	361	308	334	304	391	348	268	352	325	264	314	259	217	225	283	212	238	229	414	5,979
A. Harry Moore	366	395	316	357	336	436	386	336	431	396	312	326	297	238	275	331	263	282	275	442	6,796
Edward Cahill	50	67	16	38	56	59	84	58	117	74	66	32	44	50	69	94	93	77	70	79	1,293
Walter J. Gorman	41	68	13	39	42	56	88	100	124	110	72	33	48	56	90	103	94	85	95	74	1,431
August Ziegener	42	70	18	45	49	66	97	115	142	150	91	43	70	71	115	125	122	107	110	78	1,726
George T. Vickers	39	63	14	42	55	65	90	113	134	124	88	38	56	61	87	113	107	98	96	80	1,563
J. Arthur O'Toole	40	42	31	38	60	62	72	44	74	56	59	31	31	36	52	67	71	67	51	70	1,054

TWELFTH WARD

	DISTRICTS																
	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	12.	13.	14.	15.	16.	Total.
Frank Hague	286	325	238	256	162	258	321	284	181	296	213	212	262	286	264	236	4,080
John Bentley	330	386	253	291	183	311	357	320	203	334	239	238	280	353	291	259	4,628
Michael I. Fagen	283	331	227	260	156	255	317	285	176	289	212	208	257	288	261	236	4,041
James F. Gannon, Jr	283	338	235	263	161	251	316	287	175	289	216	206	255	289	262	236	4,062
A. Harry Moore	349	437	271	356	204	332	404	359	228	355	253	277	318	389	324	282	5,138
Edward Cahill	80	134	74	143	73	126	123	110	93	100	81	90	85	159	88	73	1,632
Walter J. Gorman	104	175	83	165	83	153	154	114	106	121	82	114	115	193	113	101	1,976
August Ziegener	110	196	102	197	95	177	173	128	123	136	99	129	128	224	130	114	2,261
George T. Vickers	115	183	89	183	89	169	162	131	113	118	91	122	118	202	116	104	2,105
J. Arthur O'Toole	54	79	52	87	57	88	68	63	74	69	65	61	71	104	75	69	1,136

RECAPITULATION

Ward	Frank Hague	John Bentley	Michael I. Fagen	James F. Gannon, Jr.	A. Harry Moore	Edward Cahill	Walter J. Gorman	August Ziegener	George T. Vickers	J. Arthur O'Toole
First	2,658	2,657	2,646	2,637	2,689	255	255	262	252	261
Second	4,500	4,488	4,484	4,486	4,519	116	108	120	116	104
Third	3,222	3,200	3,171	3,153	3,246	391	385	419	373	404
Fourth	3,387	3,427	3,319	3,308	3,553	519	531	560	531	498
Fifth	2,132	2,119	2,103	2,091	2,187	288	319	324	299	305
Sixth	3,575	3,670	3,555	3,549	3,839	708	729	734	751	551
Seventh	7,846	8,624	8,013	7,841	9,386	2,425	3,101	2,914	2,982	1,749
Eighth	7,017	8,148	7,054	6,876	8,979	3,512	3,698	3,775	3,885	2,007
Ninth	5,962	6,858	6,001	6,001	7,562	3,097	3,316	3,434	3,494	1,759
Tenth	4,644	4,870	4,605	4,569	5,176	1,121	1,085	1,259	1,237	900
Eleventh	6,004	6,437	5,962	5,979	6,796	1,293	1,431	1,726	1,563	1,054
Twelfth	4,080	4,628	4,041	4,062	5,138	1,632	1,976	2,261	2,105	1,136
Totals	55,027	59,126	54,954	54,552	63,070	15,357	16,934	17,788	17,588	10,728
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RETURNS.

From such canvass I do find that the total number of names on the Signature Copy Book is 99,477; that the total number of names on the Poll Book is 74,458; that the total number of votes counted is 73,401, and that the total number of votes rejected and spoiled is 1,057.

I do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true, full and correct statement of the result of the election above mentioned as the same is exhibited by the statements of return made by the said District Boards of Election from all of the Election Districts of Jersey City to me as City Clerk of Jersey City, within seven hours of the closing of the polls on said May 10th, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, according to law, and that the same exhibits the number of the names of the voters in the Poll Books of the Election Districts respectively, and of the ballots rejected, the whole number of the names of the voters in the Poll Books of the several Election Districts, the name of each person for whom any vote or votes were given, the number of votes given for each person in each Election District, for the offices of Commissioners as aforesaid, as they appear by the statements of return so produced and made to me as City Clerk of Jersey City on the day aforesaid.

From such statement I do find that the following candidates received a majority of votes for the office of Commissioner as aforesaid, namely, A. Harry Moore, John Bentley, Frank Hague, Michael I. Fagen, James F. Gannon, Jr.

Therefore, I, Frank A. Dolan, City Clerk of Jersey City, do determine that at the said Municipal Election held May 10th, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-one, in Jersey City, as aforesaid, A. Harry Moore, John Bentley, Frank Hague, Michael I. Fagen and James F. Gannon, Jr., were duly elected as members of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City.

I do certify that the foregoing is a true, full and correct statement of my determination as City Clerk of Jersey City, therein mentioned.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and the corporate seal of "The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City," this Eleventh day of May, A. D., One thousand Nine hundred and twenty-one.

FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

Received and ordered filed.

AUDITING CLAIMS

By Commissioner Bentley:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named parties for the following amounts and purposes as hereinafter set forth:

$48.00, John Brennan.

$48.00, C. J. Lutton.

$64.00, John Kirkpatrick.

$50.50, Wm. McKittrick.

$22.05, Joseph H. Browne.

$31.00, Firestone Tire and Rubber Company.

$9.65, Kenneth Apolant.

$5.10, John S. Menagh Company.

$5.50, S. F. Hayward and Company.

$215.90, Public Service Electric Company.

$8.00, Public Service Electric Company.

$7.50, Western Union Telegraph Company.

$26.75, New York Telephone Company.

$7.80, Hudson Observer.

$278.38, The Peter Jocham Company.

$42.00, Fleischman Bros.

$19.00, John A. Vill and Son.

$6.00, Underwood Typewriter Company.

$64.00, James Carroll.

$7.80, Keegans Garage.

$54.89, L. J. Tonnele.

$4.00, Public Service Electric Company.

$4.60, Public Service Electric Company.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley for Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$23.75, Louis Frey, blue prints.

$368.00, Union Printing Company, reports.

$11.00, Auto Economy Company, supplies.

$13.00, Margaret Burns, refund.

$44.46, City Treasurer.

$22.05, City Treasurer.

$6,102.00, East Jersey Water Company, water.

$3.00, Louis Frey, blue prints.

$1.25, Jersey City Supply, supplies.

$14.89, Neptune Motor Company, repairs.

$63.70, Reynolds Teschner & Volk Company, supplies.

$1.56, H. F. Trautman, papers.

$135.00, Union Printing Company, permit book.

$13.50, Peter Vendetto, ice.

$50.06, Wallace & Tiernan, supplies.

$3.00, Continental Typewriting Company, repairs.

$5.00, Continental Typewriting Company, repairs.

$61.25, A. Datz and Company, printing.

$50.00, James W. Nabb, damages.

$1,643.44, Public Service Gas, service.

$6.16, Public Service Gas, service.

$12,957.36, Public Service Electric, services.

$475.00, Ransome Concrete Machine, supplies.

$9.60, E. G. Buehle and Company, supplies.

$9.75, Union Towel Supply Company, services.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$87.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$145.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

$251.50, Union Printing Company, printing.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the City Treasurer, in payment of the following claims:

$3.50, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$190.00, J. Edelstein, plumbing.

$35.24, J. Edelstein, plumbing.

$26.40, Joseph Zambusch, plumber repairs.

$60.84, Murphy Tire Company, auto supplies.

$150.00, W. A. Barclay, roof repairs.

$15.65, Jersey City Supply Company, plumbing material.

$50.00, Thomas Finnerty, ice.

$72.00, F. V. Kidder, music.

$66.00, Aug. H. Flugge, music.

$9.28, Geo. C. Lavery & Company, Inc., lumber.

$220.50, Public Service Electric Company, electricity consumed.

$52.03, Public Service Gas Company, gas consumed.

$3.00, Continental Typewriter Company, repairs.

$32.90, Public Service Electric Company, electricity consumed.

$28.00, Public Service Electric Company, electricity consumed.

$1.54, Public Service Gas Company, gas consumed.

$4.00, Public Service Electric Company, electricity consumed.

$7.10, Public Service Electric Company, electricity consumed.

$1.00, Public Service Electric Company, electricity consumed.

$25.20, Public Service Electric Company, electricity consumed.

$175.40, Public Service Electric Company, electricity consumed.

$21.25, Andrew Fischer, insurance.

$15.41, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$1.75, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$13.97, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$2.75, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

$2.35, Jersey City Supply Company, supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following-named claimants for the amounts and purposes indicated:

$12.90, D. Eisenberg, oranges.

$8.29, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

$21.07, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$7.50, W. R. Holmes, coffee.

$42.90, Thompson's Garage, Inc., gasoline.

$30.25, Petit & Reed, butter.

$11.70, Ammon & Person, eggs.

$31.07, Joseph P. Sack, supplies.

$10.75, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$32.06, Joseph Sack, supplies.

$14.25, Joseph H. Browne, soap.

$3.90, J. V. Calley, oranges.

$468.00, A. McDonough, groceries.

$9.66, C. Decker, milk and cream.

$31.01, Morris Motor Car Company, auto supplies.

$130.00, Joseph J. Maguire, burials.

$6.00, Fleischman Bros., repairing auto.

$3.50, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$5.63, R. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$104.46, Mrs. Mary Norton, supplies.

$450.00, Flynn Bros., groceries.

$87.68, Jacob Decker, milk and cream.

$3.55, Charles F. Hansen, supplies.

$59.40, Expert Auto Tire Repair Company, supplies.

$6.55, Charles F. Hansen, office supplies.

$71.82, Jacob Decker, milk and cream.

$390.00, A. McDonough, groceries.

$10.21, Lake Sales Company, Wasson rings.

$17.64, Albert Datz Company, printing.

$31.85, Albert Datz Company, printing.

$6.00, A. Zipperstein, sprays.

$15.48, Charles F. Hansen, supplies.

$24.01, Union Printing Company, printing.

$69.27, Julius Frey, Boston tags.

$105.08, Loori Bros., antitoxin.

$37.50, B. A. Foley, bottles.

$470.40, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, vaccine.

$5.98, Arlington Chemical Company, chemicals.

$291.29, R. H. Perry & Company, coal.

$225.56, Keystone Dairy Company, milk.

$2.55, Joseph H. Browne, salt.

$6.59, J. Decker, cream.

$87.81, General Baking Company, bread.

$22.96, Emanuel Britten, fish.

$18.77, John F. Crosby, vegetables.

$92.69, William Bill, groceries.

$50.17, William Bill, groceries.

$99.72, Ammon & Person, butter and eggs.

$15.08, W. H. Walthery, meat.

$15.40, Otto Wilkins, bandages.

$76.90, William Bill, groceries.

$32.92, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$3.05, Charles F. Hansen, supplies.

$7.75, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$36.74, D. E. Cleary Company, groceries.

$8.94, Joseph T. Sack, supplies.

$350.40, Joseph T. Sack, supplies.

$305.96, Jacob Decker, milk and cream.

$45.57, Swift & Company, ham.

$230.68, A. Silz, Inc., pork and poultry.

$11.00, Otto Wilkins, pill boxes.

$249.70, Keystone Dairy Company, milk.

$368.79, Pettit & Reed, butter.

$12.43, J. V. Calley, vegetables.

$63.81 McKesson & Robbins, Incorporated, drugs.

$151.77, D. Eisenberg, fruits and vegetables.

$131.51, J. McConville, beef.

$37.05, J. McConville, bacon.

$14.90, Parke, Davis and Company, drugs.

$395.70, James Picker, seed plates.

$49.97 Archbold and Gallagher, groceries.

$50.00, Johnson and Johnson, supplies.

$100.00, D. E. Cleary and Company, sugar.

$445.90, Otto Wilkens, supplies.

$88.10, J. E. Kennedy and Company, rubber goods.

$333.10, Joseph T. Sack, supplies.

$25.25, McCloskey Drug Company, drugs.

$265.36, D. Eisenberg, fruits and vegetables.

$1.50, R. Squibb and Sons, drugs.

$98.00, Herald Printing Company, printing.

$79.76, D. Eisenberg, fruits and vegetables.

$22.64, Loori Brothers, supplies.

$40.32, James Picker, dental film.

$189.15, Hudson Surgical Company, supples.

$52,19 Hudson Surgical Company, supplies.

$125.64, John F. Crosby, vegetables.

$265.92, Jacob Decker, milk and cream.

$60.00, C. W. Pritchard, return of building permit fee.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing $3,500 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City." (Improvement Rose Avenue.)

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore for Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance authorizing $3,000.00 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City. (Improvement Lafayette Street.)

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Bentley for Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the Public Service Gas Company be and is hereby authorized to remove, without cost to the City, the following gas lamps, electric lights having been installed at or near said locations:

398 Communpaw Avenue	1
110-114 Grand Street	2
Grand Street between Grove and Henderson Streets	3

Grand Street northeast of St. Patrick's Church	1
794 Grand Street, between Clinton and Bramhall	1
158-160 and 191 Mercer Street	3
Nunda Avenue north of Communipaw Avenue	1
Fifth Street between Grove and Henderson Streets	1
398 Hoboken Avenue	1
Harmon Street east of Crescent avenue	1
TOTAL	15

Further Resolved, That eight (8) of the foregoing gas lamps be installed on Mallory Avenue between Roosevelt and Lexington Avenues, as shown on sketch hereto attached.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley for Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to improve all that part of Division Street between Seventh Street and Eighth Street, in the City of Jersey City, by improving with asphalt pavement and the construction of a sewer in accordance with provisions of Chapter 158 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof."

Recevied and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Bentley for Commissioner Fagen:

There having been introduced at this meeting by Michael I. Fagen, Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance to improve all that part of Division Street, between Seventh Street and Eighth Street, in the city of Jersey City, by improving with asphalt pavement and the construction of a sewer, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 15, of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof,"

It is hereby resolved, That said ordinance shall lie on the table until the meeting of this board to be held on June 7, 1921, at the City Hall, in Jersey City;

Further resolved, That at said time and place this board consider the undertaking of the improvement proposed by said ordinance and the said ordinance itself, and that a hearing shall be then and there afforded to all persons whose lands may affected by, or who may be interested in such proposed improvement, both upon said proposed improvement and said ordinance;

Further resolved, That the City clerk publish in the Jersey Journal and Hudson Observer, on May 23 and 31, 1921, notice of the intention of this Board to consider such proposed improvement and ordinance. Said notice shall be in the form attached to this resolution.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley for Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, the contract for the improvement of Lafayette Street from a point 100 feet west of Woodward Street to its westerly terminus, a distance of about 110 feet, be and is hereby awarded to Graham Van Keuren, at the price named in his proposal, namely, 110 per. cent. of the Chief Engineer's standard, there being no lower bidder, and the Corporation Attorney be and is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Bentley for Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, contract for the improvement of Rose Avenue, between Danforth Avenue and Cator Avenue, with sheet asphalt on a concrete foundation, be and the same is hereby awarded to W. T. S. Crichfield at the price named in his bid, namely, Ninety-nine per cent. (99%) of the standard, his being the lowest bid received; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore:

Introducing an ordinance entitled, "An ordinance to amend a certain ordinance passed by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, on January 4, 1921, entitled, 'An ordinance granting permission to the M. W. Kellogg Company, a corporation, to lay and maintain oil and water pipes under the surface of a portion of certain lands and premises of Jersey City, forming part of Droyer's Point, or at or near the same, and which portion of said lands and premises is to be dedicated as a public street or highway.'"

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

At the meeting held May 9, 1921, Counsellor Joseph Autenreith on behalf of the Oscar Schmidt Musical Instrument Company agreed to submit a report on the action taken by said company to abate the smoke nuisance issuing from said plant. Counsellor Autenreith appeared before the Board and stated that Mr. Schmidt had called him on the phone and advised him that he had made a contract for the extension of the present smokestack and when completed will be thirty feet high, which will practically eliminate the nuisance; that he has also made arrangements to bale the sawdust and shavings and dispose of them without burning; that hard coal will be used hereafter, the same as used by the residents in the neighborhood.

The City Clerk advised the Board that a complaint had been made to him the day after the last meeting that the smoke nuisance was being continued and that he communicated with Mr. Schmidt and ordered the smoke abated, otherwise action would be taken to close the plant.

Mr. Autenreith stated that this smoke had been caused by starting a new fire and was discontinued as soon as possible.

Commissioner Moore stated that if the plan as proposed will abate the nuisance it will be satisfactory, otherwise the Board will have to take suitable action.

The Mayor requested assurances from Mr. Autenreith that the relief will not be only temporary.

Mr. Autenreith stated that the extended stack will eliminate the nuisance altogether because the smoke is caused by the shavings and sawdust and this material is going to be baled and disposed of.

Mr. Fred Blenkle, representing the protestants, appeared before the Board and stated that the residents will be satisfied as long as Mr. Schmidt proceeds immediately to abate the nuisance.

There being no further business to be transacted, on motion of Commissioner Bentley the Board adjourned.

Approved:

JOHN BENTLEY,
A. HARRY MOORE,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF MAY 17, 1921

Minutes of Organization Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, Tuesday, May 17th, 1921, at 12 o'clock noon.

Present: John Bentley, Michael I. Fagen, James F. Gannon, Jr., Frank Hague and A. Harry Moore, Commissioners Elect.

Absent: None.

Pursuant to notice under the requirements of the thirty-seventh section of the Laws of 1871, known as the City Charter, served by the City Clerk of Jersey City upon John Bentley, Michael I. Fagen, James F. Gannon, Jr., Frank Hague and A. Harry Moore, that each of them had been elected Commissioner of Jersey City at an election held in Jersey City on May 10th, 1921, pursuant to an act, entitled "An Act relating to regulating and providing for the government of cities, towns, townships, boroughs, villages and municipalities governed by Board of Commissioners or Improvement Commissions in this State, known as Chapter 221, Laws of 1911, and the various amendments and supplements thereto, the said John Bentley, Michael I. Fagen, James F. Gannon, Jr., Frank Hague and A. Harry Moore, met in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, at 12 o'clock noon upon the Seventeenth day of May, 1921, for the purpose of organization.

Thereupon, the City Clerk read the statement and determination of election signed by Frank A. Dolan, City Clerk, declaring the aforesaid gentlemen to be elected as aforesaid, the original report having been filed with the City Clerk of Jersey City on May 12th, 1921.

The above named Commissioners Elect then presented to the City Clerk the following notices:

"City Clerk's Office, City Hall,
Jersey City, May 12, 1921.

To John Bentley,

Sir:

You are hereby notified that at the Municipal Election held in this city on May 10th, 1921, you were elected to the office of Commissioner of Jersey City and under the reyuirements of the 37th section of the City Charter, unless before the expiration of ten days from the service of this notice, you take and subscribe the required oath of office before the City Clerk, you will be considered as having declined to accept said office.

Yours respectfully,
FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk."

"City Clerk's Office, City Hall,
Jersey City, May 12, 1921.

To Michael I. Fagen,

Sir:

You are hereby notified that at the Municipal Election held in this city on May 10th, 1921, you were elected to the office of Commissioner of Jersey City and under the requirements of the 37th section of the City Charter, unless before the expiration of ten days from the service of this notice, you take and subscribe the required oath of office before the City Clerk, you will be considered as having declined to accept said office.

Yours respectfully,
FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk."

"City Clerk's Office, City Hall,
Jersey City, May 12, 1921.

To James F. Gannon, Jr.,

Sir:

You are hereby notified that at the Municipal Election held in this city on May 10th, 1921, you were elected to the office of Commissioner of Jersey City and under the requirements of the 37th section of the City Charter, unless before the expiration of ten days from the service of this notice, you take and subscribe the required oath of office before the City Clerk, you will be considered as having declined to accept said office.

Yours respectfully,
FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk."

"City Clerk's Office, City Hall,
Jersey City, May 12, 1921.
To Frank Hague,
Sir:

You are hereby notified that at the Municipal Election held in this city on May 10th, 1921, you were elected to the office of Commissioner of Jersey City and under the requirements of the 37th section of the City Charter, unless before the expiration of ten days from the service of this notice, you take and subscribe the required oath of office before the City Clerk, you will be considered as having declined to accept said office.

Yours respectfully,
FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk."

"City Clerk's Office, City Hall,
"Jersey City, May 12, 1921.
"To A. Harry Moore.

"Sir: You are hereby notified that at the Municipal Election held in this City on May 10, 1921, you were elected to the office of Commissioner of Jersey City and under the requirements of the 37th section of the City Charter, unless before the expiration of ten days from the service of this notice, you take and subscribe the required oath of office before the City Clerk, you will be considered as having declined to accept said office.

"Yours respectfully,
"FRANK A. DOLAN,
"City Clerk."

Thereupon the City Clerk administered the usual oath of office to each Commissioner-elect and they were sworn in as Commissioners of Jersey City.

The following certificates were then read by the City Clerk and presented to each of the Commissioners:

"To Whom It May Concern:

"This is to certify that John Bentley was elected at the Municipal Election, held in Jersey City, May 10, 1921, to the office of Commissioner of Jersey City, and has qualified for said office in the manner required by law.

"In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand as City Clerk and have hereunto affixed the corporate seal of 'the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City,' this 17th day of May, 1921.

(Seal) "FRANK A. DOLAN,
"City Clerk."

"To Whom It May Concern:

"This is to certify that Michael I. Fagen was elected at the Municipal Election, held in Jersey City May 10, 1921, to the office of Commissioner of Jersey City, and has qualified for said office in the manner required by law.

"In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand as City Clerk and have hereunto affixed the corporate seal of 'the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City,' this 17th day of May, 1921.

(Seal) "FRANK A. DOLAN,
"City Clerk."

"To Whom It May Concern:

"This is to certify that James F. Gannon, Jr., was elected at the Municipal Election, held in Jersey City May 10, 1921, to the office of Commissioner of Jersey City, and has qualified for said office in the manner required by law.

"In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand as City Clerk and have hereunto affixed the corporate seal of 'the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City,' this 17th day of May, 1921.

(Seal) "FRANK A. DOLAN,
"City Clerk."

"To Whom It May Concern:

"This is to certify that Frank Hague was elected at the Municipal Election, held in Jersey City May 10, 1921, to the office of Commissioner of Jersey City, and has qualified for said office in the manner required by law.

"In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand as City Clerk and have hereunto affixed the corporate seal of 'the Mayor and Aldermen of

Jersey City,' this 17th day of May, 1921.

(Seal) "FRANK A. DOLAN,
"City Clerk."

"To Whom It May Concern:

"This is to certify that A. Harry Moore was elected at the Municipal Election held in Jersey City May 10, 1921, to the office of Commissioner of Jersey City, and has qualified for said office in the manner required by law.

"In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand as City Clerk and have hereunto affixed the corporate seal of 'the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City,' this 17th day of May, 1921.

(Seal) "FRANK A. DOLAN,
"City Clerk."

The City Clerk then announced that the first order of business would be the choosing of a temporary Chairman.

Commissioner Gannon nominated Commissioner A. Harry Moore to be temporary Chairman, and the nomination being seconded by Commissioner Fagen, the motion was carried and Commissioner Moore assumed the chair.

The Chair announced that the next order of business would be the nominating and election of a City Clerk of Jersey City.

By Commissioner Hague:

Resolved, That Frank A. Dolan be and he hereby is appointed City Clerk of Jersey City at an annual salary of $6,500.00 per year, payable in equal semi-monthly installments, said appointment to take effect immediately; further

Resolved, That the said Frank A. Dolan forthwith enter into bond to the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City with sufficient surety in the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000), the sufficiency of the surety to be approved by this Board and the form of the bond to be approved by the Corporation Counsel.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Hague and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Hague:

Resolved, That the bond of Frank A. Dolan as City Clerk, in the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000), with the American Surety Company as surety, now presented to this Board (the same having been approved as to form by John Milton, Corporation Counsel), be and the same hereby is approved and ordered filed.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Hague and Moore.

Nays: None.

The Chair then directed the City Clerk to call the roll, and the following named Commissioners answered as their names were called:

Present: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Hague and Moore.

Absent: None.

The Chair then announced that the next order of business would be the choosing of one of the Commissioners to be the presiding officer of all the meetings of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City and Mayor.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Resolved, That Commissioner Frank Hague be and he hereby is chosen to be the presiding officer of all the meetings of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City and Mayor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None. Commissioner Hague excused.

On motion of Commissioner Bentley, Commissioners Fagen and Gannon were appointed to escort Mayor Hague to the Chair.

Thereupon Mayor Hague assumed the Chair as presiding officer of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City.

Frank A. Dolan was then sworn in as City Clerk, and the usual oath of office was administered to him by the Mayor.

The Mayor then directed the City Clerk to proceed with the regular order of business.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That James F. Gannon, Jr., be and he hereby is designated and appointed as Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None. Commissioner Gannon excused.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Resolved, That A. Harry Moore be and hereby is designated and appointed Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None. Commissioner Moore excused.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That Michael I. Fagen be and he hereby is designated and appointed Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None. Commissioner Fagen excused.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That John Bentley be and he hereby is appointed and designated Director of the Department of Public Safety.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None. Commissioner Bentley excused.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That John Milton be and he hereby is appointed Corporation Counsel of Jersey City at an annual salary of Eight Thousand ($8,000.00) Dollars, payable in equal semi-monthly installments, said appointment to take effect at once.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That all the powers and duties of the office of City Treasurer of Jersey City shall be exercised and discharged by James F. Gannon, Jr., Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, until such time as the vacancy now existing in said office shall have been filled by appointment;

Further Resolved, That the said James F. Gannon, Jr., Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, be and he hereby is appointed said Treasurer of Jersey City, to act as such during said period without compensation.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That all the powers and duties of the office of City Comptroller of Jersey City shall be exercised and discharged by James F. Gannon, Jr., the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, until such time as the vacancy now existing in said office shall have been filled by appointment;

Further Resolved, That the said James F. Gannon, Jr., Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, be and he hereby is appointed City Comptroller to act as such during said period without compensation.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Resolved, That James F. Gannon, Jr., who was by resolution passed this day duly appointed City Treasurer of Jersey City, be required to furnish bond in the sum of One Hundred Thousand ($100,000.00) Dollars, for the faithful performance of his duties as such Treasurer according to law, the surety to be a company authorized to do business in this State.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Resolved, That James F. Gannon, Jr., who was by resolution passed this day duly appointed City Comptroller of Jersey City, be required to furnish bond in the sum of Fifty Thousand

($50,000.00) Dollars for the faithful performance of his duties as such Comptroller according to law, the surety to be a company authorized to do business in this State.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the bond of James F. Gannon, Jr., City Treasurer of Jersey City, as principal, and the

as surety, in the sum of One Hundred Thousand ($100,000.00) Dollars, for the faithful performance of his duties as City Treasurer (the same having been approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel), be and the same hereby is approved and ordered filed.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the bond of James F. Gannon, Jr., City Comptroller of Jersey City, as principal, and the

as surety, in the sum of Fifty Thousand ($50,000.00) Dollars, for the faithful performance of his duties as City Comptroller (the same having been approved s to form by the Corporation Counsel), be and the same hereby is approved and ordered filed.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That James Radigan be and he hereby is appointed City Collector of Jersey City with all the powers and duties incident to said office at an annual salary of Five Thousand ($5,000.00) Dollars, payable in equal semi-monthly installments, said appointment to take effect at once.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That James Radigan, who was by resolution passed this day duly appointed City Collector of Jersey City, be required to furnish bond in the sum of One Hundred Fifty Thousand ($150,000.00) Dollars, for the faithful performance of his duties as such Collector according to law, the surety to be a company authorized to do business in this State.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the bond of James Radigan, City Collector of Jersey City, as principal and the —————— —————— as surety, in the sum of one hundred fifty thousand dollars ($150,000.00), for the faithful performance of his duties as City Collector (the same having been approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel), be and the same hereby is approved and ordered filed.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That Joseph F. S. Fitzpatrick be and he hereby is appointed as Deputy to the Director of Revenue and Finance at an annual salary of $6,500.00, same to be paid in equal semi-monthly payments, said appointment to take effect at once.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That John Malone be and he hereby is appointed Deputy to the Director of Public Affairs at an annual salary of $6,000.00, payable in equal semi-monthly payments, said appointment to take effect at once.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Resolved, That William B. Quinn be

and he hereby is appointed Deputy Director of the Department of Public Safety at an annual salary of $5,000.00, payable in equal semi-monthly installments, said appointment to take effect at once.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Resolved, That Thomas Hopkins be and he hereby is appointed as Secretary to the Director of Public Safety at an annual salary of thirty-five hundred dollars ($3,500.00), payable in equal semi-monthly installments, said appointment to take effect at once.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That Thomas Maloney be and he hereby is appointed Deputy Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements at an annual salary of four thousand dollars ($4,000.00), payable in equal semi-monthly installments, said appointment to take effect at once.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Resolved, That William V. O'Driscoll be and he hereby is appointed Judge of the Second Criminal Court of Jersey City, pursuant to the authority vested by law in this Board of Commissioners, at an annual compensation of forty-five hundred dollars ($4,500.00), payable in equal semi-monthly installments, the said appointment to take effect immediately.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Resolved, That Leo Sullivan be and he hereby is appointed Judge of the First Criminal Court of Jersey City, pursuant to authority vested by law in this Board of Commissioners, at an annual compensation of forty-five hundred dollars ($4,500.00), payable in equal semi-monthly installments, said appointment to take effect immediately.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That Thomas J. Carroll be and he hereby is appointed Assessment Commissioner of Jersey City at a" annual salary of twenty-five hundred dollars ($2,500), payable in equal seimmonthly payments, said appointment to take effect at once.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That John F. Kennedy be and he hereby is appointed Assessment Commissioner of Jersey City at an annual salary of twenty-five hundred dollars ($2,500), payable in equal-semimonthly payments, said appointment to take effect at once.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commsisioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That Frank M. Martens be and he hereby is appointed Assessment Commissioner of Jersey City at an annual salary of twenty-five hundred dollars ($2,500), payable in equal semimonthly payments, said appointment to take effect at once.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That Cornelius J. Cronan, Harry Von Bulow, Michael Gill, Michael J. Curry and John J. Coppinger, be and they are appointed as members of the Board of Taxation and Advisors to the Director of Revnue and Finance to succeed the present members of said board, whose terms have expired.

Further resolved, That the compensation of the said Cornelius J. Cronan, Harry Von Bulow, Michael Gill, Michael J. Curry and John J. Coppinger, shall be each annually, four thousand dollars ($4,000), payable in equal semi-monthly installments, said appointments to take effect forthwith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That Charles C. Colgan be and he hereby is appointed Secretary to the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance at an annual salary of three thousand dollars ($3,000), payable in equal semi-monthly installments, said appointment to take effect at once.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That J. Harry Ertle be and he hereby is appointed City Marshal, for the term prescribed by statute, at an annual salary of twenty-five hundred dollars ($2,500), payable in equal semi-monthly installments, said appointment to take effect at once.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That Frederick L. Bloodgood, be and he hereby is appointed Secretary to the Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property, at an annual salary of thirty-five hundred dollars ($3,500), payable in equal semi-monthly installments, said appointment to take effect at once.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That John Bentley and James F. Gannon, Jr., be and they hereby are designated and appointed as members of the Board of School Estimate, said appointment to take effect at once.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Be it resolved, That the Director of Parks and Public Property shall be substituted for the Shade Tree Commission of Jersey City, the City Hall Commission of Jersey City, and the care and custody of all public station houses and buildings and fire houses and buildings of the Police and Fire Departments of Jersey City, the hospitals and the grounds of the hospitals of Jersey City, the City Plan Commission of Jersey City and the Public Baths and Harbor Board and shall be vested with all the authority, power and rights now or heretofore vested in such Shade Tree Commission of Jersey City, and City Hall Commission of Jersey City, and the care and custody of all police station houses and buildings and fire houses and buildings of the Police and Fire Departments of Jersey City, the hospitals of Jersey City and grounds of hospitals of Jersey City, and City Plan Commission of Jersey City and Harbor Board and perform all the duties now or heretofore imposed upon such Shade Tree Commission of Jersey City, and City Hall Commission of Jersey City, and the care and custody of all police station houses and buildings and fire houses and buildings of the Police and Fire Departments of Jersey City, and the hospitals and hospital grounds of Jersey City, and City Plan Commission of Jersey City, and the Public Baths, and Harbor Board.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Be it resolved, That the Director of Streets and Public Improvements of Jersey City shall be substituted for the Board of Street and Water Commissioners of Jersey City for the Board of Street and Water Commissioners of Jersey City and the Commissioners of Assessment of Jersey City, and shall be vested with all authoridy, powers and rights now or heretofore vested in such Board of Street and Water Commissioners of Jersey City and Commissioners of Assessment of Jersey City, and perform all the duties now or heretofore imposed upon such Board of Street and Water Commissioners of Jersey City and Board of Commissioners of Assessment of Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Be it resolved, That the director of Revenue and Finance of Jersey City shall be substituted for the Board of Tax Commissioners of Jersey City, and the Board of Finance of Jersey City, and shall be vested with all the authority, powers and rights now or heretofore vested in said Board of Tax Commissioners of Jersey City and Board of Finance of Jersey City, and shall perform all the duties now or heretofore imposed upon such Board of Tax Commissioners of Jersey City, and Board of Finance of Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague.

Resolved, That the Director of the Department of Public Affairs of Jersey City shall be substituted for the Board of Health of Jersey City, and the Department of the Overseer of the Poor of Jersey City, and the Board of Hospital Trustees of Jersey City, and shall be vested with all the power, authority and rights now or heretofore vested in said Board of Health of Jersey City, Department of the Overseer of the Poor of Jersey City, and Board of Hospital Trustees of Jersey City, and perform all the duties now or heretofore imposed upon such Board of Health of Jersey City, Department of the Overseer of the Poor of Jersey City and Board of Hospital Trustees of Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Be it resolved, That the director of Public Safety shall be constituted for the Board of Police Commissioners of Jersey City, the Board of Fire Commissioners of Jersey City, the Board of Examining Engineers of Jersey City, the Board of Excise Commissioners of Jersey City, and the Department of the Superintendent of Scales, Weights and Measures of Jersey City, and shall be vested with all the authority, powers and rights now or heretofore vested in such Board of Police Commissioners of Jersey City, Board of Fire Commissioners of Jersey City, Board of Examining Engineers of Jersey City, Board of Excise Commissioners of Jersey City, and the Department of Scales, Weights and Measures of Jersey City, and perform all the duties now or heretofore imposed upon such Board of Police Commissioners of Jersey City, Board of Fire Commissioners of Jersey City, Board of Examining Engineers of Jersey City, Board of Excise Commissioners of Jersey City, and the Department of the Superintendent of Scales, Weights and Measures of Jersey City.

Adopted.

Years: Commissioners Bently, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Introducing the following ordinance:

"An Ordinance fixing the compensation of the Mayor and of the Commissioners of Jersey City."

The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordani:

1. That the yearly compensation of the Mayor shall be Eight Thousand dollars ($8,000.00) dollars, and the yearly compensation of each Commissioner shall be the sum of Seventy-five Hundred dollars ($7,500.00), payable in equal monthly payments.

2. All ordinances and parts of ordi-

nances inconsistent herewith be and the same hereby are repealed.

3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

At this time Mayor Hague addressed the assemblage as follows:

"Ladies and Gentlemen: It would be an idle thing for me to pretend that I am not pleased with the outpouring of the citizens on this occasion, to witness the Commissioners taking their office for their new term.

"I desire, and I am speaking for all the members of the Board, to express to the people there assembled and generally to the city at large, our sincere thanks for their interest in us.

"I am sure that they are pleased to see so many people assembled here, and I am sure that they are more than pleased to see assembled here so many women on this occasion. It indicates that they are taking a lively interest in municipal affairs, following upon their newly acquired suffrage.

"My fellow Commissioners and myself are more than grateful to them for the splendid support they gave us in the last election.

"We have prepared a formal statement showing the plans which the City Commission proposes to carry out in the next four years, and I shall not do more than to welcome those who are here.

"In the name of the entire Board I extend to you our sincere thanks and a hearty welcome."

Thereupon, the City Clerk read the following statement:

To the People of Jersey City:

We desire to express in this formal way our gratitude for the confidence reposed in us as indicated by the vote cast at the recent election.

We propose that our feeling in this regard shall be evidenced by something more substantial than mere words of thanks, and we hope that our action in fostering and encouraging the development of the City during the term for which we have been elected will justify the people in choosing us to administer their affairs.

Four years ago certain promises were made at the beginning of the term for which the present members of this Board were then elected. Those promises related to changes and improvements in the City's affairs. Substantial progress, we may be excused for pointing out, has been accomplished. Complete accomplishment, however, of that program was frustrated because of the fact that this country was engaged in the world war during much of the term of office just closed, and further because of the inability to advantageously market municipal securities in the acute financial conditions prevailing for a long time after the armistice was declared.

That program of development dealt generally with the streets, water supply, schools, sewage disposal, police and fire departments, hospital conditions.

STREETS

Real progress was made during the term of office just closed by the department of streets and public improvements under the direction of Commissioner Michael I. Fagen. The streets of our city show the benefit of the time and money spent upon them. It will be our constant aim and endeavor to keep up the progress made in the substitution of new and modern pavement for the present character of pavement throughout the City. In this connection we hope to increase the degree of cleanliness by flushing all of the principal streets frequently each week, and to further improve the general appearance of our highways by causing all overhead wires to be buried and telegraph and telephone poles to be eliminated.

WATER SUPPLY

Among the improvements promised four years ago by the present Commission were the construction of a new submarine pipeline under the Hackensack and Passaic Rivers, and an additional water line from the Boonton reservoir to Jersey City so as to increase the quantity of water delivered daily to the City. The submarine line was finished over a year ago. The upland portion of the work is practically finished, and will be in operation within a very short time.

There is one further important problem so far as the quantity of water is concerned, viz.: the development of additional storage reservoirs as a measure of protection against continued drought. The City owns certain lands in the Rockaway River Water Shed known as the Long Wood Valley Farm. Certain other area, will have to be purchased and upon those lands a reservoir constructed. Further there is a natural reservoir existing in the water shed known as Split Rock Pond, which also should be acquired by the City. With the duplication of the pipeline from Boonton to Jersey City, the additional submarine crossing and the development of storage reservoirs, the city's needs for water from the quantity standpoint will be answered for a generation at least.

Another problem in connection with the water supply is its quality, or, in other words, the prevention of pollution. Shortly after the commencement of the term of office just finished, a contract was entered into with Dover for the construction of a trunk sewer to divert out of the Rockaway River above the City's intake point the sewage of that municipality. Negotiations with other municipalities, and litigation instituted by the East Jersey Water Company, have delayed the prosecution of the work. It is hoped and expected, however, by the City, that such litigation will be won; as soon as it is the actual prosecution of the work will begin.

SCHOOLS

Steady progress in the development of the school system marked the four years just closed. In the past few months an extensive and comprehensive program for new schools was worked out by the Board of Education, the Board of School Estimate and the City Commissioners. That program contemplates the expenditure over the next four years, of approximately a million and a half dollars a year. Steps inaugurating the program have already been taken through the acquisition of sites, and plans are now in course of preparation by the school architect, for this year's part of the program.

LIBRARIES

We are proud of the extension of the library system. A site has already been acquired for a handsome library branch in the Bergen section of the City. Bids have been received for the doing of the work, and the residents of that section will soon realize the convenience and benefit of the extension of the free public library. It will be our endeavor as rapidly as the financial condition of the City permits to duplicate in other sections of the City the Bergen Branch.

POLICE AND FIRE DEPARTMENTS

Important changes have been made in the personnel of the members of such departments. Vigorous, young and intelligent men have been added to both forces. New methods of establishing communication between the man of the street and the station house have been installed in portions of the City, and it is planned to exend the system throughout the entire City. These methods form a valuable adjunct in the detection and arrest of criminals at all hours of the night. The traffic department has been augmented and increased. The number of men on duty during the night hours have been likewise increased. The equipment of the Fire Department has been modernized and will be kept up-to-date. The two-platoon system has been installed, resulting in more efficient service. It will be the effort of this Board to perfect both the fire and police departments in the highest possible degree. Discipline in both departments will be maintained without fear or favor.

HOSPITALS

The hospital and welfare service of the City have been brought to a high state of efficiency. Today we possess one of the finest hospitals in the country.

The child welfare stations maintained by the City have proved a great boom to the poor people, and they will be improved and added to as time goes on. The City possesses today as a part of its welfare service two agencies or institutions which are not duplicated anywhere else, viz.: the Mother's Institute and the School for Crippled Children. This humanitarian work will be further extended so that the people who need this kind of service will get it.

PARKS AND PUBLIC PROPERTY

Tremendous strides have been made under the department in charge of this work. There is still room for more playgrounds and more parks, and as rapidly as may be done, they will be added to the existing system. The beauty and utility of the present parks and playgrounds will be kept up so that the visitor to Jersey City may take away with him, when he leaves, pleasant recollections of the City.

FINANCES AND TAXATION

Improvement and development of the City's activities cannot be had without expense. It will be the constant effort, however, of the Board to compel the utility and railroad and other corporations in the City to bear their fair share of that cost. We take pride in the fact that although substantial improvements have been made in the past four years, the City's tax rate is among the lowest in the State.

NATURAL RESOURCES

The next few years are likely to witness important changes in this City. The construction of the interstate tunnel opens up great possibilities for the future. Lower Jersey City in years to come, as a result of the construction of that link between the two States, will more than likely witness a transition in the character of the use to which buildings are to be put. Storage warehouses, factories and commerccial plants generally will no doubt take the place of existing dwellings. It will be the effort of the Board of Commissioners to invite industrial plants and factories to locate on this side of the river, where they may obtain cheaper land and cheaper rent than in New York.

Pending light upon the result of that transition no definite statement should be made as to what facilities will be installed by the City to encourage the occupation of vacant lands in the lower section of the City by warehouses and factories or the substitution of tenements with such plants. The people, however, can rest assured that everything necessary or proper by way of transportation to accommodate the industrial life will be promptly furnished by the City so far as is possible.

In anticipation of the conversion of lower Jersey City from a residential, or partially residential, section into an industrial or factory section, it must not be overlooked that steps are now being taken to prevent the creation of nuisances. An ordinance has just been enacted to regulate the emission of dense smoke. Both railroads and factories can operate without creating such nuisance and the balance of the City will be protected against that kind of annoyance.

If the lower section of the city is to become, as we hope, a thriving industrial center, then the problem of providing adequate and comfortable means for the people to reach their homes in other portions of the city will become more acute. The congestion at the Summit avenue tube station is already a menace and a great annoyance. The Hudson and Manhattan Railroad Company accepted a proposition, or suggestion, made by Commissioner Bentley with reference to the elimination of much of the congestion, and plans are now being worked out to put the suggestion in operation. Traffic conditions in the neighborhood of the Summit avenue tube station are likewise bad, and it will be the effort of the Commissioners, in conjunction with County Officials, to work out a olution of that problem which will enable the people of the city to get to and from the tube station during the rush hours without inconvenience.

Corollary to the wiping out of the

homes in the lower section of the city to make way for industrial life will be the development of the vacant lands west of the Summit avenue tube station. The Commission has endeavored heretofore to compel the construction of a tube station at or near West Side avenue. That effort will be renewed, because it is the belief of the Commissioners that as soon as building costs show the slightest reduction the western part of the city will become immediately improved through the erection of homes and business buildings, necessitating a station more convenient than the present Summit avenue tube station.

As a part of the general program of the development, the western slope of the city will not be overlooked. Preliminary steps have been taken to improve practically all of the lands fronting upon the Hackensack River between the Newark and New York Railroad Company on the north and the Bayonne city line on the south. Much of the land has already been acquired and proceedings are now under way to secure the balance of it. Plans for filling and bulkheading the land and building piers thereon are in preparation. The city will do its part to be ready for the wave of prosperity which it is hoped is on its way for this country. With the construction of the municipal bulkheads and piers the western section of the city should be immensely benefited.

TROLLEY AND GAS RATES

The attitude of the City Commissioners with respect to the applications by the Public Service Corporation for increases in rates to be charged by it for trolley service and gas service is so well understood that it does not seem to require any elaboration. Opposition to such increases, which has been so continually expressed, will be further made to any such increases.

We further propose to have an investigation made into the quality of gas furnished by the Public Service Gas Company and to apply for relief therefrom. If no relief can be obtained from the Public Utility Commission, we propose to submit to the people a referendum vote on the matter of installing or instituting a municipally owned and operated gas plant.

As we said four years ago, we have an understanding that Jersey City is on the eve of great changes and opportunities for advancement. We want to place our city in front rank.. We lay this tentative plan of improvement before the people for their consideration. There may be other things with which we have not dealt. If that be so, we desire suggestions with respect thereto from the people generally.

Received and ordered spread in full upon the minutes.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the program of municipal improvements read at this day's meeting of the Board of Commissioners be and the same hereby is adopted;

Further resolved, That it is the sense of this meeting that all of said improvements should be inaugurated and carried to completion as rapidly as possible.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

The City Clerk read the following communication which was submitted to the Board of Commissioners by the Corporation Counsel:

Jersey City, N. J., May 17, 1921.

To the Honorable Board of Commissioners, City Hall.

Gentlemen:—Subject to your approval and in accordance with Chapter 65, P. L., 1920, I have appointed all of the present members and employees of the Law Department as listed in the following schedule with the salaries set opposite their respective names:

Assistant Corporation Counsels.	
First, Thomas J. Brogan......	$6,000.00
Second, Charles M. Egan......	4,500.00
Legal Assistants.	
Edward P. Stout, temporary..	4,500.00
Myron C. Ernst, temporary...	4,500.00
Frank J. Reardon, temporary..	3,000.00
Stephen M. Egan, temporary..	2,500.00

Secretary to Corporation Counsel:

Mrs. Sarah R. Brensinger	2,500.00
Clerks and Stenographers	
Harry McGrath	3,000.00
Louise Rosenow	1,600.00
Margaret J. Gilligan	1,500.00
Clara Muller	1,500.00
N. Louis Paladeau, Jr.	1,500.00

Very truly yours, JOHN MILTON.

Received.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the action of the Corporation Counsel in appointing the employees in the Law Department in accordance with his communication to the Board of Commissioners under date of May 17, 1921, be and the same is hereby approved and the appointments confirmed;

Further resolved, That the director of the Department of Revenue and Finance be and he is hereby authorized and requested to place the names of said appointees on the payroll for the Department of Revenue and Finance at the annual salaries set opposite their respective names.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That this Board meets on Tuesday of each week, except legal holidays, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioner Bentley, Fagen, Gannon Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

At this time Assistant Corporation Counsel Thomas J. Brogan addressed the following remarks to Commissioner Bentley:

"In behalf of the members of the Law Department, we would not like to let this occasion go past without presenting a small token of our respect to the member of our department who has lately left us. We feel, one and all, that our loss has been a gain to the people of Jersey City and to the City Commission also. Therefore it becomes my very pleasant duty on behalf of the associates of our late brother, Mr. Bentley, to present him with this little token of our respect. (Presented black leather traveling bag.)

Commissioner Bentley responded as follows:

"Mr. Mayor, ladies and gentlemen, especially you members of the Law Department: I don't know what the significance of this traveling bag is, except that it may voice a hope on the part of the members of the Law Department that there may be another vacancy in the City Government soon, to which one of them may succeed. I have felt very much out of place in getting up before this audience because I realize that I don't fit in with the scenery here this morning. I had some hope that I might be able to borrow Mr. Milton's English walking coat to wear at this inauguration, but luck was against me. You gentlemen of the Law Department with whom I worked so many years (I hope that the people will believe that we worked, anyway), I scarcely know how to express my gratitude. It is entirely unexpected, as you gentlemen know, and therefore it is all the more pleasant. I thank you from the bottom of my heart for what you have done for me."

Congressman Charles F. X. O'Brien addressed the following remarks to Commissioner Bentley:

"Mr. Mayor and Fellow Commissioners: The ice having been broken by Counsellor Brogan in the matter of presenting a substantial token here today, I am very glad to follow in his footsteps. I have also been delegated on this occasion to present to Commissioner Bentley a substantial remembrance by his pals and buddies in the late war. For the time being, it is very appropriate in that it can be contained in a satchel, although there is no top to it, and we await further developments in the law of reason in the next Legislature in the next two or four years to come. On behalf of Company B, 110th Machine Gun Battalion, I have been selected or requested to present this very beautiful loving cup to him. It is substantially engraved and we sincerely trust that the recollection of not only this day but this gift will always carry very, very pleasant recollections indeed throughout his life, and in complimenting him individually on his success today, I am merely echoing the sentiments of the thousands and thousands of our fellow citizens of Jersey City, which was demonstrated in the successful conclusion of the battle of one week ago, in the unanimous election of the five Commissioners."

Commissioner Bentley replied as follows:

"I don't know what to say now. The Congressman aroused my hopes to a very high pitch when he spoke in sort of secret terms of what he had to present me with, but I never in the wildest flight expected such a thing as this. To you men from whom it came, and you know when we were together we did not have to make speeches, and now I simply cannot under these circumstances. All I can say to you is that you place me under further duty of obligation than I owe you. I thank you from the bottom of my heart.

Mr. Edward Hayes then addressed Commissioner Bentley, as follows: "Comrade Bentley, we of the Corporal James P. McGovern, Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars, who were in camp with you in Arizona and Alabama and served with you during the days of billets and bullets, cannot let this occasion go by with out expressing our feelings. I am delegated to present to you this small token of our respect. While complimenting you on your clean, able and successful campaign, we congratulate you and wish you good luck, good health and a successful administration, with the hope that the office that you assume today, will be but the stepping stone to a higher office." (presented gold pen).

Commissioner Bentley responded: "Ladies and Gentlemen: I cannot express my feelings to you, it is a splendid tribute, I am overcome. All I can say is that I thank you with all my heart."

Counsellor Brogen then addressed the following remarks to the Board: "Mr. Mayor and Gentlemen of the Commission: When Congressman O'Brien referred to the gift that I presented to Mr. Bentley it aroused the hopes of a lot of us around here. However the friends of one of the dignitaries feel that we cannot let this occasion go by, to present a token to the man whom the people of the city consider as the sixth Commissioner of Jersey City, our City Clerk, Frank A. Dolan. (presented gold pen).

City Clerk Dolan with a few brief remarks expressed his thanks to Mr. Brogan.

There being no further business before the Board, on motion of Commissioner Gannon the Board adjourned.

JOHN BENTLEY,
MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.
A. HARRY MOORE,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

Approved:
FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF MAY 24, 1921

Minutes of a regular meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, May 24, 1921, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Absent: Mayor Hague (excused).

In the absence of the Mayor, Commissioner Gannon, Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance and Vice-Mayor, presided.

IMPROVEMENT HEARINGS.

This time and place having been advertised as required by law for the purpose of holding a public hearing to consider the undertaking of the following described improvement:

The improvement of all that part of Halladay Street, between the Newark and New York Railroad and Forrest Street by paving with asphalt pavement on concrete base, and also for the purpose of considering an ordinance covering said improvement and to determine upon its adoption or rejection, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof, the City Clerk read the public notice of hearing and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the undertaking of the improvement.

Mr. N. E. Britton, representing the Air Reduction Company, presented a protest signed by his company and other property owners on Halladay Street, which property owners represented 308.86 feet of frontage. The protest states that the benefits to be derived do not warrant the proposed expenditures, which would result in a burden because of present business conditions.

Mr. Slater, also a property owner who signed the protest appeared and stated that his property did not warrant an asphalt pavement on the street; that his tenants were paying only $20.00 a month and the dirt road which is in good condition is sufficient for the present.

The City Clerk then called for anyone who might desire to be heard in favor of the improvement.

Mr. Herman Seydel and Mr. Reiners of the Seydel Mfg. Co. appeared in favor of the improvement.

Mr. Seydel stated that practically every dwelling owner desires the improvement; that they have approached him during the several years past towards having something done to relieve the disgraceful condition of the street; that the street is never cleaned by the city on account of it being a dirt road; that if the improvement is not undertaken, he will be compelled to take other steps to remedy the sanitary condition; that the interest of the property owners should be taken into consideration; that his company located here nine years ago and paid taxes on about $15,000, whereas today they are paying taxes on about $200,000, and that therefore his plant should be given some consideration; that his company must use this street as an outlet and the Air Reduction Company uses Pacific Avenue; that there is located on that street, the Baker Company, the Hudson County Gas Works and others who desire the improvement; that it is necessary to expend a considerable amount of money repairing their trucks on account of the poor condition of the street; further that the application for the improvement was signed by 51 per cent. of the property owners.

Mr. Britton showed by his schedule that Mr. Seydel was in error with reference to the 51 per cent. of the property owners; that the sanitary conditions were not any worse than other cities in the State, who have not the advantage of paved streets; that this is not a residential section in any sense of the word; that factories and industries are gradually filling up in this section and driving out what few residents remain there.

Mr. Seydel retracted his statement with reference to having the required 51 per cent. of the property owners in favor, after the matter was explained by Mr. Britton.

On motion of Commissioner Moore, the hearing was ordered continued and the matter referred to Commissioner Fagen for investigation and recommendation.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the undertaking of the proposed improvement of Halladay Street between the Newark and New York Railroad and Forrest Street, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152, Laws of 1917 and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to Tuesday June 7, 1921, at 2 p m. in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

FRANCHISE HEARINGS

This time and place having been advertised for the purpose of considering the final passage of the following described ordinance:

An ordinance to amend a certain ordinance passed by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City on January 4, 1921, entitled "An ordinance granting permission to the M. W. Kellogg Company, a corporation, to lay and maintain oil and water pipes under the surface of a portion of certain lands and premises of Jersey City, forming a part of Droyer's Point, or at or near the same, and which portion of said lands and premises is to be dedicated as a public street or highway,"
the City Clerk read the ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against its final passage. No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of the above described ordinance.

On motion of Commissioner Moore, the ordinance was referred to Miscellaneous Business for further action.

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the application of the Fairmount Terminal Association, Inc., requesting permission to construct an industrial railroad in the Fairmount terminal district of the city, the City Clerk having advised the Board that the interested parties had made a request to him that the matter be adjourned for one week.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the application of the Fairmount Terminal Association, Inc., for permission to construct an industrial railroad in the Fairmount Terminal district of the city be, and the same is hereby, adjourned and continued to Tuesday, May 31, 1921, at 2 p. m., in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

CITY ORDINANCES

This time and place having been advertised for the purpose of considering the final passage of the following described ordinances:

An ordinance authorizing $53,000.00 emergency bonds of the City of Jersey City.

An ordinance authorizing $4,550.00 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City.

An ordinance appropriating $160,000.00 for the erection of a new library building and authorizing temporary improvement bonds for said purpose, and providing for the payment of said bonds.

An ordinance authorizing $26,000.00 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City.

An ordinance authorizing $6,000.00 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City.

An ordinance authorizing $23,000.00

temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City.

An ordinance authorizing $29,500.00 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City.

An ordinance authorizing $20,000.00 emergency bonds of the City of Jersey City.

An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled "Building Code," passed September 17, 1907, and approved October 1, 1907.

An ordinance providing for smoke inspection and abatement.

The City Clerk read each ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the ordinances were referred to Miscellaneous business for further action.

ALTERATION HEARINGS

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications:

Clara Segall, requesting permission to remove partitions, increasing area of store 443 Bergen avenue.

A. M. Henry, build new showcase and set new marble base under present show windows, 30 Newark avenue.

Alps Restaurant, electric sign, 727 Bergen avenue.

H. Mason, requesting permission to erect private garage under piazza, 25 Graham street.

The City Clerk read each application and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of any of said above described applications.

In connection with the application of A. M. Henry for permission to alter 30 Newark avenue, Mr. George Kleinhaus, representing the Newark Avenue Business Men's Association, appeared and stated that his association opposes the alteration of this building because it is old and of frame construction, embarrassing the progress of the business section of Newark avenue and further tends to increase the insurance rate of the whole city.

Commissioner Fagen moved that the application be denied on the protest of the Newark Avenue Business Men's Association on the grounds that the alteration of said building would be continuing an extra fire hazard, public hearing having been held on said application in accordance with the provisions of an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to amend an ordinace etitled 'The Buildig Code'," which amendment was passed July 16, 1912, by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, Application has been made to the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City by A. M. Henry, owner of premises No. 30 Newark Avenue, for permission to erect new show case in present store vestibule, set new marble base under present show windows and new doors in said premises; and

Whereas, In accordance with the provisions of an ordinance passed by the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City, July 16, 1912, entitled "An Ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled 'The Building Code,'" public hearing was advertised for and held on said application on Tuesday, May 24th, 1921, at which hearing protest was filed against the granting of said application on the ground that such alteration would increase the fire hazard within the fire limits of Jersey City; and

Whereas, The Board of Commissioners have determined that said protest should be sustained; therefore be it

Resolved, That the application of A. M. Henry requesting permission to erect new show case in present store vestibule, set marble base under present show windows and new doors in premises. No. 30 Newark Avenue, be and the same is hereby denied for the reason that said alteration will increase the fire hazard within the fire limits in said city of Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commisssioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby grantd to Clara Segall to remove partitions on first, second, and third floors, and erect new partitions, increasing area of store in three-story, two-family frame, store dwelling and office building No. 443 Bergen Avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to the Alps Restaurant to erect electric sign to project eight feet from building line at No. 727 Bergen Avenue, as shown on blue print attached to application; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to H. Mason to erect private garage under piazza and front of house, driveway graded only up to lot line, also enclose piazza with sash, all as shown on blue print attached to application, provided that the street and sidewalk level is not altered in any manner, in two-family, two-story frame dwelling No. 25 Graham Street; further

Resolved, That the Superintendent of Buildings be and he is hereby authorized and requested to issue permit for doing said work.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

At this time the City Clerk announced that Dr. Chaim Weitzmann and Professor Albert Einstein had arrived at the City Hall and that the Board of Commissioners had arranged to welcome him to the City.

On motion of Commissioner Moore the Board took a recess for the purpose of welcoming the distinguished guest, after the following resolution was introduced:

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Jersey City is honored by the presence of Dr. Chaim Weitzmann and Professor Albert Einstein; and

Whereas, What these gentlemen have accomplished for civilization is of such great importance as to place them among the eminent and distinguished men of the age; and

Whereas, Jersey City is grateful that they have honored us by their presence: therefore be it

Resolved. That we, the Commissioners of Jersey City, in behalf of the whole people of our City, assuring them of our appreciation for their visit, officially extend to them the freedon of the City of Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

In conclusion of the ceremonies in connection with the welcoming of Dr. Weitzmann and Professor Einstein the Board of Commissioners reconvened in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, and answered roll call as follows:

Present: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Absent: Mayor Hague (excused.)

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

From Frederick C. Henn, acknowledging receipt of certified copy of ordinance passed by the Board of Commissioners on May 9, 1921, accepting Corbin avenue as dedicated.

Received and ordered filed.

From residents and property owners on Bidwell avenue, between Jackson and Ocean avenues, protesting against the proposed block dance to be held there under the auspices of the Selwyn Social Club.

Received and referred to Commissioner Bentley.

From William Harris, requesting permission to build garage under 1684 Boulevard.

Received.

From Miss C. Heintze, requesting permission to erect garage under 553 Pavonia avenue.

Received.

From Corporation Counsel John Milton, advising the Board that there is no action that can be taken on the protest of property owners against the garages at 74 and 76 Clerk street, inasmuch as the Zoning Commission and Building Department had issued their permits.

Received.

From Corporation Counsel John Milton, advising the Board that there is no action that can be taken on the protest of property owners against the garages at 61-65 Randolph avenue, inasmuch as the Zoning Commission and Building Department had issued their permits.

Received.

AUDITING CLAIMS

By Director Bentley:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$375.00, A. G. Spaulding, uniforms.
$9.00, B. B. Dust Eater Co., compound.
$14.08, Baker, Murray & Imbrie, parts.
$18.52, F. B. Brill, paints.
$19.42, Barnes Mfg. Co., doors.
$530.26, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.
$197.24, W. J. Coleman, elec. supplies.
$61.25, Same, same.
$117.20, Mrs. Elizabeth Dougherty, meals for prisoners.
$39.20, A. Datz Co., printing.
$25.40, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., repairs.
$30.00, Fleischman Bros., repairs.
$86.20, J. Frey, clipping machine.
$19.50, Thomas Finnerty, ice.
$139.58, Gamewell Fire Alarm Teleg. Co., repairs.
$13.50, Great Bear Spring Co., water.
$86.06, Joseph F. Hurley, insurance.
$17.89, Same, same.
$77.00, Charles Hayes, horseshoeing.
$105.60, Mrs. Minnie Heitzman, meals for prisoners.
$20.30, E. B. Haskins, paper.
$13.35, T. L. Higgins, supplies.
$104.25, P. Jocham Co., repairs.
$70.00, J. Kirkpatrick, horseshoeing.
$17.64, A. Kuntz, lamps.
$27.80, H. & F. Mesinger Mfg. Co., parts and repairs.
$300.00, E. S. Myers, rent stable.
$125.26, N. Y. Tel. Co., service.
$141.05, Same, same.
$12.00, National Gas Governor Co., rental regulators.
$321.24, Public Service Elec. Co., service, April.
$22.60, Same, same.
$309.28, Same, same, March.
$235.63, Public Service Gas Co., service, April.
$228.12, Same, same, March.
$46.65, Stanley & Patterson, x-arm braces.
$12.00, Alex Scott, storing motorcycle.
$36.00, Soney & Sage, law books.
$17.00, Union Printing Co., printing.
$6.30, J. A. Vill & Son, supplies.
$70.56, Same, horns.
$..75, Same, supplies.
$23.52, Same, same.
$85.38, Valvoline Oil Co., oil.
$11.64, Whipple Hdw. Co., supplies.
$7.85, Expert Auto Tire Repair Co., repairs.
$4.08, Jerome O'Keefe, felt.
$114.90, Palace Garage Company.
$489.02, Public Service Gas Company.
$70.00, William Eckel.
$90.75, American La France Fire Engine Company.
$12.75, Albert Datz Company.
$4.05, Standard Oil Company.

$12.15, Standard Oil Company.

$4.05, Standard Oil Company.

$4.05, Standard Oil Company.

$64.68, Whipple Hardware Company.

$25.60, Joseph Dixon Crucible Company.

$217.03, Charles H. Engler.

$57.93, Charles H. Engler.

$18.52, Charles P. Hansen.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$120.53, Ahlmeyer Bros., repairs.

$320.10, Ahlmeyer Bros., repairs.

$1.00, Continental Typewriter Company, repairs.

$36.50, Charles Hayes, horseshoeing.

$271.00, C. J. Lutton, horseshoeing.

$34,00, Thomas J. Miskell, horseshoeing.

$3.50, William McKittrick, horseshoeing.

$4.60, New York Telephone Company, service.

$185.00, Ransome Concrete Mac. Company, supplies.

$825.00, A. Steinert & Son, supplies.

$425.00, A. Steinert & Son, supplies.

$65.50, Richard Stanton, horseshoeing.

$84.00, James Sweeney, horseshoeing.

$85.75, J. F. Sullivan, horseshoeing.

$102.10, Auto Sales Service Company, supplies.

$8.60, Builders Iron Foundry, supplies.

$18.20, L. Clark, supplies.

$150.00, Gamon Meter Company, supplies.

$33.00, W. R. Harrison, photos.

$7.10, Jersey City Supply, supplies.

$30.50, E. Kelly, horseshoeing.

$2.50, Morris Motor Car Company, supplies.

$12.00, L. Mundoni, refund.

$52.17 Mutual Iron Works, repairs.

$401.85, National Motor Company, supplies.

$3.40, New York Telephone Company, service.

$67.19, Public Service Gas, service.

$4.40, Public Service Electric, service.

$84.52, J. H. Paul, supplies.

$408.27, Taxes Town of Kearny.

$277.99, Taxes Town of Kearny.

$579.39, Taxes Borough of North Caldwell.

$408.49, Texas Company, supplies.

$278.51, Texas Company, supplies.

$6.18, Burroughs Adding Machine, repairs.

$9.65, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

$38.81, Boonton Auto Garage, supplies.

$34.50, Walter J. Coleman, supplies.

$23.75, Charles F. Hansen, supplies.

$113.75, James P. Hall, supplies.

$1.00, Lehigh Valley Railroad, rent.

$75.20, Montgomery Garage, supplies.

$3.10, Nathan & Co, supplies.

$9.18, New York Telephone Company, service.

$30.80, Public Service Electrical Company, service.

$20.00, James Verdi, boots.

$68.50, John C. Wolf, supplies.

$2.75, Worthington Pump and Machine Company, supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$16.08, John Hillman, refund deposit balance.

$20.72, Estate E. Ferrett, refund deposit balance.

$3.00, Otis Kendall, refund license fee; error.

$3.74, Hudson Observer, Appln Gigliotta.

$1.80, Hudson Observer, Silverstein.

$4.18, Hudson Observer, Cassal.

$3.30, Hudson Observer, Wikander.

$3.30, Hudson Observer, Frank.

$3.74, Hudson Observer, Appicello.

$4.18, Hudson Observer, McOwan.

$3.96, Hudson Observer, Craw.

$3.52, Hudson Observer, Bloom.

$3.74, Hudson Observer, Gevis.

$3.74, Hudson Observer, Morrison.

$3.52, Hudson Observer, Conrad.

$3.74, Hudson Observer, Sigrin.

$3.52, Hudson Observer, Watkins.

$3.74, Hudson Observer, Rickard.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, Wikander application.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, Mason.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, Cassak.

$2.00, Evening Journal Association, Silverstein.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, Rickard.

$2.00, Evening Journal Association, Alps Rest.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, Segall.

$2.00, Evening Journal Association, Henry.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the City Treasurer in payment of the following claims:

$12.50, Garfunkel Brothers, electrical supplies.

$1.75, Thomas L. Higgins, building material.

$27.85, Oakland Lumber Company, lumber.

$17.50, Frank E. Olde, insurance.

$27.20, Oakland Lumber Company, lumber.

$3.00, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$137.33, Lincoln Auto and Repair Company, auto repairs.

$58.20, S. J. Crawford Company, plumber supplies.

$99.25, S. J. Crawford, plumber supplies.

$101.75, S. J. Crawford Company, plumber repairs.

$36.16, R. H. Perry & Co., coal.

$25.00, John E. Muller's Sons, insurance.

$300.00, W. A. Barclay, install water heater.

$8.55, Fleischman Brothers, auto repairs.

$120.54, Washburn Brothers, sand, cement and gravel.

$20.00, Fagan Iron Works, iron saddle.

$420.00, Charles Campbell, grass seeds.

$5.62, John Haseloop, insurance.

$48.35, S. J. Crawford Co., plumber repairs.

$120.00, Hartung Brothers, seeds.

$7.20, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$58.00, Jersey City Lumber Company, lumber.

$50.00, Eagle Window Cleaning Company, cleaning windows.

$17.50, Walter M. Seitz, insurance.

$4.48, Public Service Gas Company, gas consumed.

$6.16, Public Service Gas Company, gas consumed.

$19.90, Public Service Electric Company, electricity consumed.

$23.30, Public Service Electric Company, electricity consumed.

$4.30, New York Telephone Company, telephone service.

$1.80, New York Telephone Company, telephone service.

$21.62, Thomas L. Higgins, wire cloth.

$19.60, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$3.50, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$46.55, Interstate Chemical Company, weed killer.

$59.98, Thomas L. Higgins, screen wire.

$20.20, Thomas L. Higgins, nails.

$61.85, O'Brien & Keilt, plumber repairs.

$50.30, Thomas L. Higgins, wire cloth.

$22.05, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$11.85, Thomas L. Higgins, nails, etc.

$4.00, M. Tractenberg, glass.

$4.55, M. Tractenberg, glass.

$10.30, A. J. Haesloop, material.

$15.00, M. Tractenberg, glass and sash cord.

$17.30, Oscar Michler, repairs.

$39.60, W. A. Barclay, plumbing.

$10.50, W. A. Barclay, plumbing.

$47.45, New York Telephone Company, telephone service.

$36.75, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following named claimants for the amounts and purposes indicated:

$14.30, D. E. Cleary, groceries.

$52.68, I. Judge, mats.

$11.00, Albert Datz Company, printing.

$19.95, The Kny-Scheerer Corporation, supplies.

$9.40, Coleman Auto Electrical Service Company, auto repairs.

$28.32, Charles F. Hansen, supplies.

$299.88, Loori Brothers, anti-toxin.

$24.00, J. Taglirino, removing dead animals.

$15.25, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$106.82, Union Printing Company, printing.

$15.40, George Harold, ice.

$411.60, Lederle Anti-toxin Laboratory, vaccine.

$235.20, The Union Printing Company, printing.

$5.00, Plumbers' Trade Journal, subscription.

$3.50, James McTague, drug samples.

$178.36, Union Printing Company, stationery.

$10.00, Alec Scott, storage.

$80.12, Albert Datz Company, printing.

$22.73, Loori Brothers, drugs.

$15.00, William Bill, groceries.

$48.69, Loori Brothers, drugs.

$44.23, McCloskey Drug Company, drugs.

$5.50, Loori Brothers, drugs.

$1.00 Morris Motor Car Company, auto supplies.

$450.00, A. McDonough, groceries.

$150.00, Tom Murray's Shoes, Inc.

$25.50, B. Vitarius, surgical supplies.

$1.30, New York Telephone Company, service.

$2.20, Public Service Electric Company, Murray.

$61.25, Valvoline Oil Company, oil.

$2.25, Parke, Davis & Co., strychnine.

$54.98, McKesson & Robbins, Inc., drugs.

$4.05, McCloskey Drug Company, acid.

$79.00, Armour & Co., soap.

$89.57, Joseph P. Sack, supplies.

$141.25, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

$90.44, T. P. Ryer, soap powder.

$16.62, Meincke & Co., glass syringe.

$253.58, John F. Crosby, fruit and vegetables.

$83.70, Armour & Co., peaches.

$14.85, Expert Auto Tire Repair Company, repairing tires.

$482.19, Edward M. Dixon, fish and oysters.

$4.88, The Wilmot Castle Company, rubber washer.

$12.63, New York Telephone Company, service.

$240.10, W. R. Holmes, coffee and tea.

$18.18, Food Appliance Manufacturing Corporation, repairing machines.

$5.00, Fleischman Brothes, repairing radiator.

$31.00, Benjamin Kuperman, glass.

$14.00, Blackford's, Inc., clams.

$9.92, American Scrubbing Equipment Company, supplies.

$12.00, Martin Bold, corned beef tank.

$18.40, E. Schminnel, dethol.

$56.93, Blakeslee-Cadillac Company, auto supplies.

$160.90, New York Telephone Company, service.

$13.36, The Globe-Wernicke Company, folders, etc.

$155.88, New York Telephone Company, service.

$50.60, Blackford's, Inc., fish and clams.

$3.72, General Electric Company, brushes.

$3.38, Henry Johnson Company, Inc., gaskets.

$9.83, Parke, Davis & Co., supplies.

$6.80, American Auto Tire Company, repairing tires.

$221.96, American Auto Tire Company, auto supplies.

$14.00, The D. E. Cleary Company, groceries.

$13.50, Otto Wilkens, supplies.

$364.09, General Baking Company, bread.

$345.58, Petit & Reed, butter.

$99.94, Jack McConville, lamb and bacon.

$18.00, Hospital Supply Company, supplies.

$83.22, A. Silz, Inc., pork loin and tripe.

$44.02, E. B. Haskins, supplies.

$37.50, Albert Datz Company, printing.

$11.40, Davana Oil Company, olive oil.

$144.65, Joseph H. Browne, supplies.

$4.20, De Martini Macaroni Company, macaroni.

$191.10, Tom Murray Shoes, Inc., slippers.

$37.48, Joseph T. Sack, floor brushes.

$17.64, McKesson & Robbins, drugs.

$43.58, The Malinkrodt Chemical Works, chemicals.

$10.20, Armour & Company, pituitary glands.

$36.42, John J. Mooney, drugs.

$11.25, McCloskey Drug Company, drugs.

$191.40, S. W. Kagan Company, lamb and beef.

$343.61, D. Eisenberg, fruits and vegetables.

$68.60, Ideal Quilting Company, padding.

$67.51, William Bill, groceries.

$4.20, The De Martini Macaroni Company, sphagetti.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS

From Commissioner Gannon submitting two supplemental debt statements:

Received and ordered filed.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS

By Commissioner Bentley:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to regulate and control the business of selling or reselling of tickets for any boxing contests, theatrical performances, vaudeville shows, concerts, or any other entertainment."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance providing for smoke inspection and abatement.

The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. There is hereby created a department of smoke inspection, the head of which shall be known as the Smoke Inspector.

Section 2. The smoke inspector shall be appointed by the Board of Commissioners and shall perform the duties of his office until removed from office or until his successor is appointed.

Section 3. The person so appointed shall be a mechanical engineer qualified by technical training and experience in the theory and practice of the construction and operation of steam boilers and furnaces; also in the theory and practice of smoke abatement and prevention.

Section 4. The salary of the smoke inspector shall be twenty-one hundred dollars per annum.

Section 5. There is hereby created the office of Assistant Chief Smoke Inspector, who shall be appointed by the Board of Commissioners.

Section 6. The person so appointed shall possess the qualifications as those specified for the smoke inspector.

Section 7. The salary of the assistant chief smoke inspector shall be eighteen hundred dollars per annum.

Section 8. There shall be as many deputy smoke inspectors, clerks and stenographers as shall be necessary, and they shall be appointed by the Board of Commissioners.

Section 9. The Board of Commissioners shall appoint a smoke-abatement commission, composed of seven representative citizens, who shall act as advisers to the mayor and to the smoke inspectors upon matters pertaining to the organization or the conduct of the department, or both. The smoke inspector shall at all times receive and place and keep on file all suggestions, recommendations, advice, or other communications that may be submitted to him in writing by the smoke-abatement commission.

Sectin 10. The smke abatement commission may name an advisory board of mechanical engineers, which shall consist of three consulting engineers of recognized ability and integrity, who have had experience in the installation and operation of steam power and heating plants. This board shall act as advisers on engineering questions to the smoke abatement commission and to the members of the department. Meetings of the advisory board may be called at any time by the smoke abatement commission or by the smoke inspector. Members of the advisory board shall act without pay.

Section 11. No work shall be done upon the erection of any new plant, or on the reconstruction of any old plant for the production of power or heat, or on the erection or reconstruction of any part thereof, except as hereinafter specified, until plans and specifications for such erection or reconstruction shall have been submitted to and approved by the smoke inspector, and a permit issued by him for the prosecution of such work. These plans and specifications shall show not only the nature and extent of the proposed construction work, but also the amount of power or heat to be supplied by such plant and all appurtenances thereto. They shall also show that adequate space has been provided for the installation of equipment, so that it may be properly operated, and shall indicate all provisions made for the purpose of obtaining complete combustion of the fuel to be used and for the purpose of preventing smoke. Said plans and specifications shall also contain a statement of the kind of fuel to be used, including the commercial size of coal when such fuel is specified; said plans and specifications shall also show that the room or apartment in which such plant is to be located is provided with doors, windows or other means of ventilation sufficient to prevent the temperature of any room or apartment wherein such steam plant or apparatus is to be used from rising to a point higher than 120 degrees Fahrenheit, and sufficient also to provide that the atmosphere of any such room or apartment may be entirely renewed every ten minutes. Upon the approval of said plans and specifications, a duplicate set of which shall be left on file in the smoke inspector's office, and upon payment of the fees hereinafter provided, a permit shall be issued for the erection or reconstruction of such plant. Upon the issuance of such permit the smoke inspector shall then notify the superintendent of buildings, whose duty it shall be to see that the work for which the permit has been granted is carried out in accordance with the plans and specifications, with especial reference to the amount of space used, the size and construction of the chimney or chimneys used, the provisions for the prevention of smoke, and the provisions for ventilation and for maintenance of the proper temperature in the engine and boiler rooms.

Section 12. It shall be unlawful for any person to use any new or reconstructed plant for the production of heat or power, until he shall have first procured from the smoke inspector a certificate stating that the plant is so constructed that it will do the work required, and that it can be so managed that no dense smoke will be emitted from the chimney connected to the furnace or firebox.

Section 13. No owner or operator shall alter or repair any plant for the production of heat or power, or any part thereof, which alteration, change or installation shall affect the method or efficiency of preventing smoke, without first submitting plans and specifications to the smoke inspector and obtaining a permit therefor; provided, however, that minor necessary or emergency repairs that do not increase the capacity of such plant, or that do not involve any alterations in the method or efficiency of smoke prevention, may be made by or under the engineer in charge of said plant without a permit. Any person who shall violate this section shall be liable to a fine of $25 for each day upon which he shall prosecute such alteration, change or installation without a permit, and each day's violation shall constittue a separate offense.

Section 14. The fees for the inspection of plan and specifications, for the issuing of permits and for the inspection of plants and issuing of certificates shall be as follows:

For inspecting plans of new plants and of plants about to be reconstructed, $2.

For inspecting plans for repairs and alterations, $1.

For examining a plant after its erection or reconstruction and before its operation and maintenance, $2.

The fee paid for the inspection or examination shall include the issuing of a permit or certificate, in case such permit or certificate is granted.

Section 15. The emission of dense smoke within the city from the smokestack of any locomotive, steamboat, or steam tug for a period of more than one minute, except for a period or periods aggregating not to exceed 10 minutes in any one hour during which period or periods the firebox is being cleaned or a new fire is being built therein, is hereby declared a nuisance; Provided, That the fire engines or the fireboats of the city fire department, or both of them, shall be exempt from these restrictions.

The emission of dense smoke within the city from the smokestack of any steam roller, steam derrick, steam pile driver, tar kettle, or other similar machine or contrivance, or from the smokestack or chimney of any building or premises, except for a period or periods aggregating not to exceed six minutes in any one hour during which period or periods the firebox is being cleaned or a new fire is being built therein, is hereby declared a nuisance.

Any nuisance such as the above-specified may be summarily abated by the smoke inspector, or by anyone whom he may duly authorize for the purpose, and such abatement may be in addition to the fine hereinafter provided.

Any person or persons, or corporation, owning, operating, or in charge or control of any locomotive, steamboat, steam tug, steam roller, steam derrick, steam pile driver, tar kettle, or other similar machine or contrivance, or of any building or premises, who shall cause or permit the emission of dense smoke within the city, in contravention of the provisions of this section, from the somestack of any locomotive, steamboat, steam tug, steam roller, steam derrick, steam pile driver, tar kettle, or other similar machine or contrivance, or from the smoestack or chimney of any building or premises so owned, controlled, or in charge of him, her, them or it, shall be deemed guilty of a violation of the ordinance, and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not less than ten dollars ($10) nor more than one hundred dollars ($100) for each offense; and each day of such emissions of dense smoke shall constitute a separate offense.

For the purpose of grading the density of smoke, the Ringlemann smoke chart, as published and used by the Federal Bureau of Mines, shall be the standard of comparison. Smoke shall be considered "dense" when it is of a greater density than No. 3 of the chart.

Section 16. The provisions of sections 13, 14, 15, and 17 shall not apply to detached private residences, nor to buildings used exclusively for private residence purposes, in which the number of families occupying apartments shall be less than five.

Section 17. Prosecution for all lolations of this ordinance shall be instituted by the smoke inspector and shall be prosecuted in the name of the city.

The issuance and delivery by the smoke inspector of any permit or certificate for the construction or reconstruction of, or any permit for the alteration or repair of any plant or chimney connected with a plant shall not be held to exempt any person or corporation to whom such permit or certificate has been issued or delivered, or who is in possession of any such permit or certificate, from prosecution on account of the emissions or issuance of dense smoke caused or permitted by such person or corporation.

Section 18. Any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this ordinance, except as otherwise provided, shall be fined not less than ten dollars ($10) nor more than one hundred dollars ($100) for each offense.

Section 19. The City shall provide such instruments, books, papers and equipment as shall be necessary for the proper performance of the duties of the members of the department. The Smoke Inspector shall have charge of such instruments, books, paper and equipment, and shall deliver the same to his successor in office.

Section 20. The smoke inspector shall cause to be kept in his office a complete record of all plans submitted, of all permits issued, of all examinations of plants made by members of the department, and of all certificates issued. He shall also cause to be kept a record of all stocks observed and of the smoke observations for any stack that is found to exceed the allowable time limit for dense smoke.

Section 21. The smoke inspector shall make an annual report of the work of his department to the Mayor and Board of Commissioners on or before December 1st, and at such other time as he may be required by the Board of Commissioners.

Section 22. If any persons acting in behalf of the City under the provisions of the ordinance shall take or receive any money or any valuable thing for the purpose of deceiving any person or persons, or for the purpose of favoring any person or persons, he shall be dismissed from the service, and any bond he may have made shall be forfeited; or if the Inspector shall issue any certificate of inspection before the department shall have thoroughly examined and inspected the furnace, device or apparatus as certified, he shall be fined not more than fifty dollars ($50) for each offense.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer and approved as to form by the Corporation Counsel, for furnishing fittings and making one thirty-inch tap on thirty-six inch main at Central and Jefferson avenues, Jersey City, New Jersey, be and are hereby adopted and ordered filed and the City Clerk directed to advertise for proposals in conformity therewith.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to improve all that part of Bramhall avenue, between Halladay street and Woodward street, in the city of Jersey City, by improving with second hand blocks on a sand base, in accordance with provisions of Chapter 152, of the Laws of 1917, and the supplements thereto and amendments thereof."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

There having been introduced at this meeting by Michael I. Fagen, Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, an ordinance entitled "An ordinance to improve all that part of Bramhall avenue between Halladay street and Woodward street, in the city of Jersey City, by improving with second-hand blocks on a sand base, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 152 of the Laws of 1917, and the various supplements thereto and amendments thereof,"

It is hereby resolved, That said ordinance shall lie on the table until the meeting of this Board to be held on June 14, 1921, at the City Hall in Jersey City;

Further resolved, That at said time and place this board shall consider the undertaking of the improvement proposed by said ordinance and the said ordinance itself, and that a hearing shall be then and there afforded to all persons whose lands may be affected by or who may be interested in such proposed improvement, both upon said proposed improvement and said ordinance;

Further resolved, That the City Clerk publish in the Jersey Journal and Hudson Observer, on May 31 and June 6, 1921, notice of the intention of this Board to consider such proposed improvement and ordinance. Said notice shall be in the form attached to this resolution.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That permission be and is hereby granted to John M. Hughes' Sons Co. to move the upper three stories of the four-story frame building, size 20 feet by 28 feet, from 188 Warren street to the vacant lot on the westerly side of Warren street, almost directly opposite its present location, known as 191 Warren street, such permission being subject to the conditions as set forth in resolution of the Board of Street and Water Commissioners, April 29, 1912.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the Public Service Electric Company be and is hereby authorized to place a system of electric arc lights on Railroad Avenue between Newark Avenue and Brunswick Streets, in accordance with the terms of contract and subject to conditions as set forth in resolution passed by the Board of Street and Water Commissioners April 29, 1912.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance authorizing $8,500 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance authorizing $10,500 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance authorizing $14,000 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Introducing an ordinance entitled "An Ordinance authorizing $3,000 Emergency Bonds of the City of Jersey City."

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An Ordinance authorizing $20,000 Emergency Bonds of the City of Jersey City.

Whereas, This Board determines that it is necessary to install a new system of Tax Billing and control of Tax Collections in the Department of Revenue and Finance, and estimates the cost of the equipment and installing same and the auditing work necessary to be performed in the Collectors Office to be $20,000 and the City is without funds to meet the necessities and conditions created thereby.

Now therefore the Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. The sum of $20,000 be and it is hereby appropriated to purchase the equipment and to install a new system of tax billing and control of tax collections, together with the auditing work necessary to be performed in connection with the new system in the Department of Revenue and Finance.

Section 2. That in pursuance to the provisions of An Act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled "An Act concerning municipal and county finances," approved March 28, 1917, as amended, and for the purpose of meeting said appropriation, $20,000 Emergency Bonds shall be issued, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed six per cent. per annum, said bonds shall mature on December 31, 1922, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment.

Said Bonds shall be executed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance under the seal of the city, and shall be attested by the City Clerk, and shall recite they are issued to purchase the equipment, and to install a new system of tax billing and control of tax collections.

Section 3. A tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay said bonds at their maturity.

Section 4. Said bonds are awarded and sold to the Sinking Fund Commission of said city at par and accrued interest, and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance is authorized and directed to have said bonds prepared and after the execution thereof to deliver the same upon receipt of the purchase price therefor.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing $29,500.00 temporary improvement bonds of the city of Jersey City.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. The sum of $29,500.00 is hereby appropriated for the purchase of cast iron water pipes for use in the Water Department in Jersey City.

Section 2. For the purpose of meeting said appropriation and of temporarily financing said improvement which is not yet completed (such improvement not being current expenses) $29,500.00 temporary improvement bonds shall be issued in pursuance of an Act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled, "An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations, and the incurring of indebtedness, by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March 22, 1916, constituting Chapter 252, P. L., 1916, as amended.

Section 3. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of not exceeding six per cent. per annum, and may from time to time be renewed. No bonds issued in pursuance of this ordinance shall mature more than six years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued, has been carried out. Said bonds shall be executed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance under the seal of the city, and attested by the City Clerk, and shall recite they are issued to temporarily finance the purchase of new cast iron water pipes.

Section 4. Said bonds shall be sold by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, and shall be in such form, and shall mature in such time or times subject to the provisions hereof as he may determine, and all other matters in respect thereof shall be determined by said director.

Section 5. Said bonds shall at maturity be paid out of the proceeds of funding bonds, or if not so paid a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay said bonds, as they mature. In each year after the date of said bonds, a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay the interest on said bonds.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentey, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An Ordinance authorizing $23,000 temporary improvement bonds of the city of Jersey City.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. The sum of $23,000 is hereby appropiated for the repaving of Bramhall Avenue between Bergen Avenue and Arlington Avenue with sheet asphalt on present stone block foundation.

Sec. 2 For the purpose of meeting said appropriation and of temporarily financing said improvement which is not yet completed (such improvement not being current expenses) $23,000 temporary improvement bonds shall be issued in persuance of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations, and the incurring of indebtedness, by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March 22, 1916, constituting Chapter 252, P. L. 1916, as amended.

Sec. 3. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of not exceeding six per-cent. per annum, and may from time to time be renewed. No bonds issued in pursuance of this ordinance shall mature more than six years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued, has been carried out. Said bonds shall be executed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance under the seal of the City, and attested by the City Clerk, and shall recite they are issued to temporarily finance the repaving of Bramhall Avenue.

Sec. 4. Said bonds shall be sold by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, and shall be in such form, and shall mature in such time or times subject to the provisions thereof as he may determine, and all other matters in respect thereof shall be determined by said Director.

Sec. 5. Said bonds shall at maturity be paid out of the proceeds of funding bonds, or if not so paid a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay said bonds as they mature. In each year after the date of said bonds, a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay the interest on said bonds.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing $6,000 temporary improvement bonds of the city of Jersey City.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. The sum of $6,000 is hereby appropriated for the repaving of Cator Avenue from the Boulevard to Fowler Avenue with sheet asphalt on a concrete foundation.

Sec 2. For the purpose of meeting said appropriation and of temporarily financing said improvement which is not yet completed (such improvement not being current expenses) $6,000 temporary improvement bonds shall be issued in pursuance of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled, "An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations, and the incurring of indebtedness, by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March 22, 1916, constituting Chapter 252, P. L. 1916, as amended.

Sec. 3. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of not exceeding six per cent. per annum, and may from time to time be renewed. No bonds issued in pursuance of this ordinance shall mature more than six years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out. Said bonds shall be executed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance under the seal of the City, and attested by the City Clerk, and shall recite they are issued to temporarily finance the repaving of Cator Avenue.

Section 4. Said bonds shall be sold by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, and shall be in such form, and shall mature in such time or times, subject to the provisions hereof as he may determine, and all other matters in respect thereof shall be determined by said Director.

Section 5. Said bonds shall at maturity be paid out of the proceeds of funding bonds, or if not so paid a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay said bonds as they mature. In each year after the date of said bonds, a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay the interest on said bonds.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing $26,000.00 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. The sum of $26,000.00 is hereby appropriated for the repaving of Pavonia Avenue and Ninth Street between West Hamilton Place and Coles Street and the repaving of Coles Street between Eight Street and Ninth Street, and the repaving of Monmouth Street and Brunswick Street between Sixth Street and Seventh Street, and the repaving of Sixth Street between Monmouth Street and Brunswick Street with sheet asphalt on present stone block and concrete foundation.

Section 2. For the purpose of meeting said appropriation and of temporarily financing said improvements which are not yet completed (such improvements not being current expenses) $26,000.00 temporary improvement bonds shall be issued in pursuance of an act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled "An act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations, and the incurring of indebtedness, by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an Improvement Commission," approved March 22, 1916, constituting Chapter 252, P. L. 1916, as amended.

Section 3. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of not exceeding six per cent. per annum, and may from time to time be renewed. No bonds issued in pursuance of this ordinance shall mature more than six years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out. Said bonds shall be executed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance under the seal of the City, and attested by the City Clerk, and shall recite they are issued to temporarily finance the repaving of Pavonia Avenue, Ninth Street, Coles Street, Monmouth Street, Brunswick Street, Sixth Street, Seventh Street.

Section 4. Said Bonds shall be sold by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, and shall be in such form, and shall mature in such time or times, subject to the provisions hereof as he may determine, and all other matters in respect thereof shall be determined by said Director.

Section 5. Said bonds shall at maturity be paid out of the proceeds of funding bonds, or if not so paid a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay said bonds as they mature. In each year after the date of said bonds, a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay the interest on said bonds.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance appropriating $160,000.00 for the erection of a new library building and authorizing temporary improvement bonds for said purpose, and providing for the payment of said bonds.

The Board of Commossioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. The sum of $160,000.00 is hereby appropriated for the erection of a new Library Building at the corner of Bergen and Clinton Avenues, Jersey City.

Section 2. For the purpose of meeting said appropriation and of temporarily financing said improvement which is not yet completed (such improvement not being current expenses) $160,000.00 Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be issued in pursuance of an Act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled, "An Act to Authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations, and the incurring of indebtedness, by County, City, borough, village, town, township, or any municipality governed by an Improvement Commission, approved March 22nd, 1916, constituting Chapter 252 P. L. 1916 as amended.

Section 3. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of not exceeding six per cent. per annum, and may from time to time be renewed. No Bonds issued in pursuance of this ordinance shall mature more than six years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out. Said Bonds shall be executed by the Mayor, and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance under the seal of the City, and attested by the City Clerk, and shall recite they are issued to temporarily finance the erection of a new Library at Clinton and Bergen Avenues.

Section 4. Said Bonds shall be sold by the Director of the Department of

Revenue and Finance, and shall be in such form, and shall mature in such time or times, subject to the provisions hereof as he may determine, and all other matters in respect thereof shall be determined by said Director.

Section 5. Said Bonds shall at maturity be paid out of the proceeds of funding bonds, or if not so paid a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay said bonds as they mature. In each year after the date of said bonds, a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay the interest on said bonds.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioners Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing $4,550.00 Temporary Improvement Bonds of the City of Jersey City.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. The sum of $4,550.00 is hereby appropriated for the purchase of one Coupe for use in the Police Department of Jersey City.

Section 2. For the purpose of meeting said appropriation and of temporarily financing said improvement which is not yet completed (such improvement not being current expenses) $4,550.00 Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be issued, In pursuance of An Act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled, "An Act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations, and the incurring of indebtedness, by County, City, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March 22nd, 1916, constituting Chapter 252, P. D. 1916, as amended.

Section 3. Said Bonds shall bear interest at the rate of not exceeding six per cent. per annum, and may from time to time be renewed. No Bonds issued in pursuance of this ordinance, shall mature more than six years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out.

Said bonds shall be executed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, under the seal of the city, and attested by the City Clerk, and shall recite they are issued to temporarily finance the purchase of one coupe for the Police Department.

Section 4. Said bonds shall be sold by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, and shall be in such form, and shall mature in such time or times, subject to the provisions hereof as he may determine, and all other matters in respect thereof shall be determined by said director.

Section 5. Said bonds shall at maturity be paid out of the proceeds of funding bonds, or if not so paid a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay said bonds as they mature. In each year after the date of said bonds, a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay the interest on said bonds.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING $53,000.00 EMERGENCY BONDS OF THE CITY OF JERSEY CITY

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. The sum of $53,000.00 be and it is hereby appropriated to defray the cost of holding a municipal primary and general election in Jersey City for the year 1921.

Section 2. That in pursuance to the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey entitled, "An act concerning municipal and county finances," approved March 28, 1917, as amended, and for the purpose of meeting said appropriation, $53,000.00 Emergency Bonds shall be issued, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed 6 per cent. per annum; said bonds shall mature on December 31, 1922, and shall be subject to earlier call for payment. Said bonds shall be executed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance under the seal of the city, and shall be attested by the City Clerk, and shall recite they are issued to defray the cost of a municipal primary and general election in Jersey City.

Section 3. A tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay said bonds at their maturity.

Section 4. Said Emergency Bonds are awarded and sold to the Sinking Fund Commission of said city at par and accrued interest, and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance is authorized and directed to have said bonds prepared and after the execution thereof to deliver the same upon receipt of the purchase price thereof.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called, the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, A bid has been received for the furnishing and delivering of one (1) coupe for use in the Jersey City Police Department, as per plans and specifications on file in the City Clerk's office; and

Whereas, The bid of the Morris Motor Car Company is the only bid received; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing the above named one (1) coupe be and the same is hereby awarded to the Morris Motor Car Company at the price named in their bid, and be it further

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for same.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering Mason's materials, such as cement, lime, brick, sand, etc., be and is hereby awarded to James P. Hall, Inc., at the price named in their proposal, namely:

About 27,500 North River hard burned brick, 19.50 per M.

About 1,800 bags Portland cement, Atlas or its equal, per bag, 87.

About 1,100 cu. yds. Cow Bay sand, 2.00 per cu. yd.

About 50 cu. yds. clean sharp building sand, 2.00 per cu. yd.

About 900 cu. yds. clean wash gravel, ¼ in., 3.45 per cu. yd.

About 600 cu. yds. grit, 3.75 per cu. yd.

About 100 lin. ft. 6-in. vitrified pipe, 29 per lin. ft.

About 500 lin. ft. 8-in. vitrified pipe, 45 per lin. ft.

About 100 lin. ft. 10-in. vitrified pipe, 68 per lin. ft.

About 200 lin. ft. 12-in. vitrified pipe, 87 per lin. ft.

About 100 lin. ft. 16-in. vitrified pipe, 1.17 per lin. ft.

About 100 lin. ft 18-in. vitrified pipe, 1.62 per lin. ft.

There being no lower bidder, and the Corporation Attorney be and′ is hereby directed to prepare and have executed necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements contract for the regulating and repaving with sheet asphalt on present stone block and concrete foundation the roadway of Pavonia avenue and Ninth street, between Hamilton Place and Coles street, Coles street, between Eighth street and Ninth streets; Monmouth street and Brunswick street, between Sixth street and Seventh street, and Sixth street, between Monmouth street and Brunswick street, be and the same is hereby awarded to W. T. S. Crichfield, at the price named in his bid, namely, one hundred and one (101%) per cent. of the Standard, his being the lowest bid received; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, contract for regulating and repaving with sheet asphalt on present stone block foundation the roadway of Bramhall avenue, between Bergen avenue and Arlington avenue (excepting such portion as lies between the tracks) the portion outside the rails for a width of six (6 in.) inches is to be paved with wooden block pavement over present concrete base, be and the same is hereby awarded to W. T. S. Crichfield, at the price named in his bid, namely, ninety-eight per cent. (98%) of the Standard, his being the lowest bid received; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements contract for the regulating and repaving with sheet asphalt on concrete foundation the roadway between the brick gutters on Cator avenue, from the Boulevard to Fowler avenue, be and the same is hereby awarded to W. T. S. Crichfield, at the price named in his bid, namely, ninety-eight (98%) per cent. of the Standard, his being the lowest bid received; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements contract for furnishing and delivering cast iron water pipe for use in Jersey City, N. J., be and the same is hereby awarded to R. D. Wood Company, at the price named in their bid, namely, fifty-three dollars and ninety-five cents ($53.95) per ton, there being no lower bid received; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the contract for furnishing and delivering fifty thousand (50,000) wooden blocks, in accordance with specifications prepared by the Chief Engineer, be and is hereby awarded to American Creosoting Company, at the price named in their proposal, namely, forty-eight ($48.00) dollars per thousand, there being no lower bidder, and the Corporaton Attorney be and is hereby directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements contract for regulating and repaving with sheet asphalt on present stone block foundation the roadway of Academy Street, between Summit Avenue and Bergen Avenue, be and the same is hereby awarded to Willite Road Construction Company, at the price named in their bid, namely, ninety-nine per cent. (99%) of the Standard, theirs being the lowest bid received; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract thereof.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements contract for the regulating and repaving with sheet asphalt on present stone foundation the roadway of Whiton Street, between Johnston Avenue and the Terminus, of the present stone pavement south of Communipaw Avenue and Pine Street, between Johnston Avenue and the Newark and New York Railroad (excepting such portion as lies between the tracks and portion now paved with asphalt and asphalt block pavement), be and the same is hereby awarded to Willite Road Construction Company, at the ninety-nine and one-half per cent. (99½%) of the Standard, theirs being the lowest bid received; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements contract for the improvement of Stegman Street, between Bergen Avenue and Hudson Boulevard, with sheet asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation, be and the same is hereby awarded to Willite Road Construction Company, at the price named in their bid, namely, one hundred and nine per cent. (109%) of the Standard, theirs being the lowest bid received; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Received and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a period of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements contract for the improvement of Corbin Avenue, between Sip Avenue and Stuyvesant Avenue, with asphalt pavement on a concrete base, be and the same is hereby awarded to Willite Road Construction Company, at the price named in their, namely, ninety-six and one-half per cent. (96½%) of the Standard, theirs being the lowest bid received; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Rceived and ordered placed on file in the office of the City Clerk for a perio of two weeks for the purpose of public inspection.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, Bids were received by the Board of Commissioners for the furnishing and delivering of coal to municipal buildings for season ending March 31, 1922, and

Whereas, The bid of R. H. Perry & Company was the only bid received; therefore be it

Resolved, That the contract for the furnishing and delivering of coal to municipal buildings, as per specifications, be and is hereby awarded to R. H. Perry & Company at the price named in their bid:

Egg coal, $13.25 per gross ton (2,240 pounds),

Stove coal, $13.50 per gross ton (2,240 pounds),

Chestnut coal, $13.50 per gross ton (2,240 pounds),

Pea coal, $11.50 per gross ton (2,240 pounds),

and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract for the same.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the resolution passed by the Board of Commissioners on March 1, 1921, directing the Director of Parks and Public Property to enter into a lease with the Willite Road Construction Company for about 40,000 square feet of land owned by the city, adjoining Howell Street Dock, be and the same is hereby rescinded.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Whereas, The Willite Road Construction Company of America have applied for a lease for a period of one year upon about 28,000 square feet of the land owned by the city, adjoining Howell Street Dock, described as follows:

Beginning at a point where the southerly line of Howell Street extended intersects the rear or easterly line of the bulkhead platform on the easterly side of the Hackensack River; thence southerly along the rear or easterly line of the bulkhead platform 70 feet more or less to a pile fence; thence easterly at right angles to the bulkhead and along the line of said pile fence 200 feet; thence northerly, parallel with the bulkhead, 210 feet more or less to the southerly line of Howell street extended; thence westerly along the southerly line of Howell Street extended 245 feet to the place of beginning. Containing 28,000 square feet in area. Together with the right to maintain and operate a derrick on the rear part of the bulkhead within the space of 20 feet square, as shown on the diagram attached, and

Whereas, They are willing to pay $1,500.00 per year for this property; therefore be it

Resolved, That under the direction of the Director of Parks and Public Property a lease be entered into and that the Corporation Attorney be and he is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary form of lease.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance to amend a certain ordinance passed by the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City on January 4, 1921, entitled "An Ordinance granting permission to the M. W. Kellogg Company, a corporation, to lay and maintain oil and water pipes under the surface of a portion of certain lands and premises of Jersey City, forming part of Droyer's Point, or at or near the same, and which portion of said lands and premises is to be dedicated as a public street or highway.

Whereas, Heretofore and on January 4, 1921, the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City did pass and adopt a certain ordinance entitled, "An Ordinance granting permission to the M. W. Kellogg Company, a corporation, to lay and maintain oil and water pipes under the surface of a portion of certain lands and premises of Jersey City, forming part of Droyer's Point, or at or near the same, and which portion of said lands and premises is to be dedicated as a public street or highway, and

Whereas, By section 8 thereof it is provided that the said M. W. Kellogg Company shall pay annually to Jersey City the sum of $100 semi-annually on the first days of February and August in each year; and

Whereas, Under and by virtue of the provisions of a contract heretofore entered into between the City and said company, the City agreed to grant the privileges contained in said ordinance and it appearing that the fixing of the sum of $100 was the result of inadvertance; now, therefore

The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

1. That sction 8 of said ordinance of January 4, 1921, be and the same is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Section 8. For the privileges herein accorded, the beneficiary hereunder shall pay annually to the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City the sum of $1.00, which payment shall be made for the year 1921 within thirty (30) days after this ordinance shall take effect and in each year thereafter on the first day of Febuary. All costs and expenses incident to the introduction, passage and publication of this ordinance shall be paid by the applicant.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the hearings on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance to amend an ordinance entitled "Building Code," passed September 17, 1907, and approved October 1, 1907.

The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. That Section 106 of the ordinance above recited to which this ordinance is an amendment be and the same is hereby amended by striking out the words "eight stories nor more than one hundred feet," after the words "that when the height of the building does not exceed," and substituting the words "one hundred and fifty feet in height."

Section 2. That Section 106 of the ordinance above recited be and the same is hereby further amended by striking out the words "eight stories, or more than one hundred feet," after the words "When the height of a fireproof building exceeds," and substituting the words "one hundred and fifty feet in height."

Section 3. All ordinances or parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon and Moore.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon for Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of Public Affairs the Director of Revenue and Finance be and he is hereby authorized and requested to place at the disposal of the several Grand Army Posts and Veterans' Associations of Jersey City the sums of money set forth in the following schedule, the same to be used to pay the expenses of said Grand Army Posts and Veterans' Associations in connection with a proper observance of Memorial Day, 1921:

$200, Van Houten Post; $150, Henry Wilson Post; $150, Geo. H. Thomas Post; $150, Zabriskie Post; $50, Gen. Joe Wheeler Post; $50, Col. Wyckoff Post.

Further resolved, That the aforesaid sums of money shall be paid by the Director of Revenue and Finance according to the rules and regulations government the allotment for the year 1917.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, and Moore.

Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner Bentley the Board adjourned.

JOHN BENTLEY,
MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
Commissioners.

Approved,

FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

MEETING OF MAY 31, 1921

Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City, held in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City, on Tuesday, May 31, 1921, at 2 p. m.

Present: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Absent: None.

FRANCHISE HEARINGS

The hearing on the application of the Fairmount Terminal Association, Inc., requesting permission to construct an industrial railroad in the Fairmount Terminal district of the city, having been adjourned and continued to this time and place, the City Clerk read the public notice of hearing and then called for anyone who might desire to be heard in favor of the proposed railroad.

No one appeared to speak in favor of said proposed railroad.

The City Clerk then called for anyone who might desire to be heard against the proposed railroad.

Mr. Thomas Santanello, owner of 5-7 Whyte Street, 34 and 36 Whyte Street and 122 Cornelison Avenue, and Mrs. A. DeCesaro, owner of 108 Fairmount Avenue and 111-111a Cornelison Avenue, appeared before the Board and stated that they are satisfied to sell their property to the terminal company; otherwise they will object to the railroad because it will be a nuisance to the occupants of their property.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the hearing on the application of the Fairmount Terminal Association, Inc., for permission to construct an industrial railroad in the Fairmount Terminal district of Jersey City, be and the same is hereby adjourned and continued to Tuesday, June 14, 1921, at 2 p. m., in the Assembly Chamber, City Hall, Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

CITY ORDINANCES

This time and place having been advertised for the purpose of considering the final passage of the following described ordinances:

"An ordinance authorizing $3,000 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City (improvement Lafayette Street),

"An ordinance authorizing $3,500 temporary improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City (improvement Rose Avenue),

"An ordinance fixing the compensation of the Mayor and of the Commissioners of Jersey City,"

the City Clerk read each ordinance and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the final passage of any of said above described ordinances.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the final passage of any of the above described ordinances.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the ordinances were referred to miscellaneous business for further action.

ALTERATION HEARINGS

This time and place having been advertised for public hearing on the following described applications:

Miss C. Heintze, requesting permission to erect garage under dwelling, 553 Pavonia Avenue,

William Harris, requesting permission to erect garage under dwelling, 1684 Boulevard,

the City Clerk read each application and then called for anyone who might desire to protest against the granting of any of the above described applications.

No one appeared to protest and no written protests were received against the granting of any of the above described applications.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the application of Miss C. Heintze requesting permission to erect garage under dwelling, No. 553 Pavonia Avenue, be and the same is hereby referred to the Mayor and Superintendent of Buildings for investigation with power.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That the application of William Harris requesting permission to erect garage under dwelling, No. 1684 Baulevard, be and the same is hereby referred to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements for investigation and recommendation.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PETITIONS AND COMMUNICATIONS

From Monsignor J. A. Shepard, and others, submitting a written protest against the disgraceful dancing at the block dances in the city, and suggesting that two or more policewomen be appointed by the Commission for the proper surveillance of such affairs.

Received and referred to the Director of the Department of Public Safety.

From residents on Warner Avenue between Jackson and Rutgers Avenues, protesting against an unsightly umbrella sign maintained as an advertisement at 96 Warner Avenue by a Mr. Ploom.

In connection with the foregoing protest, Mrs. Ferrara of 90 Warner Avenue appeared before the Board and requested that action be taken to remove the sign because it reduces the high standard of the street, where there are all private dwellings.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the protest was referred to the Zoning Commission and the Director of Streets and Public Improvements for investigation and recommendation.

From residents in the vicinity of 72 Wegman Parkway, protesting against the proposed erection of additional garages at that location.

The City Clerk advised the Board that he had communicated with the Superintendent of Buildings and the Zoning Commission regarding the matter and they advised him that no application had been presented and that no permits had been issued to date for said garages, and that he also sent instructions not to issue a permit until the matter had been taken up by the Board of Commissioners.

Received.

From the Trust Company of New Jersey, requesting permission to use parts of the westerly side of Bergen Avenue and the southerly side of Sip Avenue, above and below the sidewalk level, in connection with the erection of a bank building.

Received.

OFFICERS' COMMUNICATIONS

From Superintendent of Buildings, submitting report for March, 1921, and April, 1921.

Received and ordered filed.

AUDITING CLAIMS

By Commissioner Bentley:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named parties for the following amounts and purposes, as hereinafter set forth:

$490.03, Standard Oil Company; $436.40, The Peter Jocham Company; $48.00, C. J. Dutton; $87.94, Boyle-Loewus Motor Company; $24.30, Garfunkel Brothers; $2.00, Westinghouse Electric Manufacturing Company; $495.00, the Peter Jocham Company; $17.80, Thomas L. Higgins; $174.78, Woodhouse Manufacturing Company; $17.50 American LaFrance Fire Engine Company; $11.00, American LaFrance Fire Engine Company; $3.00, American LaFrance Fire Engine Company; $62.75, American LaFrance Fire Engine Company; $35.00 Oscar L. Nordine; $40.00, George C. Krauss; $23.60, American LaFrance Fire Engine Company; $28.18, Albert Datz Company; $20.00, J. W. Greene, Inc.; $22.05, Joseph H. Browne; $416.50, Walter J. Coleman; $304.30, Walter J Coleman; $447.43, Carscallen & Cassidy; $36.00, Valvoline Oil Company; $22.56, Hudson Auction Company.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the following named persons for the following amounts and purposes:

$148.00, Remington Typewriter Co., two typewriters.

$2,280.00, Remington Typewriter Co., three adding and subtracting tax billing machines.

$39.95, W. A. Barclay, plumbing.

$2.50, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$1.00, Continental Typewriter Co., inspecting machine.

$195.93, Lexington Auto Tire Co., auto supplies.

$225.00, A. J. Doan & Son, printing.

$36.05, Louis Frey, services.

$1.65, Chas. F. Hansen, one rubber stamp.

$342.00, Union Printing Co., 12,000 large personal tax bills, printed.

$285.00, Union Printing Co., 10,000 personal tax bills, printed.

$220.00, Union Printing Co., five large cash books.

$10.00, Union Printing Co., jitney receipt books.

$65.00, Louis Frey, printing city maps.

$15.00, Union Printing Co., 2,000 subpoenas printed.

$1.75, J. W. Harrison, one dozen clips.

$18.40, New York Telephone Co., telephone service.

$34.24, Sarco Co. of New Jersey, 85 folios transcript.

$360.52, Sarco Co. of New Jersey, transcript of testimony.

$3.75, Western Union Telegraph Co., time clock.

$7.50, Edward Thompson Co., copy Federal Statutes.

$6.25, Baker, Voorhis & Co., Federal report.

$427.50, Union Printing Co., 15,000 large tax bills.

$285.00, Union Printing Co., 10,000 large tax bills.

$287.75, Rowlands & Westphal, insurance on auto.

$7.80, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$6.50, Payton & Hoos, saddle seat for typewriter.

$317.70, Remington Typewriter Co., binders and sheets.

$18.00, Remington Typewriter Co., record ribbons.

$112.50, Remington Typewriter Co., three machine stands.

$99.15, Eckel's Tire Service, auto supplies.

$67.50, Hudson Observer, printing.

$96.60, George P. Kelley, transcript.

$51.30, W. J. Coleman, lamps.

$10.30, W. J. Coleman, supplies.

$5.64, Evening Journal Association, Corbin Avenue ded.

$5.76, Hudson Observer, Corbin Avenue ded.

$5.88, Evening Journal Association, Corbin Avenue ded.

$57.12, Hudson Observer, L. V. R. R. agreement.

$8.76, Hudson Observer, Corbin Avenue ded.

$11.00, Great Bear Spring Co., water.

$231.25, American Surety Co. of New York, bond.

$72.00, Hudson Observer, election notice.

$6.60, Evening Journal Association, bond issue, elections.

$37.80, Evening Journal Association, smoke ordinance.

$33.00, notice, hearing, terminal.

$144.00, Evening Journal Association, notice, Boost Jersey City.

$8.16, Evening Journal Association, ordinance, Kellogg.

$4.00, Evening Journal Association, application, Gugliotta.

$178.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$237.50, Union Printing Co., printing.

$180.00, Union Printing Co., printing.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn in favor of the following named persons in the amounts indicated:

$38.32, F. B. Brill, supplies.

$50.40, L. A. Bittighofer, repairs.

$65.00, Cabala & Pias Company, painting.

$600.00, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$516.88, Carscallen & Cassidy, feed.

$22.36, Evening Journal, advertising.

$105.00, Five Corners Auto Repair, repairs.

$2.50, Great Bear Spring, water.

$1.50, Great Bear Spring, water.

$85.00, General Machine Iron Works, supplies.

$37.50, John J. Howard, horseshoeing.

$21.32, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$24.00, Wm. R. Harrison, photos.

$30.94, New York Telephone, service.

$2.50, New York Telephone, service.

$5.25, New York Telephone Company, service.

$77.35, New York Telephone, service.

$4.00, New York Telephone, service.

$220.00, Stillman & Van Siclen, tests.

$134.77, Stillman & Van Siclen, tests.

$264.32, Standard Oil, oil.

$425.00, A. Steiert & Son, supplies.

$15.00, Union Printing Company, supplies.

$4.05, L. A. Bittighofer, repairs.

$132.63, Carscallem & Cassidy, feed.

$110.00, Cabala & Pias Company, painting.

$58.11, E. B. Dawson, supplies.

$19.76, Evening Journal, advertising.

$111.57, Chas. H. Engler Lumber Company, lumber.

$5.00, Great Bear Spring, water.

$4.93, Hersey Manufacturing Company, supplies.

$19.76, Hudson Observer, advertising.

$260.04, Hersey Manufacturing Company, supplies.

$120.00, Andrew B. Mauzy, services testing.

$90.47, New York Telephone, service.

$1,387.99, Pennsylvania Salt Manufacturing Company, supplies.

$67.92, Pennsylvania Salt, supplies.

$329.77, Texas Company, supplies.

$13.25, Town of Nutley, taxes.

$190.00, Auto Car Sch. Company.

$6.50, J. Weston.

$21.80, Whipple Hardware Company.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

Bq Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn on the City Treasurer, in payment of the following claims:

$48.75, Louis A. Bochler, insurance.

$33.75, James P. McLoughlin, insurance.

$4.50, A. J. Haesloop, supplies.

$6.70, A. J. Haesloop, supplies.

$67.13, A. J. Haesloop, supplies.

$3.04, A. J. Haesloop, supplies.

$55.00, Charles Campbell, sod.

$22.59, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$19.95, Oscar Michler, saws filed.

$43.88, James P. Hall, Inc., gravel, sand, etc.

$5.00, W. A. Barclay, plumber repairs.

$35.77, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$5.00, Great Bear Spring Company, water.

$105.00, Stephen Shea, hire of auto.

$129.48, New York Telephone Company, telephone service.

$0.50, Great Bear Spring Company, water.

$2.35, S. T. Hunt & Son, supplies.

$52.71, Whipple Hardware Company, wire cloth.

$17.05, M. Tacktenberg, glass.

$2.40, Thomas L. Higgins, comfort supplies.

$3.25, M. Tacktenberg, glass.

$11.50, S. T. Hunt, turpentine.

$135.00, Anchor Post Iron Works, tennis posts.

$30.38, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$30.67, Thomas L. Higgins, supplies.

$87.34, F. B. Brill, wire cloth.

$21.00, William R. Harrison, park material.

$5.50, M. Tacktenberg, glass.

$2.80, George C. Lavery & Co., Inc., lumber.

$48.75, Elmer E. Williams, insurance.

$19.00, Elmer E. Williams, insurance.

$8.50, Union Printing Company, stationery.

$4.40, John P. Landrine, supplies.

$4.00, Whipple Hardware Company, wire nails.

$9.50, James P. Hall, Inc., gravel and sand.

$26.34, James P. Hall, Inc., gravel, sand, etc.

$35.28, James P. Hall, Inc., gravel, sand, etc.

$5.10, James P. Hall, Inc., lime.

$7.90, New York Telephone Company, telephone service.

$240.00, Arthur Keppler, horse and wagon hire.

$234.00, J. Connors, horse and wagon hire.

$3.95, New York Telephone Company, telephone service.

$15.68, James P. Hall, Inc., cement.

$98.00, Geo. H. Aspinwall, Inc., cleaning fluid.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Frank Hague:

Resolved, That warrants be drawn by the City Treasurer in favor of the following named claimants for the amounts and purposes indicated:

$20.77, N. Y. Telephone So., service.

$63.68, Public Service Electric Co., light.

$53.46, Henry J. McDermott, ice.

$4.88, The D. E. Cleary Co., groceries.

$16.75, L. L. Croner, groceries.

$66.40, Meinecke & Co., hospital apparatus.

$28.21, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$36.30, Parke, Davis & Co., drugs.

$50.70, William Bill, groceries.

$50.40, Thomas Finnerty, ice.

$86.44, Public Service Gas Company, gas.

$20.00, Metropolitan Window Cleaning Company, Cleaning Windows.

$13.80, New York Telephone Company, service.

$4.35, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$34.40, David I. Cohen, drug supplies.

$4.70, John F. Crosby, oranges.

$4.05, Whipple Hardware Company, supplies.

$96.79, Jacob Decker, milk and cream.

$72.56, E. B. Skelton, canton flannel.

$24.90, Charles F. Hansen, stationery.

$88.20, Herald Company, printing.

$21.17, David I. Cohen, cotton.

$24.00, Public Service Electric Company, heaters.

$69.00, The Howe Scale Company, scale.

$444.00, Meade, John & Co., Dextri-Maltose.

$475.00, Payton & Hoos, refrigerator.

$8.20, New York Telephone Company, service.

$42.53, New York Telephone Company, service.

$13.97, New York Telephone Company, service.

$44.70, New York Telephone Company, service.

$13.65, Thomas Finnerty, ice.

$162, Loori Bros., drugs.

$19.45, Palisade Auto Supply Company, auto repairs.

$39.50, M. Miller, supplies.

$174.93, Union Printing Co., printing.

$23.52, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, vaccine.

$47.04, Lederle Antitoxin Laboratories, vaccine.

$27.00, August Kost, Jr., eye glasses.

$25.00, William R. Harrison, letter sign.

$3.48, E. Leitz, Inc., apparatus.

$577.73, Hudson County Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, wagon service.

$30.24, E. Leitz, Inc., bottles.

$67.20, Sarco Company, brass door tags.

$24.93, Eimer & Amend, supplies.

$88.25, A. Walter & Sons, eyeglasses.

$6.95, Kny-Scherer Corporation, water bag.

$49.56, Eimer & Amend, drugs and chemicals.

$450.00, A. McDonnough, groceries.

$125.00, Joseph J. Maguire, burials.

$71.50, Otto Wilkens, supplies.

$108.20, Meinecke & Co., coated sheeting.

$102.25, Joseph T. Sack, supplies.

$88.70, Union Printing Co., printing.

$27.93, David I. Cohen, bottles.

$13.44, J. V. Calley, vegetables.

$14.00, Austin, Nichols & Co., ginger ale.

$11.00, E. R. Squibb & Sons, licorice.

$29.40, David I. Cohen, peroxide of hydrogen.

$205.50, Austin, Nichols & Co., groceries.

$88.20, E. B. Skelton, sheets.

$117.01, Otto Wilkens, supplies.

$35.92, Austin, Nichols & Co., groceries.

$117.01, Otto Wilkens, supplies.

$30.50, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$98.30, Otto Wilkens, hospital supplies.

$211.68, Charles H. Nolte, eggs.

$64.73, J. V. Calley, vegetables.

$138.67, John F. Crosby, vegetables.

$9.50, Haggerty Bros. & Co., supplies.

$8.00, Otto Wilkens, hospital supplies.

$291.27, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$314.60, Jack McConville, meats.

$125.44, Charles H. Nolte, butter.

$311.64, Austin, Nichols & Co., groceries.

$52.21, Austin, Nichols & Co., groceries.

$149.63, Hamilton Meat Market, meats.

$137.27, Hamilton Meat Market, lamb.

$250.00, Thompson & Kelly Company, gauze.

$175.70, Seabury & Johnson Company, gauze bandage.

$2.96, Joseph H. Browne, salt.

$150.00, Morris Weismann, eggs.

$84.25, The Essex Laboratories, Inc., laundry soap.

$13.35, D. Eisenberg, vegetables.

$14.72, Samuel Gerber, chickens.

$36.60, Meinecke & Co., supplies.

$38.23, Austin, Nichols & Co., groceries.

$12.60, The DeMartini Macaroni Company.

$45.00, William Bill, groceries.

$2.96, Joseph H. Browne, salt.

$57.91, J. Decker, milk and cream.

$409.64, Charles H. Nolte, butter.

$208.71, Hamilton Meat Market, lamb.

$288.31, Jacob Decker, milk and cream.

$51.45, William C. Hagen, ham.

$12.00, Joseph H. Browne, table oilcloth.

$52.49, Blakeslee Cadillac Co., auto supplies.

$90.45, Joseph T. Sack, supplies.

$2.90, John S. Menagh, machine screws, etc.

$7.15, American Auto Tire Co., repairing shoes.

$509.67, Public Service Gas Company, service.

$17.70, Public Service Electric Company, service.

$26.50, Valvoline Oil Company, engine oil.

$83.40, Public Service Gas Company, service.

$136.04, Joseph T. Sack, supplies.

$64.65, J. H. Michaels, fish.

$30.58, John P. Landrine, supplies.

$16.47, Joseph H. Browne, waste.

$10.00, John C. Wolf, auto supplies.

$347.30, W. H. Holmes, tea and coffee.

$166.64, Joseph T. Sack, supplies.

$150.00, New Jersey Window Cleaning Company, service.

$5.52, Joseph Dixon Crucible Company, graphite brushes.

$21.44, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$15.25, C. A. Woolsey Paint and Color Company, paint.

$118.00, Mountain Ice Company, ice.

$25.42, McCloskey Drug Company, drugs.

$10.00, Standard Oil Company, Polarine.

$5.25, Acme Card System Company, perforated paper.

$14.96, Keegan's Garage, auto supplies.

$10.00, James Picker, sulphuric acid.

$3.49, The Abbott Laboratories, chemicals.

$40.16, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$155.22, S. W. Kagan & Co., meat.

$159.75, A. Silz, Inc., meat.

$95.00, American Laundry Machinery Co., repairing.

$256.37, Otto Wilkens, supplies.

$64.31, S. W. Kagan Company, beef.

$9.25, General Baking Company, bread.

$25.00, F. A. Anthracite, sawdust.

$32.00, J. J. Hockenjos, wax.

$43.65, Kny Scheerer Corporation, lamps, Main Hospital.

$53.12, The Starter & Battery Service Company, battery rental.

$267.25, S. Kukielski, repairing automobile.

$3.40, Fairchild Brothers & Foster, drugs.

$14.97, Gillette Safety Razor Company, razors.

$4.66, W. A. Baum Company, repairs.

$25.00, Standard Oxygen Company, oxygen.

$307.43, D. Eisenberg, fruits and vegetables.

$177.26, S. W. Kagan, beef.

$23.52, Charles F. Hansen, office supplies.

$17.90, McKesson & Robbins, Inc., drugs.

$78.80, Archbold & Gallagher, groceries.

$6.60, Whipple Hardware Company, glasses.

$201.40, William Bill, groceries.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen,
Gannon and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

PAYROLLS.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That warrants be ordered drawn on the City Treasurer in favor of the persons whose names are set forth on the attached payrolls for the amounts set opposite their names, being for services rendered during the periods specified.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen,
Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

REPORTS OF DIRECTORS.

From Commissioner Gannon, submitting supplemental debt statement.

Received and ordered filed.

MISCELLANEOUS BUSINESS.

By Commissioner Bentley:

Whereas, Joseph H. Rudiger, Sr., has been elected as a member of the Pension Fund Commission of the Police and Fire Departments of Jersey City, a position of honor and trust; and

Whereas, It is the desire of this Commission to confer upon the said Joseph H. Rudiger, Sr., in recognition of the services that he will be called upon to perform; therefore be it

Resolved, That the said Joseph H. Rudiger, Sr., be and he is hereby appointed as honorary Inspector of the Police Department of Jersey City, and that he hold said office without compensation during the pleasure of this Board.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen,
Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That George H. McLoughlin of 202 Railroad Avenue, Jersey City, N. J., be and is hereby appointed chauffeur in the Bureau of Motor Vehicles, Department of Streets and Public Improvements, he having been certified by the Civil Service Commission as being eligible for such appointment, at a salary of $1,800.00 per year, payable in equal semi-monthly payments on the first and fifteenth day of each month, said appointment to take effect from May 6, 1921.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen,
Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Whereas, The Trust Company of New Jersey have this day filed with the Board of Commissioners of Jersey City an application requesting permission to use parts of the westerly side of Bergen Avenue and the southerly side of Sip Avenue, above and below the sidewalk level, for the construction of vaults, enclosures, footings, &c., in connection with the erection of a bank building at the southwest corner of Sip and Bergen Avenues, and have requested temporary permit to proceed with the said construction pending final disposition of the matter by the Board of Commissioners; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the application of the

Trust Company of New Jersey, requesting permission to use said streets, as above set forth, be and the same is hereby referred to the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements with power to grant or refuse the said permission, and if said temporary permit be granted, to impose such regulations as he may deem necessary.

Adopted.

Yeas:—Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays:—None.

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements the contract for the improvement of Lafayette Street from a point 100 feet west of Woodward Street to its westerly terminus, a distance of about 110 feet, be and is hereby awarded to Graham Van Keuren, at the price named in his proposal, namely 110 per cent. of the Chief Engineer's Standard, there being no lower bidder, and the Corporation Attorney be and is hereby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas:—Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays:—None

By Commissioner Fagen:

Resolved, That upon the recommendation of the Director of the Department of Streets and Public Improvements, contract for the improvement of Rose Avenue between Danforth Avenue and Cator Avenue, with sheet asphalt on a concrete foundation, be and the same is hereby awarded to W. T. S. Crichfield at the price named in his bid, namely, Ninety-nine per cent. (99%) of the standard, his being the lowest bid received; and the Corporation Attorney be and he is herby authorized and directed to prepare and have executed the necessary contract therefor.

Adopted.

Yeas:—Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays:—None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That the specifications presented by the Director of the Department of Parks and Public Property for automobile parking privilege at Montgomery Park, be and the same are hereby approved and the City Clerk be and he is hereby directed to advertise for bids.

Adopted.

Yeas:—Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays:—None.

By Commissioner Moore:

Resolved, That His Honor, the Mayor, be and he is hereby directed to sign and the City Clerk to seal and attest certain agreement between The Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City and the Hudson Material Company, which corrects a typographical error in the original lease between the above mentioned parties.

Adopted:

Yeas:—Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays:—None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the time limit for the payment of 1921 taxes without interest be extended from June 1st to June 8th, 1921, inclusive.

Adopted.

Yeas:—Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays:—None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING $3,000.00 TEMPORARY IMPROVEMENT BONDS OF THE CITY OF JERSEY CITY.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. The sum of $3,000.00 is hereby appropriated for the improvement of Lafayette Street from a point 100 feet west of Woodward Street to its westerly terminus a distance of about 110 feet with belgian block pavement.

Section 2. For the purpose of meeting said appropriation and of temporarily financing said improvement which is not yet completed (such improvement not being current expenses) $3,000.00 Temporary Improvement Bonds shall be issued in pursuance of an Act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled, "An Act to Authorize and Regulate the issuance of Bonds and other obligations, and the incurring of indebtedness, by county, city, borough, village, town, township or any municipality governed by an improvement commission," approved March 22nd, 1916, constituting Chapter 252, P. L., 1916, as amended.

Section 3. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of not exceeding six per cent. per annum, and may from time to time be renewed. No bonds issued in pursuance of this ordinance shall mature more than six years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out. Said bonds shall be executed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance under the seal of the City, and attested by the City Clerk, and shall recite they are issued to temporarily finance the improvement of Lafayette Street.

Section 4. Said bonds shall be sold by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, and shall be in such form, and shall mature in such time or times, subject to the provisions hereof as he may determine, and all other matters in respect thereof shall be determined by said Director.

Section 5 Said bonds shall at maturity be paid out of the proceeds of Funding Bonds, or if not so paid a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay said bonds as they mature. In each year after the date of said bonds, a tax shall be levied and collected sufficient in amount to pay the interest on said bonds.

Section 6.—The aforesaid appropriation is to apply to a local improvement and an assessment is thereafter to be levied on property in the vicinity thereof benefited or increased in value by reason thereof.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, and Mayor Hague.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore, and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance authorizing $3,500.00 Temporary Improvement bonds of the City of Jersey City.

The Board of Commissioners of the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City do ordain:

Section 1. The sum of $3,500.00 is hereby appropriated for the improvement of Rose Avenue between Danforth Avenue and Cator Avenue with sheet asphalt pavement on a concrete foundation.

Section 2. For the purpose of meeting said appropriation, and of temporarily financing said improvement which is not yet completed (such improvement not being current expenses) $3,500.00 Temporary Improvement bonds shall be issued, in pursuance of an Act of the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, entitled, "An Act to authorize and regulate the issuance of bonds and other obligations, and the incurring of indebtedness, by County, City, Borough, Village, Town, Township, or any municipality governed by an Improvement Commission," approved, March 22, 1916, constituting Chapter 252, P. L. 1916, as amended.

Section 3. Said bonds shall bear interest at the rate of not exceeding six per cent per annum, and may from time to time be renewed. No bonds issued in pursuance of this ordinance shall mature more than six years from the date when the purpose for which they are issued has been carried out. Said bonds shall be executed by the Mayor and the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance under the seal of the City, and attested by the City Clerk, and shall recite they are being issued to temporarily finance the improvement of Rose Avenue between Danforth Avenue and Cator Avenue.

Section 4. Said bonds shall be sold by the Director of the Department of Revenue and Finance, and shall be in such form, and shall mature in such time or times, subject to the provisions hereof as he may determine, and all other matters in respect thereof shall be determined by said Director.

Section 5. Said bonds shall, at maturity, be paid out of the proceeds of funding bonds, or if not so paid a tax shall be levied and collected, sufficient in amount, to pay said bonds as they mature. In each year after the date of said bonds, a tax shall be levied and collected, sufficient in amount to pay the interest on said bonds.

Section 6. The aforesaid appropriation is to apply to local improvements and an assessment is thereafter to be levied on property in the vicinity thereof benefited or increased in value by reason thereof.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Fagen, Gannon, Moore, O'Brien and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the following ordinance do now pass:

An ordinance fixing the compensation of the Mayor and of the Commissioners of Jersey City:

The Board of Commissioners of Jersey City do ordain:

1. That the yearly compensation of the Mayor shall be eight thousand dollars ($8,000.00), and the yearly compensation of each Commissioner shall be the sum of seventy-five hundred dollars ($7,500.00), payable in equal monthly payments.

2. All ordinances and parts of ordinances inconsistent herewith be and the same are hereby repealed.

3. This ordinance shall take effect immediately.

The City Clerk read the foregoing ordinance as ready for final passage.

The roll being called the ordinance was passed by the following vote:

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the hearing on the foregoing ordinance do now close.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That permission be and the same is hereby granted to Irving E. Meller to erect a brick building on premises situated at Nos. 337-339 Jackson Avenue and Nos. 75-85½ Orient Avenue, as shown on plans attached to application, said building to be used as a theatre.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.

Nays: None.

By Commissioner Gannon:

Whereas, There has been scheduled before the Public Utility Commission a hearing on the question to open a complaint bureau in the Public Service Gas Company building on Sip Avenue, Jersey City, for Wednesday, June 1st, 1921, at 10 a. m., at which hearing it is the sense of this board that the public of Jersey City desire representation; therefore be it

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel either attend in person or assign a representative of the Law Department to represent the Mayor and Aldermen of Jersey City at such hearing and to show cause why such a bureau of complaint against the quality, price and alleged overcharges for the quality of gas should be opened under the jurisdiction of the Public Utility Commission.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

In connection with the foregoing resolution Commissioner Gannon advised the Board that he had requested said hearing before the Public Utility Commission on the question of opening a complaint bureau on Sip Avenue in the building of the Public Service Gas Company, so that there should be a proper place for the people of Jersey City to file their complaints against the price, quality and alleged overcharges for gas service. He stated that at present when a consumer goes to the gas company to complain, he is told to pay his bill or else the supply will be shut off.

Mayor Hague stated that the proper steps to take to remedy the condition is to introduce an ordinance authorizing us to put on the ballot next fall the question a municipal owned gas plant. He stated that the people of Jersey City know the position of the Board of Commissioners in this fight against the Public Service and the question of the municipal owned gas plant was agreed upon with the people of Jersey City during the last Commission campaign. He also suggested that in directing the Law Department to take action he would like Mr. Milton and Mr. Record to handle the matter, because Mr. Record has been assigned to the previous Public Service actions, as special counsel, and is familiar with the proceedings.

Commissioner Gannon concurred in the suggestion made by the Mayor, and also suggested that a resolution be introduced calling upon the Law Department to prepare the proper resolution for placing the question of the municipal owned gas plant on the ballot next fall.

Whereupon the following resolution was introduced:

By Mayor Hague:

Resolved, That the Corporation Counsel be and he is hereby directed to present to this Board at the earliest possible moment a resolution or ordinance directing that the question of municipal owned gas plant be placed upon the ballot at the November, 1921, election for either adoption or rejection by the voters of Jersey City.

Adopted.

Yeas: Commissioners Bentley, Fagen, Gannon, Moore and Mayor Hague.
Nays: None.

On motion of Commissioner Gannon the Board adjourned.

JOHN BENTLEY,
MICHAEL I. FAGEN,
JAMES F. GANNON, JR.,
A. HARRY MOORE,
FRANK HAGUE,
Commissioners.

Approved.
FRANK A. DOLAN,
City Clerk.

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